



Newsletter for Parents and Carers: 15/11/19

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Parking: It is illegal to park in front of the school gate! Car registrations will be reported to the Council.



Message from Nexus: This is to highlight the dangers surrounding the Level Crossing at Howdon Metro Station as there have been a number of incidents. Drivers are reporting that there have been multiple incidents of children messing around close to the Metro lines. The railway is not a playground and we need to treat it with the respect it deserves.

Over the last few weeks the Film Festival has taken place. Every class from Year 1 to Year 6 have attended various cinemas to watch different films. Year 6 Lions have had an excellent morning at the Everyman Cinema in Newcastle watching Rotten Romans. Not only did we watch a fantastic film; we also learned about how films are classified from the BBFC!



Dragons received a letter today from one of the three little pigs asking for help choosing the best material for the roof of his brick house, he didn't want the rain getting in. We started investigating different materials to see which were strong and waterproof. We discussed different types of materials and how to perform a fair test. Later on we wrote to Pig to tell him what we had found out.

This week in nursery we have been exploring autumn. We have been collecting items to sort by colour and by size. We have also explored bonfire night making our own paper fireworks, drawing firework pictures and creating our own edible sparklers.



Attendance Update

Our Attendance Christmas Hamper competition will run from Monday, 18th November until Thursday, 19th December. To ensure that you are entered into the prize draw you will need to attend school every day i.e. 100%! The hamper will consist of games, activities and sweets for the lucky winner to enjoy over the Christmas period. Good Luck everyone.



Diary Dates

Monday, 18th November	Y5 & Y6 Classroom Parent Observations 9-9.30
Monday, 18th November	Y5 & Y6 Book Look 9.30-10.00 am
Tuesday, 19th November	Y3 & Y4 Classroom Parent Observations 9-9.30
Tuesday, 19th November	Y3 & Y4 Book Look 9.30-10.00 am
Tuesday, 19th November	Y1 & Y2 @ Cinema
Wednesday, 20th November	Christmas Jumper Swap Shop 9.00am
Wednesday, 20th November	Reception Forest Schools
Wednesday, 20th November	Y1 & Y2 Classroom Parent Observations 9-9.30
Wednesday, 20th November	Y1 & Y2 Book Look 9.30-10.00 am
Wednesday, 20th November	Y3 Turtles @ Cinema
Wednesday, 20th November	Operation Encompass Y5
Thursday, 21st November	Class Photographs
Thursday, 21st November	Y5 @ Jarrow Hall
Friday, 22nd November	Non Uniform Day for Christmas Fayre
Friday, 22nd November	Y4 Athletics Festival @ The Parks
Wednesday, 27th November	Nasal Flu Vaccine Reception—Y6
Wednesday, 27th November	Reception Forest Schools
Wednesday, 27th November	Y6 Local Area Study
Thursday, 28th November	Choir @ Angels of the North The Sage, Gateshead
Thursday, 28th November	Panto in school for Reception, Y1 & Y2
Wednesday, 4th December	Y4 Greek Day
Wednesday, 4th December	Y3 @ Laing Art Gallery
Thursday, 5th December	Christmas Lunch / Christmas Jumper Day
Friday, 6th December	Christmas Fayre 3.30pm
Tuesday, 10th December	Pantomime @ Gateshead Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6
Friday, 20th December	Break up for Christmas

Christmas Parties

Y1 & Y2	Tuesday, 17th December
Y3 & Y4	Wednesday, 18th December
Nursery AM, Nursery PM & Reception	Thursday, 19th December
Y5 & Y6	Friday, 20th December

Performances

09/12/19	Y1 & Y2 2-3pm
10/12/19	Y1 & Y2 2-3pm
11/12/19	EYFS Performance 2-3pm
12/12/19	EYFS Performance 9.30-10.30am
13/12/19	Y3 & Y4 9.30-10.30am / 2-3pm
16/12/19	Y5 & Y6 2-3pm
17/12/19	Y5 & Y6 9.30-10.30am