



'The pathway to success'

Woodhouse Community Primary School

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Summer Term

Weekly Newsletter – Friday 26th June 2015

Important E Safety Message from the Local Authority: I have included an important message from the Local Authority regarding incidents involving Instagram and Snapchat. If you experience any such concerns, please report using the advice outlined below:

E Safety Message from the Local Authority:

Reporting Incidents on Instagram and Snapchat

*Some schools have reported incidents of children being sent inappropriate and potentially illegal images by people they do not know. **Durham Police have advised that they would like all such incidents reported to the Police by contacting them on 101.** This will then be investigated, possibly by sending a local officer to the school.*

Y5 Curriculum Week: Well done to all of our Y5 pupils who have attended Bishop Barrington as part of their Curriculum Week transition programme. The staff have reported the behaviour and attitude of our pupils to be fabulous, which is an excellent reflection on our school, well done Year 5!

Road Safety Ambassadors: Our two JRSO (Junior Road Safety Officers) Dylan and Phebe in Y3 were invited to attend County Hall to give a presentation to councillors and members of Durham Police, about the work we have been doing in school to promote road safety in our community. The children then stayed for lunch and 'networked' with the other JRSO's from schools across Durham. As ever, the children were fantastic ambassadors for our school and Mrs Makinson reports that, as the youngest members there, were confident, articulate presenters. Well done to you both!

Y6 Hamsterley Forest Cycling Event: Half of Year 6 visited Hamsterley Forest today, to take part in an exciting cycle challenge. This has built upon some school- based sessions to promote safe cycling and the children thoroughly enjoyed the day (as did Miss Fitch: thank you!)

Pupils of the Week:

Reception: Laura J; for fabulous letter writing

Y1: Riley J for working hard in all areas and having a positive attitude!

Y2: Alfie; for fabulous maths work and settling into his new class so brilliantly

Y3: ElliMae W; for a super Hindu God using clay

Y4: for all the children who attended Auckland Castle demonstrating outstanding behaviour!

Y5: Joshua J; for having a really positive attitude in all areas all week (and a huge smile)

Y6: Morgan M for setting a wonderful example to others and being a super role model throughout the school

Astronomical Attendance: Thank you for a much better week of attendance this week, everyone. The overall winners are Class 6, what a great improvement, keep it up!

YR: 94 %

Y1: 93.1%

Y2: 92.8%

Y3: 93.8%

Y4: 92.6%

Y5: 92.6%

Y6: 94.1%

Remember! We are aiming to have at least 95% attendance for every class, every week: let's see if we can make this term the best attendance yet!





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Lunchtime Supervisor's Good manners award this week goes to Nathaniel for always having impeccable manners, being very helpful and outstanding behaviour, setting an excellent example to others: well done!

Dates for your Diary: (please also check the school website diary pages for key dates throughout the year)

Monday 1 st June	RETURN TO SCHOOL
Tuesday 30 th June	Year 5 Bike Skills (on yard, bring own bikes)
Thursday 2 nd July	Y6 Hamsterley Forest cycling trip (1/2 class)
Friday 3 rd July 1pm	EYFS Meeting for 2 Year olds
Monday 6 th July	Y5 Hamsterley Forest cycling trip (1/2 class)
Monday 6 th July 9.00am	New Nursery / Reception Parents meeting
Tuesday 7 th July	Y5 Hamsterley Forest cycling trip (1/2 class)
Tuesday 7 th July 9.10am	Y1 Transition Meeting
Wednesday 8 th – Friday 10 th July	Y6 Transition Visits to Secondary School
Monday 13 th July	Sports Day: Y3 /4: 9.15-10.30am Y5/6: 11.00 – 12.15 Y1/2: 1.15- 2.15pm
Tuesday 14 th July	House Games in school
Wednesday 15 th July 9.15am	EYFS Sports Day
Wednesday 15 th July 9.15am	Summer Term Outstanding Behaviour Trip
Wednesday 15 th July	Summer Fayre & SUDs Launch
Thursday 16 th July	EYFS Graduation Ceremony
Thursday 16 th July 4-7pm	Year 6 Leavers Prom (parents invited 6-7pm)

Mrs Page
Headteacher



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