



Henshaw CE Primary School Newsletter

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Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 23/4/18 (Please note: this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Tomato Pasta Bake, Sweetcorn & Homemade Bread	Quiche, New Potatoes and Salad	Chicken Goujon Pitta, Wedges and Salad	Mince Pie, New Potatoes, Green Beans & Beetroot	Pepperoni Pizza Slice Chips & Beans
Fruit Meringue	Angel Delight	Carrot Cake	Iced Muffin Cake	Fruit & Ice Cream
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



Stars of the Week



Reception Class - Lewis for putting in so much effort in all areas

Key Stage 1 - Seth for problem solving using pictograms and helping his peers

Key Stage 2 – Max for working independently in some of his Maths work this week

Values and Virtues Award – Macie for always sharing respect and determination to improve her presentation

Presentation Award – Matilda for producing neat and controlled writing in her work

Head Teachers Award - Lacey for fantastic independent writing!

Learning Achievements

Reception Class The highlight of our week had to be the outside fire, where we toasted marshmallows and made 'inside out wagon wheels'! We also enjoyed our first swimming lesson.

Key Stage 1 This week we have been looking at mini-beasts as part of our topic work.

Key Stage 2 This week we have started our 'Allotment' topic. Our Year 5 & 6 children have also completed their Bikeability training.

Attendance W/C 16/4/18

Reception	100%
Year 1	99.09%
Year 2	98.89%
Year 3	90%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	82%
Year 6	100%
Overall	96.85%

Welcome back everyone! I hope that you all had an enjoyable Easter break. The children have certainly had lots of exciting stories to share. The staff have been very busy preparing exciting lessons, activities and sporting opportunities for the children and are very much looking forward to starting the new half termly topic.

The topics for this half term are as follows:

Reception - Why are carrots orange?

Key Stage 1 - The scented garden

Key Stage 2 - Allotments

Diary Dates

Year 3 Football Festival – Thursday 26th April

Years 3/ 4 Corbridge Tennis Tournament - Friday 27th April

Young Leaders coffee afternoon – Tuesday 1st May

Year 5 Puberty talk – Thursday 3rd May

Bank holiday – Monday 7th May

Year 6 SAT's week – Monday 14th May-Friday 18th May

Sports Day – Friday 25th May - more details to follow

Half term – Friday 25th - Monday 4th June

School Council

Our School Council representatives this term are:-

Reception – Jayden

Year 1 - Caitlin

Year 2 – Macie

Year 3 – Micha

Year 4 – Eve

Year 5 – Georgia

Year 6 - Nikola

Calvert Trust Residential - Years 4, 5 and 6

Monday 2nd - Wednesday 4th July

More details regarding payment plan, itinerary and kit list to follow.

William Howard School - Year 5 Taster Day

The children in Year 5 had a fantastic time at William Howard School today. They had a tour of the Year 7 department, took part in a range of lessons and had a Mexican themed lunch!

Years 3 and 4 Tennis

Mr Dimmock has been into school this week to offer tennis coaching to our Year 3 and 4 children. A team of mixed Year 3 and 4 children from Henshaw and Greenhead will be selected to play in the tennis tournament at Corbridge on Friday 26th April.

Year 5 and 6 Bikeability

The children in Years 5 and 6 have taken part in Bikeability training this week. They have been learning all about cycling proficiency, road safety awareness and have worked together really well and managed to pass with flying colours!

School Photographs – Wednesday 25th April 8.30-10.30am

Mirror Image Photography will be coming into school on Wednesday morning for our children's school photographs.

Families are invited to come along at 8.30am if they would like a family group photograph.

Carnival Slips

Please could any outstanding carnival slips be returned to school on Monday please. If numbers remain low we will not be able to participate. Thank you

Celebration Assembly – Friday 27th April

Rev Carter will be leading a Celebration Assembly in All Hallow's Church, Henshaw on Friday 27th April at 2.30pm.
All welcome!

Bags 2 School Collection – 24.4.18

Just a reminder that our Bags 2 School collection is on Tuesday 24th April. If you have any unwanted clothes/shoes that you no longer need, please could you bring them in before this date.
Thank you for your support.

Calling all Singers!

Everyone is welcome to join the choir this Sunday at St Cuthbert's, Haydon Bridge, 10am (Rehearsal at 9.15am)

Gardening resources needed!

The children will be doing lots of gardening activities this term, as part of their topic work. If anyone has any seed trays/plant pots, plants /seeds or general gardening equipment they would like to donate to school, we would be very grateful!
Thank you.

Colour Run

Unfortunately due to the lack of response we will not be participating in the Colour Run in Carlisle on Sunday 13th May.

Governors Update

The WTCS Governors would like to invite parents to an Open Meeting to discuss the next stage of the NCC Consultation process on Tuesday 24th April, 3pm in Greenhead School Hall.

Easter Fayre

A big thank you to everyone who came along and supported our Easter Fayre at the end of last term. We raised a fantastic £440.97 from the event!

Yours



Mrs Sarah Hutchinson - Executive Head Teacher