

Newcomen Newsflash

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Friday, 20 October 2023

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

We hope this finds you all keeping well. Unfortunately, we have to share with you the fact that our dear Mr Atkinson will be leaving us at the end of this half term. It has been a very difficult decision for him to make to leave us after seven years at Newcomen Primary School; he started with us at the tender age of sixteen. Mr Atkinson will be taking up a new career as a bus driver. We all wish him the best of luck and will miss him very much.

Reminders:

- Our parent/carer consultations will take place in school next week. Please contact the school office if you haven't already made an appointment.
- Year 1 are walking to Locke Park on the afternoon of Tuesday, 24 October. Please ensure the children have suitable walking shoes, a waterproof coat and a woolly hat. The children will be back at school for normal finishing time.
- Year 5 are completing leadership training at Middlesbrough Football Club Eston on Wednesday, 25 October 2023. The children will be back to school at **approx. 3:30pm.**

Key Stage 1: Congratulations to Mrs Hood's class, for receiving a visit from Leonardo this week. 100% of the children scored 100% in their spelling test. Well done Class 4!

Key Stage 2: Congratulations to Mr Jones' and Miss Mrozik's classes for receiving a visit from Leonardo this week. 95% of the children scored 100% in their spelling test. Well done Classes 11 & 12!

Our birthday children for this week are Daniel Bruce, Johanna Morgan, Olie Rugg, Sadie Stubbs and Oscar Crane.

A special mention to Mr Roberts who celebrated his 60th birthday this week. Many happy returns to you all.



Read, Enjoy and Discover Award (Reading for Pleasure):

Xavier Kirk, James Walker, Mila Mitchell, Harrison Hewitt, Autumn Campbell-Wilson, Johanna Morgan and James Donnelly.

Our Headteacher's award this week is for Being a Good Friend: Sadie Stubbs, Preston Feetham, Thea-Rae Knox, Dre Jones, Isla Lowndes, Scarlett Todd, Lola Oakley, Ebony Bellas, Ella-Mai Carne, Joe Miller, Isabella-Mae Broadhead, Logan Byrne, Leon Brickle, Olie Rugg and Poppy Brown.



Out of School Achievements:

Olivia Lucas-Barker – Cleveland Wheelers u6's: 3rd place in the cycling/cross competition and trophy for Most Improved Rider;

Jessica Lucas-Barker – Cleveland Wheelers u6's: 1st place in the cycling/cross competition;

Leo Lucas-Barker – Cleveland Wheelers u10's: 3rd place in the cycling/cross competition;

Jack Gutteridge – Learn 2 Swim stage 2 and Ducklings stages 3 & 4;

Archie Coaker – Scottish Borders Enduro Club Falahill Kids 2023 Finisher Award.

Our Christmas Craft night will take place on Thursday, 30 November 2023 from 5:00pm until 7:00pm.

Year 6 are kindly asking for clean GU pudding dishes to help with one of the craft items.



We need 150 jars!

Class attendance this week goes to Mr Pajak's class with 99.2%. Closely followed by Mrs Tickle's Class with 99.1% and Mr Riches class with 99%. Well done Classes 14, 3 and 8!

Tidiest cloakroom: Mrs Hood's class. Well done Class 4!

Please see separate Parentmail (written by children on School Council) regarding exciting Halloween news.

Have a lovely weekend everyone, stay warm and take care

Miss Puztai, Staff and Governors of Newcomen Primary School

School breaks up for half term on Friday, 27 October 2023.

Pupils return on Monday, 6 November 2023



Happy
Halloween

