

Leadgate Primary Upper School - Friday Newsletter

Caring, Sharing, Learning Together

Next week

Mon 5th Oct Girls Football Tanfield 4pm.
Tue 6th Oct Drama club until 4.15 free.
Wed 7th Oct Safc coaching club until 4.15
50p. Boys football Burnhope 4pm.
Thur 8th Oct Homework and yoga clubs
until 4.15 –free. Cross country Catchgate
4pm.
Y6 rugby Consett Rugby Club 9.30-3pm.
Fri 9th Oct Swimming pm class 3 and 4 –
inhalers and kits in school please.

New school website

We are very pleased to announce the
launch of our new school website:

www.leadgate.durham.sch.uk

Whilst we will continue to work on it,
adding new information and details
about the school, it already contains a
wealth of information and all of this
year's Newsletters. It shows a range of
photographs and slides which reflect the
work of the school, staff and most
importantly our pupils. We will continue
to add pictures from Key stage 1 and
Early years provision in the coming
months. However, if there is something
you feel we have missed please contact
us and let us know.

Prince Bishops Community Bank

The bank has been a huge success in the
upper school but we do need parent
volunteers to run it as this is the aim of
the bank. They would need to be
available on a Friday morning from 9-9.20
and then bank the money at the post
office. Training will be given from the
bank. If anyone would like further
information please contact Mrs Elliott in
the office.

Week 5 Friday 2nd October 2015

Whole School Attendance

Class 3 = 92.9%
Class 4 = 97.1%
Class 5 = 100%
Class 6 = 95.8%

Class 5 have won attendance.
Class 4/5/6 have won uniform.



There is a staff meeting every Monday from 8.30
until 8.50. This means there is no supervision
until 8.50 and porch doors will be locked until
then.

There is a breakfast club at the Lower site for
parents who need childcare before school.
Please contact Mrs Douglas about times and
costs.

Clubs This Week

Tuesday	Drama 3.30-4.15 Free
Wednesday	SAFC 3.30-4.15 50p
Thursday	Yoga 3.30-4.15 Free
Thursday	Homework 3.30-4.15 Free

Diary Dates for the Autumn Term

Class 6 Rugby Consett Rugby Club 8th Oct 9.30-
3pm
Class trip to Durham Cathedral Tuesday 13th Oct
Harvest Festival – change of date to Friday 16th
Oct at 10.30.
Class 5 Rugby Consett Rugby Club 15th Oct 9.30-
3pm
Class 6 Bowes Museum 20th Oct 9-3pm
Class 5 Dance Festival 23rd Oct 9-12.
26th Oct- 30th Oct Half Term.

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NSPCC/ ChildLine/ E-safety

The NSPCC held an assembly in school yesterday focussing on social media sites. All parents and children need to be aware of how to keep them safe online. Please advise children to only accept friend requests after checking with parents and only from people they know via Facebook, Skype or any other form of media.

The children know we have a worry box in school with a permanent display with the ChildLine 0800 111 111 number next to it. We will also be having buddy training next week in school.

To ensure ongoing e safety in school and at home we send a digital parenting magazine out annually which has lots of tips for parents on how we can keep up with the technology we all use on a daily basis.

There are many websites available which give more information protecting children online including:

www.nspcc.org.uk

www.knowthenet.org.uk/about-us

www.getsafeonline.org/safeguarding-children

www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents

Just type keeping children safe online into your search engine and there are many more.

Class and other assemblies

We have had amazing assemblies this week with lots of parents and family attending to see how hard the children have worked. The children were very confident and proud of their achievements; they loved and enjoyed it all.

We are also holding a Harvest Festival assembly where the food donated will be presented to the Derwentside Foodbank.

Oasis will be in next week talking to the children about being eco-friendly and how simple things like turning off lights, can make a difference.

Tesco Poppies

Tesco worked in school with the children to make poppies and they will be on display from 10am 29th Oct at Tesco's Consett. 11 schools took part and 2 children from each school will be invited along with the Royal British legion to open the display. The poppies will then be brought back to school to be displayed here before being given to the children to take home.