



# ETHERLEY LANE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER – 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021

**What a great week we have had this week. Our brilliant children have worked so hard both in and out of the classroom. Well done everyone!**

## ANTI- BULLYING WEEK

It was absolutely amazing to see all of the children arriving in school on Monday wearing their odd socks; it was such a brilliant way to start the week and to show that we celebrate differences. Throughout the week the children have been taking part in various activities linked to the theme, 'One kind word.' One example of this was in Year 6 where the children designed and created kindness t-shirts for each other. The messages they chose for their friends were both inspiring and beautiful and were worn with pride and huge smiles!



## JARROW HALL TRIP

Class 7 had a brilliant visit to Jarrow Hall on Thursday to learn all about the Anglo Saxons. The children particularly enjoyed seeing the animals on the farm and learning all about how important each animal was for an Anglo-Saxon farmer. They heard the tale of Beowulf and solved riddles as they sat around the fire. They finished the day by re-enacting an Anglo-Saxon battle.

## CHILDREN IN NEED

It was wonderful to see all of the children coming into school today dressed in outfits that make them happy. We would like to thank you all for your generosity and will let you know how much money we raised for Children in Need next week.

## FOOTBALL TEAM

We had another fantastic night of football on Wednesday with some incredibly close games with few chances between the teams. Our team once again worked together, communicated well with each other and stayed strong. Keep up the excellent work boys!

The scores this week were as follows:

Copeland Road 0 – 0 Etherley Lane.

Woodhouse 1 – 1 Etherley Lane

Cockton Hill 1 - 0 Etherley Lane.

## CLIMATE CHANGE

On Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November we will be having a Climate Change Day to learn more about the global impact of Climate Change in line with the COP26 climate summit in Glasgow. Children are invited to wear something green on this day. As part of the day the children will be learning about the importance of sustainable fashion and we will be doing a charity shop drop and virtual fashion show. We would kindly ask for any donations of clothes and accessories that

you would be happy for other children to wear for the fashion show and then be donated to a local charity shop. We would be incredibly grateful if you could send in any clothes donations from Monday 22nd November.

### **FLU IMMUNISATION**

If you have not yet consented to the flu immunisation and would like to do so, we have sent the letter out again today for your information. This is a NASAL SPRAY immunisation which is very simple and effective. The deadline for consent is midnight on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November and immunisation day is 2<sup>nd</sup> December in school.

### **REMINDERS**

Tempest Photographers will be in school on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November to take school photographs.

Wear something **GREEN** for climate change on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November.

School will be closed for teaching purposes on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2021.

Please take **extra care** when driving and dropping children off at our Lindsay Street entrance. The street is very narrow and very busy at the beginning and the end of the school day.



## **STAR OF THE WEEK**



Class 1 - Odette J - Mrs Elder's class	Class 6 - Jacob L - Mr Soulsby's class
Class 2 - Ella W - Miss Alderdice's class	Class 7 - Daniel W - Mrs Burkill's class
Class 3 - Alfie F - Mrs Jones' class	Class 8 - Niamh B - Miss Jones' class
Class 4 - Oliver T - Miss Strophair's class	Class 9 - Dakota G - Mrs Summerson's class
Class 5 - Olivia C - Mrs Wakes' class	Class 10 - Katya R - Miss Wilkinson's class

