



# FORTNIGHTLY NEWSLETTER

## School's out for summer.....

Well ..... we finally made it!

This has been a packed year within school and at times it has felt like it would never end; yet on the other hand, it seems only a moment ago the children were starting in their new classes last September.

On Friday we said 'goodbye' to our year 4 children. They entertained us with a fabulous 'Gogglebox' assembly. It truly was one of the best ones yet with brilliant performances by the entire class.

Thanks and a huge well done must also go to Mrs. Endacott for writing and arranging such a special final assembly for the children.

We also presented

Taso's Trophy during the leavers' assembly. This trophy is presented to one Year 4 child per year.

Taso was a child who attended our school And left Year 4 in 2003. He had been very poorly throughout his time in our school.

Despite going through years of surgeries and chemotherapy, he was always a happy, funny kind and gentle boy with an indomitable spirit and a love of sport—Taso was a fabulous goal keeper for our school team! Unfortunately a year after leaving our school Taso very sadly lost his fight.

So, in memory of an amazing little boy, we have awarded the 'Taso trophy' to one year 4 child each year since, who shares his qualities of being a great friend,

kind, gentle, funny and has a huge heart.....  
**WELL DONE LILY T—**  
We couldn't be more proud of you and we are sure your family and friends are too. What a fabulous achievement.



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## Building Works

As you are aware, Northumberland County Council has undertaken some major building works over the entire summer. You may have noticed within the last week the school has changed dramatically with everything in every room being packed away! This has been no mean feat as you will appreciate, whilst also functioning as a school and educating the children. We must extend a thank you to our adult helpers, especially Mrs. Redhead who was expecting to hear children read, when she came into school last week not move furniture! Also thanks to our support staff and teachers who have been amazing. School is now all ready for work to commence Monday 23rd and although it looks sad now, we are sure it will look amazing come September.



Important Dates:

03.09.18—  
Teacher  
Training Day

04.09.18—  
School  
resumes for  
the  
children.



ANNUAL WINNER—  
YEAR 2!  
WELL DONE.



ANNUAL  
WINNER—EAGLES!  
WELL DONE TO  
YOU ALL.

UPDATES:

We will continue to update the school website and app across the summer. So please don't forget to check out the 'latest information' areas of these for updates.

It may only be to let you know how the works are progressing—but we aim to keep you as informed as possible over the coming weeks.

Food Bank Donations

Thank you to everyone who has contributed food items to the scheme. We will be continuing this next academic year, so please continue to collect suitable food items over the summer.

Our first collection will be Friday 7th September.

Many thanks.

Governor News:

Mrs Gillian Vince visited school last week to evaluate the provision for children with Special Needs. Mrs Vince will provide a short update in September but she was most impressed with the progress these pupils have made this year.



We said 'goodbye' to two staff members on Friday also. Miss Young has been our Year 3 teacher since March 2017, (taking over from Miss. Ryland following her illness) and leaves to take up a temporary teaching post in North Tyneside. Also, Mrs. Curtis our much loved Teaching Assistant who has been with school for a few years now. Originally she joined us on supply but was brought onto staff in 2016. She leaves us to take up a nursery management position. However, we are reassured that although she moves on to pastures new, we will still see her in school as a volunteer!  
We wish you both luck in your new Positions.

FOOTBALL

Mr Anderson presented our team players with their medals in a special assembly on Tuesday, along with naming his 'Manager's Player' Trophy winners. A huge well done to Jimmy and Alfie for receiving these special awards.

We are very proud and wish to thank you all for representing our school so well.



King and Queen of the Prom

Tuesday saw the school hall transformed into a prom setting for our Year 4 leavers' party. The children voted on which boy and girl in their class was a good friend and deserved to be crowned Prom King and Queen.....

Well done to Jimmy and Courtney!

They made a fabulously regal pair at the party!

AWARDS ASSEMBLY

This went exceptionally well, with awards given out for reading, attendance, football and monitor duties.

We are exceptionally proud of everyone in school and the quantity of awards we had to give out shows just what an amazing bunch of children we have in our school!

Keep being amazing over the summer—keep reading (Don't forget the summer reading challenge!) and we look forward to seeing you all refreshed in September.

Have a great summer!