Important Dates

Monday 10th December—Y4 Celebration event-parents invited 9.15am-10.15am.



Tuesday 11th December—Y5 Celebration event-parents invited 9am-10am.

Wednesday 12th December—EY Nativity-parents invited prompt start 9.10am. **Wednesday 12th December**—Y4 Trip to Walker Activity Dome.

Wednesday 12th December—Y3 Celebration event at Newcastle City Library-parents invited 2pm-3pm

Thursday 13th December—Singing club to sing at Newcastle Building Society-parents invited 10.30am-11.30am

Thursday 13th December—Singing club to sing at Eldon Square-parents invited 2pm-3pm.

Friday 14th December—Christmas Jumper Day.

Friday 14th December—Christmas Fair 2.30pm-4pm.

Tuesday 18th December—KS1 Christmas party. 1.30pm-3.30pm

Wednesday 19th December—Y1 & Y2 performance-parents invited prompt start 9.10am (please note it's not a Christmas theme).

Wednesday 19th December—YN & YR Christmas party, 1.30pm-3.30pm (Nursery to attend in the afternoon).

Thursday 20th December—Y5 Nativity & Carol Concert (YR-Y6 singing)-parents invited , prompt start 9.10am

Thursday 20th December—KS2 Christmas party, 1.30pm-3.30pm

Friday 21st December—Christmas Dinner.

Friday 21st December—Break up for Christmas.

Monday 7th January—All pupils return back to school.

Late's last week..

YR-3 Y1-1 Y2-5 Y3-6

Y4-1 Y5-1 Y6-5

Early is on time. On time is late. Late is unacceptable.

In assembly this week...

We spoke about our Core value this half term –teamwork. We discussed different types of teams, why teams work together, why it's important and then thought about how this affects us in school. You might want to ask your child how this also affects teamwork at home too.

Successful Learners

YR-Devpreet for showing a sense of community during our nativity rehearsal's.

Abdullah U for great teamwork during tidy up time.

Y1-Sophia for always demonstrating our school values. You have been super caring.

Taylor for showing great perseverance when writing in Maths and English and working really hard.

Y2-Rowan for showing great teamwork ensuring her team members remembered to put their gems into their class jars to support Bamburgh.

Khayman for great perseverance when creating and performing lines

Y3-Layton for trying so hard to complete all of his work this week and putting lots of effort into everything he does!

Aisha for having a fantastic attitude towards school and for putting in 100% effort.

Y4-Molly for trying really hard to listen carefully to instructions and for showing a positive attitude to learning.

 $\mbox{\rm Max}$ for caring about the Year 4 classroom and always offering to tidy up.

Y5-Hssah for coming into a new school and having a positive attitude towards learning and showing great teamwork skills in guided English

Each half term we will be focusing on one of our core School Values. This half term our school value is Teamwork. Assemblies and awards will be focused around this theme. Please ask your child about our theme and what they have been learning.





SMART- Half-Term Attendance challenge

Registration Group	%
Year 6	98%
Year 2	97%
Year 5	97%
Year 3	96%
Year 4	95%
Year 1	95%
Reception	93%

Group' who are based in the Church of Ascension to add to their Shoe Boxes Congratulations also to Leyland who won the jar of sweets and Yousaf who won the giant teddy bear. Thank you again – it was lovely to see so many of you there.









Singing club Eldon Square

On Thursday 13th December our wonderful singing club will be performing not once but twice! At 10.30am until 11.30am they will be performing at the Newcastle Building Society on Gosforth High Street. From 2.15pm - 2.45pm they will be performing in Eldon Square (outside New Look). They would love to see as many supporters there as possible; the children have worked incredibly hard and your support is very important to us.

Christmas Jumper Day

Wyndham School Council would like to invite all pupils, staff, families and friends to take part in this year's Save the Children CHRISTMAS JUMPER Day on Friday 14th December. This is a wonderfully festive opportunity for our chil-



dren to help those children less fortunate than themselves. Everyone is encouraged to wear a Christmas Jumper and donate £1 to this very worthwhile cause. More information can be found on the Save the Children website.

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book page.

As part of the year 6 project this term 'Why is sport and physical activity important?' they have been planning inter-house tournaments for KS1, LKS2 and UKS2. They announced this in assembly this morning, using their recent Literacy lessons on persuasion to convince pupils from Year 1 to 6 to take part. ... The dates have now been set and confirmed: Monday 10th - LKS2, Year 3 and 4 - Hi 5 Netball, Wednesday12th - KS1, Year 1 and 2 - Multi skills Thursday 13th - UKS2, Year 5 and 6 - Hi 5 Netball. Please can you ensure that your child will have their PE kit in school on the above days. Due to timings and space we apologies but parents/carers/friends are not invited to watch these

events, but we will be sure to post plenty of photographs on the school face-

Early Years Nativity

On Wednesday 12th December at 9.15 a.m. Reception and Nursery pupils will be performing their Early Years Nativity. Our Early Years staff have all of the costumes ready and if you would like to drop your child of at Early Years at the earlier time of 8.30 a.m. on this day the staff will get the children ready while you find a seat in the school hall.

New baby boy

Congratulations to Mrs Houckham and her husband on the birth of their baby boy, Tommy Joseph. Both baby and mummy are doing very well.



Christmas Collection

We are still collecting selection boxes and other chocolate gifts to share with the People's Kitchen for Christmas. So you might want to consider adding a little more into your shopping basket when shopping over the next couple of weeks to share with those who are less fortunate. Thank you to all of you that have already made a donation.



