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Newsletter 15

The Values theme this half-term: Inspiration

Value of the week: We are positive role models

Dear Parents and Children

What a great start to the New Year at Walney with the children all settling back into school well and the atmosphere around school being productive and focussed. So, here we go with another week and this week we are looking for positive role models throughout the week.

Our Enthusiastic Pupils

As I've said it was great to see such a buzz for learning throughout last week, but our Green Jumper winners for their enthusiasm throughout the week were...



'Children are at the heart of the decisions we make'



Flumpets in aid of St Mary's Hospice

Thank you to everyone who bought a Flumpet last term - we raised a wonderful £173.85 in total between sales and donations. Thanks also to Mrs Malone for organising this charity fundraiser and showing everyone that North Walney cares about others.

Year 6 trip

Keep watching this space as we are hoping to pin down exactly what we are doing by the end of the week. Miss Mountford and I have been working closely with the travel agents to organise a good trip for the children and then we can start the fundraising!



Book and a Biscuit sessions on Fridays - Years 1/2 and Years 3/4

Following the success of Year 1/2's Book and a Biscuit sessions before Christmas, this Friday sees the launch of Year 3/4's session. If any parents or grandparents are free and would like to come down to school at 2:15pm and share a book with their child then it would be wonderful to see you. Next week (Friday 27th January) will be Year 1/2's session and they will then swap fortnightly - keep an eye on the diary dates at the end of the newsletter.



Glaxo Donation and Learning Sessions

Last week I heard back from GSK that they would donate £357 towards our school library which is wonderful, Not only that, but this Tuesday they are coming in to work with Year 1/2 and then Year 3/4 for the afternoon - fantastic!



PE Kit

Please can I remind everyone to make sure the children have the correct PE kit in school on the right day. If you are unsure of which days your child does PE, then please ask the classteacher. Many thanks.

Year 5 trip to Furness Academy for Sports Science

Next Monday Year 5 will be going to Furness Academy for the morning so please look out for the permission slips and make sure they are back asap. Lunch is being provided as is the transport! Parents are invited to come and watch from 11:15am.

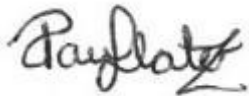


And finally...

If you have any other ideas or thoughts about our school please keep sending them in! We are currently getting more and more enquiries for children to join our school which is just fabulous

- so if you know of anyone who is thinking about schools, please do suggest they come in and meet me and have a look round.

Yours sincerely,



Dates for this week:

Day	Activity
Monday 16 th January	Mr Slater and Mrs Malone out all day on training
Tuesday 17 th January	Pm: Year 1/2 and 3/4 Glaxo learning sessions
Wednesday 18 th January	9am onwards: Tesco present Chinese New Year learning experience from Reception upwards 3:15pm: Multi-Sports with Tom after school
Thursday 19 th January	3:15pm Barrow AFC Football Club for Y5/6 after school 3:15pm Karate after school
Friday 20 th January	2:15pm: Year 3/4 Book and a Biscuit session in the library
Monday 23 rd January	Year 5 Sports Science Transition Day - permission slip coming soon
Tuesday 24 th January	
Wednesday 25 th January	3:15pm: Multi-Sports with Tom after school
Thursday 26 th January	3:15pm Barrow AFC Football Club for Y5/6 after school 3:15pm Karate after school
Friday 27 th January	2:15pm: Year 1/2 Book and a Biscuit session in the library

Future Dates for your diary:

Parents' Evening will be on Tuesday 7th March after school