



Newcomen Newsflash

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Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

Thank you so much for your amazingly generous support with our Sponsored Spell 2024. Together we have so far raised £2807.00 – phenomenal! All money raised will be spent on reading books for our children and additional outdoor play equipment. Thank you so much for your support.

As part of the Creating Active Schools program that Newcomen Primary School is currently enrolled in, we are delighted to announce that we have secured a £3000 grant to enhance our outdoor provision with a focus on promoting physical activity and development.

Y5 pupils Jessica Carter, Aaron Park, Sydney-Rae Clarke and Jensen Raine pitched the school's plan and vision to the School Sports Partnership Team as part of a Dragon's Den style funding round. The feedback from the Dragons was an unequivocal yes! They were extremely impressed with their presentation skills and innovative ideas. Well done to all the children in school for helping drive this very important initiative.

On Wednesday, we had a very successful first wellbeing walk. Please join us next Wednesday if you can. We will be leaving the Hudson Wing at 8:40am and the walk will last approximately an hour. We look forward to seeing you.

Well done to our school football team who won 4 – 1 at home against Grangetown Primary on Monday. 🏆 ⚽

Our Reception children have been collecting for our local foodbank at Newcomen Church and delivered their donations this morning.

The foodbank are also collecting tinned pet food to donate to our local elderly resident pet owners. If you would like to donate, please take your donation to Newcomen Church, Troutbeck Road, Redcar. Thank you for your generous donations; it is so important to support our local community.

Please can we ask our Nursery parents to label their children's clothes, especially jumpers and cardigans. Many thanks as always.

Laminated copies of our summer term diary dates will be available outside the main Reception each day should you wish to take one.

This week's Online Safety Focus:
What parents and carers need to know about Friends and Followers.

Reminders for next week:

- Monday, 22 April – The Seal Conservation Trust are visiting Eco Club;
- Wednesday, 24 April - Year 1 are attending The Tortoise and the Hare at Middlesbrough Little Theatre. Pupils are expected back into school at 3:15pm;
- Wednesday, 24 April – Class 7 sports event at Redcar Cricket Club. Pupils are expected back into school at 3:10pm;
- Thursday, 25 April – Class 4 sports event at Redcar College. Pupils will be back in time for the end of the school day.

Our birthday children for this week are: William Revell, Poppy-Jane Golden and Harry Marsden. Many happy returns to you all.

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

Leo Holland, Teddy Ridsdale, Joe Miller, Willow Guyer, Harrison Hewitt, Autumn Campbell-Wilson, Johanna Morgan, Lydia Coates, Halle Jones, James Donnelly, Oliver Scrafton and Isabelle Pidgeon.

Home Reading award:

100 times: Amelia Elsy, Jasper Jones,
150 times: Violet Cassidy, Jessie Oxendale-Hunter,
200 times: Silas Burnett, Ella-Mai Carne,
Well done to you all. Keep reading and enjoying!
Remember reading gives you knowledge and knowledge is power!

Our Head Teacher's Award this week is for Commitment to Spellings:

Piper McCormick, Yaran Hassan, Archie Campbell-Jarvis, Mariia Kuzhel, Max Gamble-Thompson, Mason Feetham, Charlie Murrell, Akaran Vinothan, Colton Canwell, Spencer Main, Jessica Carter, Phoenix Hart, Skye Knox and Matthew Millington.

Out of School Achievements:

Elena Learman – Swim England Learn to Swim stage 5 and Rainbow Distance 25 metres;
Lola Oakley – Swim England Rainbow Distance 10 metres and Duckling Award level 3 and 4;
Agnes Phoenix – 1st Redcar Rainbow Brownies – Rainbow Bronze, Book Lover, Rainbow skills for my future and Live Smart stage 1 badges;
Henry Kyme – Beavers - Creative, Health & Fitness, International, Joining in and Explore badges;
Willow Guyer – Redcar Town Wildcats football trophy for performing a great tackle;
Mika Ashby – Pauline Quirke Academy performance in scenes 3 & 5 of “Across the line” at a theatre in London’s West End.

Class attendance this week goes to Mrs Wing’s class with 99.2%. Well done Class 10!
Joint 2nd were Mr Evans’ and Mrs Whitehead’s classes with 98.9%. 3rd place goes to Mrs Nixon’s class with 98.7%.
A very well done to you all.

Tidiest cloakroom: Mrs Hague & Mrs Collinson’s class. Well done Class 9!

Have a lovely weekend everyone and take care
Miss Puztai, Staff and Governors of Newcomen Primary School

**School will be closed on:
Monday, 6 May 2023 – May Bank Holiday**