



Greystoke Newsletter

Magical Maths

Our children enjoyed an assembly last Thursday from the team who run Magical Maths. The maths detective wowed the children with his amazing mental calculations, calculating four sets of 2-4 digit numbers in his head in seconds. The aim of the assembly was to show that maths can be fun and enjoyable. A leaflet regarding an after school club was sent home with the children last Thursday.



Year 6 SATs

The year 6 children will be sitting their SATs next week from Monday 8th - Thursday 11th May. Please ensure that all children have a good breakfast, are in school on time and that appointments are not booked during that week. All tests have to be sat on the day specified by the Department for Education and therefore, cannot be changed.

PTA Meeting

The next meeting will take place on Thursday 4th May at 7.30pm at The Plough, Littlethorpe. All parents/volunteers, old and new are welcome. We are only able to plan/run events with your help!

Thank you to all the children that purchased the Mother's Day floral surprise and entered the Easter PTA competition. We managed to raise a total of £222.23 for the school.

If anyone would like to join us or help out at any events but are unable to make the evening meeting, please contact us through the school office.

School Uniform

Please remember that the colours for our school uniform are grey and royal blue, black skirts and trousers therefore, should not be worn.

As the summer is approaching, could parents please make sure that children come to school in sensible shoes with closed toes for safety reasons. Open toe sandals should not be worn.

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House Points

Dragons	116
Minotaurs	120
Phoenix	131
Unicorns	118

Well done Phoenix!

With this newsletter:

- Stanley Head Residential Year 5

Football Match

Well done to both the girls and boys teams who won at Danemill last week, through brilliant team work. 4-0 for the girls, 3-1 for the boys.

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Term Dates: 2016/2017

School Dates:

Summer

Half Term - Monday 29th May - Friday
2nd June 2017
School closes Thursday evening 13th
July 2017 for Summer Holiday

Autumn

School opens Tuesday 29th August
2017
Half Term - Monday 16th - Friday
20th October 2017
School closes Wednesday evening
20th December 2017

School Dates:

Thursday 4th May - Blue Class
Assembly
Thursday 4th May - Twycross Zoo
Year 2 Visit
Friday 5th May - Creepy Crawlies
Workshop Year 3/4
Monday 8th - Thursday 11th May -
Year 6 SATs
Wednesday 10th May - Brockshill
Year 1 Visit
Wednesday 10th - Friday 12th May -
Kingswood Year 4 Residential
Friday 19th May - Botanical Gardens
Reception Visit
Thursday 25th May - Magenta Class
Assembly

Certificates

Last week certificates were awarded to:
Ethan in Emerald Class for his fantastic motivation in
all learning, including, a thorough big write and a fab
explanation of the forces acting on parachutes.
Joseph from Crimson Class for his great
understanding of grammar in English this week.
In Aquamarine Class Skye for being a good role
model, always being cheerful and helpful!
Indy from Magenta Class for settling in so well to her
new school and becoming a valued friend.
From Turquoise Class George for his improved
concentration and ideas and also Oliver for his
accuracy in French.
Henry from Violet Class for persevering with his
maths, especially with subtraction.
Emily from Purple Class for her team work in PE.
From Green Class Caelan for his great reasoning in
maths and a super story for his homework.
In Blue Class Zelda for super reading of words in
phonics and using a number line to add numbers
together by counting on.
Nursery were pleased with Samuel last week, for his
excellent road safety knowledge and poster.

A **20* Certificate** was awarded to Lillybelle from
Green Class.

10* Certificates were awarded to Finlay and
Freya-Louise also from Green Class and Sam from
Aquamarine Class.
Well done to you all.

Learn to Play Squash

The Pavilion (Huncote Leisure centre) will be offering
free junior squash coaching with Joe Green (former
Leicestershire squash team) on Friday 5th May
4pm-5.30pm for children aged 7-14.



To book call The Pavilion
reception on 0116 2750246 to
book a place. Spaces are limited
so early booking is advisable.
All equipment is provided.

Dinner Menu

The menu from the kitchen for hot lunches was due
to be changed on Monday of next week, this has now
been postponed until after the May half term. The old
menu will carry on with Monday 8th May becoming
week 1 again. New dinner menus will be sent out
before the holiday.