



# Greystoke Newsletter

## Odd Sock Day

Greystoke will be supporting an anti-bullying initiative on Monday 12th November to celebrate what makes us all unique by wearing odd socks. All children need to do is wear odd socks for the day. The school will be supporting the day with other activities and an assembly.



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### House Points

Dragons	188
Minotaurs	216
Phoenix	225
Unicorns	189

Well done Phoenix!



## Children in Need

On Friday 16th November Greystoke will be supporting the BBC's Children in Need appeal in a spotacular style! We are asking that children come into school wearing something spotty and donate £1 to this charity.

### With this newsletter:

- Snow White Production

## Decorations Afternoon Date Change

**Due to unforeseen circumstances the date for the Christmas decorations afternoon has had to change to Wednesday 28th November, we are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.**

All parents/carers are welcome to come and join us on this day for our annual **afternoon** of festive fun. This is a Christmas craft afternoon where you can join your child's class and help make Christmas decorations.



The afternoon starts at **1.30pm**.

**Unfortunately, we are unable to accommodate younger children and babies in school on this day due to health and safety reasons.**

We hope you can join us, it is a lovely start to the festive season.

## Poppy Appeal

We will be supporting the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal again this year with a range of goods on sale during **break time in The Book Nook**. Rulers are priced at £1 with pencils, sharpeners, rubbers and poppy reflectors priced at 50p. We are asking for a donation of 50p for Poppies. There are no slap bands left for sale. Please try and bring the exact amount as we are not able to give change and support this charity.



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## Term Dates

### **Autumn Term 2018**

School closes Friday evening 21st  
December for Christmas

### **Spring Term 2019**

School Opens Tuesday 8th January  
2019  
February Half Term Monday 18th -  
Friday 22nd February  
School Closes Friday Evening 12th  
April

### **Summer Term 2019**

School Opens Monday 29th April  
May Day - Monday 6th May  
May Half Term Monday 27th May -  
Friday 31st May  
School Closes Friday evening 12th  
July 2019

## School Dates:

Thursday 8th November - Warwick  
Castle Visit Year 5  
Thursday 8th November - Botanic  
Gardens Visit Year 2  
Friday 16th November - Children in  
Need  
Thursday 22nd November - Emerald  
Class Assembly  
Wednesday 28th November - Christ-  
mas Decorations Afternoon  
Friday 30th November - Flu  
Immunisation

## **Certificates**

Last week certificates were awarded to:  
Isabelle from Aquamarine Class for her perseverance  
and hard work in maths.  
From Indigo Class Lucy for creating a fantastic guide  
to looking after a miptor.  
In Crimson Class Lia for her phenomenal piece of  
writing using high level language.  
Arthur from Emerald Class for his outstanding effort in  
his topic homework.  
From Magenta Class Robert for his perseverance in  
maths.  
In Turquoise Class Michael for producing more  
detailed work in his science lesson.  
From Violet Class Phoenix for her perseverance and  
improved quality in all her work.  
Kaden-James from Purple Class for improving his  
independence in writing.  
Skye in Green Class for showing independence in  
learning and showing enthusiasm in all lessons.  
In Orange Class Hollie for having a good knowledge  
of plants and investigating what conditions they need  
to grow.  
From Red Class Darcey for talking about and sorting  
nocturnal and diurnal animals.  
Theo from Blue Class for his great work in one less in  
maths.  
Nursery were pleased last week with Bruno and Axel  
for their great models of a shark and a dog and also  
Phoebe for her great descriptive words whilst tasting  
fruit and vegetables.

## **Crimson Class Assembly**

Last Thursday Crimson Class performed their  
assembly on the topic that they completed before half  
term: the war of the worlds. The assembly started in a  
rather dramatic way with a small re-enactment of the  
original radio broadcast announcing aliens had  
landed!

The children had worked independently to come up  
with ideas for the assembly, they sang a song from  
the musical, they talked about reading the book by  
HG Wells and showed wire sculpture models they  
had created.

Well done to Mr Batting and Crimson Class for a  
brilliant assembly

## **Residential Deposits**

Deposits for residential trips to Beaumanor Hall,  
Kingswood and Stanley Head are due in this Friday  
9th November. £30 secures your child's place.