



Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter

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Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynold's Menu w/c 19/2/18 (Please note – this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Shepherd's Pie & Carrots	Chicken Goujons, Wedges & Sweetcorn	Sausage Casserole, Mashed Potato & Peas	Pasta Bolognese, Garlic Bread & Salad	Pizza, Chips & Beans
Sticky Toffee Pudding	Jelly & Fruit	Steamed Jam Sponge & Custard	Frozen Fruit Smoothie	Iced Muffin Cake
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



Stars of the Week



Reception – Anabella for increasing confidence in recognising words.

Class 1 – Jessica F for fantastic homework.

Class 2 – Elias for a humorous letter of complaint from a disgruntled Adélie penguin!

Virtues & Values Award - the whole school for showing the value of friendship on our joint R.E day at Henshaw on Monday.

Headteacher's Award – Maisie M for trying so hard with your handwriting and presentation and for putting a huge amount of effort into your school work! Well done!

RE Day

Thanks to Miss McCrea we had a very successful RE day based on our core values of Hope, Friendship and Respect. The children worked with local artist Chantelle Wilson to produce some fantastic pieces of artwork that will be displayed in the school entrance. The children also enjoyed spending time with their friends from Henshaw.

Safer Internet Day

All children participated in age appropriate Safer Internet activities and have been learning about how to stay safe on the internet. For more information please see www.saferinternet.org.uk

Attendance w/c

Reception	100%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	97.1%
Year 4	93.3%
Year 5	86.7%
Overall	96.9%

Learning Achievements

Reception: have been busy making gingerbread men for our mini tea party. They have been acting out different fairy tales and, in Maths, have been comparing and ordering weights.

Class 1: have been looking at towers around the world and creating fact sheets. They have been looking at equal and unequal groups in Maths.

Class 2: have done nothing but complain! They have written letters of complaints to a holiday company about the appalling sea voyage they took on the Sub Zero which unfortunately capsized while Captain James was at the helm. Their next complaint was as an Arctic animal grumbling about tourism and the negative impact this has on their environment. We were absolutely thrilled to welcome Conrad Dickinson, polar explorer, into class on Wednesday afternoon complete with polar equipment including Prince Harry's coat! His talk and slide show was a fitting end to our Frozen Kingdom topic.

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

Year 5 Bikeability training

Please can consent forms be returned by Monday, 19th February

Class 1

Please could children in Class 1 bring in old clothes to change into on the first day back after half term (they will be doing some messy work!).

Carlisle Colour run

Sunday 13th May, 2018. 11-4pm

As a Federation we would really like to participate in the Colour Run at Carlisle Racecourse in aid of Jigsaw-Cumbria's Children's Hospice.

Tickets are available at www.edenvalleyhospice.org

If you would like to participate with your child you would need to register and pay the fee online and then let us know on the form below.

Children's mental health week

We were lucky enough to have 'Relax Kids' back into school this week for a session with our Reception and Key Stage 1 children to do some activities based on 'Being Ourselves'

Stay and Share session

A huge thank you to everyone who came to our Stay and Share session on Wednesday. The children enjoyed sharing their work with you and we hope that you all enjoyed seeing the wonderful work that has been produced in school this term!

The Sill

The children in Key Stage 1 thoroughly enjoyed their visit to The Sill today. They heard all about local Nocturnal wildlife and had a tour of the fantastic facilities!

Non uniform day

The Young Leaders non-uniform day was very successful! Thank you to everyone who participated and made a donation. The funds have gone towards their first project...more details to follow!

Gardening Club

Mrs Makepeace will be starting a gardening club at dinner time on Mondays after half term – open to all ages.

Golf

The children in Key Stage 1 will be participating in golf sessions starting on Friday, 23rd February. We are very excited to be able to access this opportunity - future Ryder cup champions in the making!

Topics for the next half term are:

Key Stage 2 – Urban Pioneers

Key Stage 1 – Muck, Mess and Mixtures

Reception – What's that sound?

I am very impressed with the level of dedication to the curriculum topics from both the staff and the children. I have seen some brilliant pieces of homework and fantastic work in class. I am looking forward to seeing the same level of enthusiasm when we start back after half term.

Football Training

If your child attends football training at Henshaw on Fridays, please can we ask that they are signed in with Mr Livings when they arrive. Please complete the permission slip below.

Dance Festival, KS2

Key Stage 2 will be attending the Dance Festival at Allendale school on Tuesday, 27th March. They will be dancing to music from The Trolls and will need bright clothes and troll wigs.

Reading Rocketeers!

Congratulations to our Reading Rocketeers for this half term. They are:-

- Anabella Arthur
- Elizabeth Emma
- Everlyne Fraser

As a treat, we shall be having Afternoon Tea at the village Tea Rooms when we return after the holidays.

Have a lovely break everyone!

Yours,



Sarah Hutchinson
Executive Headteacher

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Name/s:

We will be participating in the Colour Run at Carlisle Racecourse and have registered and paid the fee online.

Signed (Parent/Carer)

Please return to the school by 26.2.18. Thank you

Football Training, KS2

My child will be attending Football Training at Henshaw on Fridays at 3.30pm. He/she will be signed in with Mr Livings upon arrival.

Signed

