



Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter

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Great North Air Ambulance

We will shortly be distributing bags from the Great North Air Ambulance (GNAA) and would love it if you could return them filled with unwanted clothing, bedding and towels.

The bags will be collected on Friday 22nd October and, as well as the GNAA benefitting from the collection, school will also receive some commission. So, free up some space at home and help support school and the Air Ambulance at the same time!

Thank you in advance.

In this week's newsletter:

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- Stars of the Week!
- Learning achievements
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Attachment:
Break the Rules
Poster



STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception: Cadence for working extra hard with her reading.

Class 1: Harry- for excellent sentences in his autobiography!

Faith, for wonderful improvements with her handwriting and maths!

Class 2: James for his excellent attitude towards learning times table facts.

Class 3: Casey for showing excellent problem solving skills during our mission in Commando Joes.

Pen Licence: Jayden

Head Teacher award.

Jayden for having a great start to Year 6; working hard in all lessons and always being helpful- well done!

We have talked about how friends look after each other and what we would like to do with our friends. We have been learning to take turns, sharing puzzles and games. We made a lovely friendship tree and friendship bracelets to support our learning.

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As historians the children were learning the significance of oracle bones and why they were so important to the Shang Dynasty.

For more information please look on our website and Facebook page.

PTA FUNDRAISER!
BREAK THE RULES DAY
FRIDAY 22nd OCTOBER 2021

Non Uniform £1 + 50p for each rule you break!!
Attached is a poster with more information and rule breaking suggestions!!

This week's attendance

Reception	97%
Year 1	98%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	96%
Year 5	94%
Year 6	98%
Overall	97%

GREENHEAD PTA 100 CLUB – REMINDER!

There is still time to enter, but be quick!!

Forms have been sent home for entry into this year's 100 Club. Email Mrs Coleman if you need more.

Can we please ask that all forms and monies be returned to school by Tuesday 5th October with the first draw taking place on Friday 8th October 2021.



HARVEST FESTIVAL

As part of our Harvest Festival celebrations this year we are collecting produce for the West Northumberland Food Bank in Hexham. The products will be displayed in the front entrance of the school and then donated.

Please send in non-perishable items of food and/or toiletries only.

Can we have donations in by Wednesday 20th October 2021.



COVID-19 & WINTER SICKNESS BUGS

Can we remind parents that it is that time of year when winter sickness bugs come out.

If your child is sick, can you please keep them off for 48 hours from their last sickness and notify the School Office.

Please also continue to:

Be vigilant in looking out for symptoms of COVID-19 in your child, however mild: -

- a high temperature of 37.8°C or above
- a new continuous cough
- change to sense of taste and smell

If your child develops any of these symptoms, please keep them at home and arrange for them to get a PCR test. You can book a PCR test online [here](#). If you do not have access to the internet, please call 119. The quickest way to get a test is by booking to attend a Local Testing Site, however you can also arrange for a test kit to be sent to your home address.

If your child develops any symptoms of illness (not just the 3 main Covid-19 symptoms) such as vomiting, diarrhoea, loss of appetite, headache (worse than normal), aching muscles and joints, sore throat or cold-like symptoms please arrange a test. We will let you know directly if we think your child may need a PCR test for wider symptoms if your child becomes unwell at school.

RARING2GO! AUTUMN EDITION



The 'Autumn Edition' includes useful information for local families including ideas for half term, indoor and outdoor activities, crafts, recipes and more.

You can read it here:

<https://magazines.raring2go.co.uk/northumberland/autumn/>

Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds menu

(please note this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Steak pie with mash	Chicken burger and mini potato skins	Meatballs and pasta with garlic bread	Roast beef, Yorkshire pudding with mash and gravy	Fish with potato crispers
OR				
Baguette with filling	Pasta	Quiche	Jacket potato with filling	Wrap with filling and salad
WITH				
Carrots and peas	Beans	Peas	Broccoli	Peas
Steamed jam sponge and custard	Raspberry & white chocolate muffin	Jelly and fruit	Iced muffin	Cookie and milkshake
Fresh fruit/Yogurt available daily				

Yours

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sarah', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Sarah Hutchinson
Executive Head teacher



BREAK THE



RULES DAY

FRIDAY 22ND OCTOBER

NON UNIFORM £1

THEN PAY A 50P FINE FOR
EVERY RULE YOU BREAK!
(BREAK AS MANY AS YOU
LIKE)



CRAZY HAIR/ COLOURED HAIR

HAVE A TEMPORARY TATTOO

BRING A SMALL UNHEALTHY SNACK FOR
BREAK TIME

HAVE JUICE IN YOUR WATER BOTTLE (NO
FIZZY DRINKS)



WEAR MAKE UP/ NAILVARNISH

PLEASE NOTE NORMAL SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICIES
WILL APPLY WHEN WE RETURN AFTER HALF TERM.