

Greystoke Newsletter



Cinderella Rockerfella

Our year 5/6 children gave a superb performance last week of Cinderella Rockerfella. The story was a musical version of Cinderella with a talent show thrown in for good measure. In true pantomime style, good overcame evil and they all lived happily ever after!

The children thoroughly enjoyed performing, the singing was really powerful and the audience participation was great. Many thanks to the parents for providing such flamboyant costumes, it really added to the look of the show.

Thank you to all the staff in year 5/6 for all your hard work and all the cast for making it an excellent show.

Before and After School Club

There are still spaces available for our before and after school club starting in the new school year. The club is run on the school site and is staffed by Mrs Potter, Mrs Smith and Mrs Arscott who are known to all the children. The children currently in the club are having fun whether it is playing games, going outside, a spot of gardening or building something!

Please see the office if you would like further details.

Nursery Places

There are still sessions available in our nursery for the new academic year both in the morning and afternoon. If you would like any additional sessions please call into the office to check on availability.

Pupil Premium

All children in reception to year 2 are currently entitled to universal free meals, however, your child may also be entitled to **receive additional funding**. This funding is called pupil premium and is available to parents receiving certain benefits. Pupil premium money can be used to support your child's learning and to **fund trips and uniform**. If you would like further details please call in at the office.

School Reports

School reports will be sent home with your child next Wednesday 11th July. Please could parents return the acknowledgement slip back to the office as soon as possible to say the report has been received.

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House Points

Dragons	95
Minotaurs	116
Phoenix	95
Unicorns	83

Well done Minotaurs

With this newsletter:

- Holiday Bible Club



Sports Day

Sports day is planned for next Wednesday 11th July. KS1 children will start at 10am and KS2 will be after lunch at 1.30pm. Parents, carers and grandparents are welcome to join us. If the weather stays hot we would ask that children come in with suncream on and bring hats and water bottles with them.



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Diary Dates

Term Dates 2017/2018

Summer Term

School Closes Friday 13th July

Autumn Term

School Opens Thursday 30th August
October Half Term Monday 15th to
Friday 19th October
School Closes Friday Evening 21st
December

School Dates:

Thursday 5th July - Green Class
Assembly
Monday 9th July - Stanley Head
meeting at 5.30pm
Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th July -
Year 6 Induction Days at Brockington
Wednesday 11th July - Reports Due
Out
Wednesday 11th July - Sports Day
Thursday 12th July - Bowling Year 6

Menu Change

To celebrate the end of term, the kitchen will be making a change to the advertised menu on **Friday 13th July**. Instead of the advertised menu it will be a Seaside Menu of Fish and Chips followed by ice cream.

Leavers Assembly

There will be an assembly for the year 6 leavers on Friday 13th July at 9am. Parents of leavers are welcome to attend.

Certificates

Last week certificates were awarded to:
Alex from Emerald Class for his super ideas for a business plan at the Year 5 conference and Oliver for his excellent achievement in his maths assessment. Lillia from Magenta class for her great work on the topic of Denmark.
From Violet Class Tyler for his huge improvement with his behaviour.
In Purple Class Kornelia for using curiosity in her research.
Nursery were pleased last week with Louis for his fantastic name writing and pencil control and Osian for his brilliant work on patterns.
10 Star Certificates were awarded to Drew, Zena, Lillia and Kaiya from Magenta Class and Amelia and Madeleine from Violet Class.
Well done to you all.

Inspirational Conference

Year 5 enjoyed their inspirational conference last week in Kibworth. They filled the day creating splatter art, doing chemistry experiments, flying drones and putting videos onto green screens. There were people there offering advice on business plans and Stomp helping the children make recycled musical instruments to play.
Dr Kirwan Martin also spoke about the charity ASHA and how it helps children in New Delhi get an education and how important this work is.
The children were really engaged in the whole event and had a fantastic time.

DSAT Awards Evening

A special mention for Lily in Aquamarine Class who was a finalist at our DSAT awards evening on Friday night for her fine art skills and also to one of our parents Vicky Turbin for all the help and support she gives to the school. Well done to you both!

Library Books

As it nears the end of term, we are recalling all books to our library. Please could you have a hunt around at home and return all books with your child.



Library Competition

Well done to all our winners in the library design a Super-Hero Competition, especially to Hugo from Turquoise Class who was the overall Gold winner.