

Newsletter

Friday 13th September 2019

Clubs:

Every day – Breakfast Club from 7:30 am
(Please note that children must arrive before 8:30am).

Monday	@ 3:15 Dance KS2 @ 3:15 Cook Club Y1-Y6 @ 3:15 Book Club Y1-Y6
Tuesday	@ 3:15 Harmonica Y6,5 & 4 @ 3:15 Film Club @ 3:15 Eco Club
Wednesday	@ 12:30 Sport Y1 @ 3:15 Frisbee KS2
Thursday	@ 12:30 Sport Y2 @ 3:15 Homework Club Y5/Y6 @ 3:15 Sewing Club Y3/Y4 @ 3:13 Un Deux Trois Y1/Y2 @ 3:15 Multisports KS1
Friday	@ 12:30 Sport Y3 @ 3:15 Football KS1 @ 3:15 Board Games KS2

Monday 16th September

Y4 1st Holy Communion meeting @ 3:15pm

Tuesday 17th September

Y1 to Rising Sun Country Park
Y2 Open-top bus city tour

Wednesday 18th September

Y3 to Centre for Life

Tuesday 24th September

Y4 Kielder Residential meeting @ 3:15pm

Friday 27th September

Y6 Hoops4Health Tournament

Tuesday 1st October

Y4 Sacramental Preparation @ 3:15pm

Thursday 10th Friday 11th October

Y4 Residential at Kielder Forest

Monday 14th October

Barnabas in School

Tuesday 15th October

Y5 Bikeability (Day 1)

Wednesday 16th October

Y5 Bikeability (Day 2)

Monday 21st October

School Photos

Wednesday 23rd October

Mass @ 9:15 (everyone welcome)
Parents Evening

Thursday 24th October

Y5 Mini Vinnies Induction @ 2:30pm

Please see the school website for more events.

Year 6 are studying The Tudors in history. As part of their investigation into lifestyle differences for people in the 15th/16th Century, the children spent Tuesday at Old Washington Hall. They looked at the lifestyle of a courtier and the lifestyle of a serf: as our Year 6 pupils have very luxurious tastes it didn't take long to decide which they preferred.



Congratulations to the pupils elected, by their class mates, for the roles of School Councillor and Class Ambassador.



We're collecting **Aldi's Kit for School** stickers



ATTENDANCE

*“Central to raising standards in education and ensuring all pupils can fulfil their potential is an assumption so widely understood that it is insufficiently stated – **pupils need to attend school regularly to benefit from their education.** DfE 2013*



In history, Y5 are learning about the Anglo-Saxons. So on Thursday, to help them with their studies, the children spent the day in the Saxon village at Jarrow Hall. It was a very busy day packed with exciting and educational activities: farming, weaving and even taking part in a battle! Fortunately, they all returned in one piece.



Attendance	
Class	Attendance
Reception	n/a
Year 1	84.4%
Year 2	94.0%
Year 3	96.7%
Year 4	93.8%
Year 5	84.4%
Year 6	100%
Total	92.2%

What a stunning result from Y6, bravo! Overall, it's a deeply disappointing start to the new school year for many of our classes. The first few days of a new academic year are critical in helping the children adjust and settle-in to their new classroom and new school routines. The local authority will be contacting parents who have chosen to take their children out of school during term time. It was good to see the Winits Emporium open for business again this week.

Ruby (Year 4) loves knock-knock jokes. Here's one of her favourites:

Knock, knock.
Who's there?
Lettuce.
Lettuce who?

Lettuce in, I've been knocking at this door for ages!



Next week's statement to live by is

I can say how I feel