



Springwell Village
Primary School

Friday Newsletter

Friday 10th November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Non-Uniform Friday

Thank you for all your generous contributions for our Christmas Fair this week. We are very grateful for your support.

Forest School

We are pleased that we have been able to get Forest School sessions back up and running this half term. Mrs Barber will be running these sessions once a week, so that each class has a chance to take part. This half term there will be sessions for Years 2, 4 and 5. Have a look at what Year 5 got up to for their first session this week!



The Gingerbread Man on the loose!

Year 2 have been trying to find a missing gingerbread man in our school! They explored items left behind and used them as clues to try and figure out where he had been and what he had been up to. They then used their ideas to design a map of his journey around our school.



Well Done, Isla!

Isla Venus competed in a gymnastics competition in October and did herself proud. She competed with a partner and came away with a silver medal. Brilliant work Isla! We wish you lots of luck in your next competition later this month.



Children in Need

We are looking forward to a busy week fundraising for Children in Need next week. We will be having a special assembly on Monday to find out all about the cause and to take a look at the delicious entries for our baking competition. Don't forget, if you'd like to take part, we will be accepting baking entries on Monday 13th November and there will be a prize up for grabs! We will also be taking part in the Pudsey 'bearpees' challenge with Joe Wicks, throughout the whole week. We will be challenging ourselves to do as many burpees as we can by Friday, to raise funds. **Friday 17th November will be a non-uniform day.** Children are invited to come to school dressed in their own clothes.

Year 1 Trip

Miss Atkinson is in the process of finalising arrangements for the year 1 trip to the Bowes Railway, we will let you know these arrangements as soon as they are confirmed.

Tri- Golf Day

Next Thursday (16th November), is our launch day for Tri- Golf in Key Stage 2. Please can all children in Key Stage 2 come to school in PE kit and bring a warm coat, as the activities will take place outside.

Wildcat Football

Next Friday (17th November), our year 3 girls are participating in a football workshop to build their confidence and skills in football at Goals Sunderland. Please bring PE kits to school that day.

Remembrance Day

Thank you for supporting the Poppy Appeal throughout this week. We paid our respects in assembly this afternoon by observing a two-minute silence.



Special Mentions!



Year group	Names
Year 1	Olivia Houchin and Summer Rowan Hedley
Year 2	Orion Triggs and Anya Wales
Year 3	Ethan Yeoman and Charlie Range
Year 4	Leanne Ballet-Harrison and Jake Ridley
Year 5	Skyla Quinn and Cairns Davis
Year 6	Brodie Ellison and Oliver Richardson



Lunchtime Awards



This week's lunchtime awards go to Lydia Cox James Quinn and Sophia Gough

Well done!

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Parrish

Head Teacher

Autumn Key Dates

Date	Event	Year Group
17.11.23	Children in Need Day	Whole School
21.11.23	Year 6 Residential Information Meeting	Year 6
05.12.23	Christmas Fayre – 3.30pm	Whole School
11.12.23	EYFS Christmas Performance – 9.30am and 2.00pm	Nursery/Reception
12.12.23	Year 5/6 Christmas Performance – 9.30am and 2.00pm performances	Year 5 and 6
13.12.23	Year 3/4 Christmas Performance – 9.30am and 2.00pm performances	Year 3 and 4
14.12.23	Year 1/2 Christmas Performance – 9.30am and 2.00pm performances	Year 1 and 2
15.12.23	Christmas Lunch	Whole School
15.12.23	EYFS Christmas Party	Nursery and Reception
18.12.23	Year 1/2 Christmas Party	Year 1 and 2
19.12.23	Year 3/4 Christmas Party	Year 3 and 4
20.12.23	Year 5/6 Christmas Party	Year 5 and 6
21.12.23	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS – SCHOOL CLOSED	Whole School