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PERSONAL BEST CERTIFICATES

This week's 'Personal Best' certificates go to:

Amelia Rec, Archie Rec, Charlie Rec, Lara Rec, Toms Rec, Jack Year 1, Aidan Year 1, Ellie-May Year 1, Lydia Year 1, Madison Year 1, Mya Year 1, Nathanael Year 1, Alexander Year 2, Dylan Year 2, Joe Year 2, Martha Year 2, Megan Year 2, Harry Year 3, Layna Year 3, Lillie-Mai Year 3, Maya Year 3, Sean Year 3, Alani Year 4, Archie Year 4, Charlie Year 4, Connor Year 4, Gracie-Mae Year 4, Harry Year 4, Krishika Year 4, Liam Year 4, Matiss Year 4, Molly Year 4, Ollie Year 4, Sophie Year 4, Zane Year 4, Beth Year 5, Chloe Year 5, Daniel Year 5, Daniel Year 5, Emily Year 5, Emma Year 5, Grace Year 5, Jessica Year 5, Leighton Year 5, Logan Year 5, Oliver Year 5, Reece Year 5, Romy Year 5, Reece Year 6, and Seth Year 6.



All of these children should all be very proud of their achievements

KEY STAGE 1 VISIT TO THE DISCOVERY MUSEUM

Linked to their Enquiry theme 'What if you were an inventor?', all of the children in Key Stage 1 have visited the Discovery Museum this week, to look at the work of local inventors, like George Stephenson. The children behaved impeccably throughout their time at the museum - well done KS1!



SPRING II 'GOING FOR GOLD' ATTENDANCE MEDAL TABLE

Class	🏆 99% to 100% 5 points	🥈 97.5% to 98.9% 3 points	🥉 96% to 97.4% 1 point	Points Total
5W	🏆🏆 23/2 9/3			10
1H	🏆 9/3	🥈 23/2		8
4L	🏆 9/3	🥈 23/2		8
4S	🏆 9/3	🥈 23/2		8
6H	🏆 9/3	🥈 23/2		8
6CE		🥈🥈 23/2 9/3		6
1C	🏆 9/3			5
2W		🥈 23/2		3
5T		🥈 23/2		3
3T			🥉 9/3	1
3C			🥉 9/3	1



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children had 100% attendance this week. Well done to them all!

GREENFIELDS' YOUNG ENGINEERS



As part of the Engineering Leaders Award, on Tuesday, children throughout school took part in a live Webinar session with Michael Jeschke, an engineer at Siemens, who spoke live to the children about his inventions and the real-life problems he has had to solve during his work as an engineer.



Feeling inspired, the children have now started to design their own inventions.

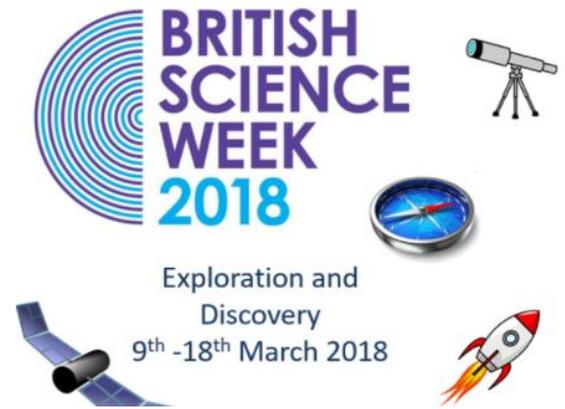
If you are an engineer or have links to the engineering industry, please let us know ~ Greenfields' engineers of the future would really like to meet and interview you too.

Primary Engineer Programmes
...the first step



BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK

Next week, we will be celebrating British Science Week, so the children will be taking part in lots of different science activities linked to the theme of Exploration and Discovery. These will include activities based on deep sea exploration, water pollution and cleaning up our seas, to encourage them to think about everyday discoveries and how they affect their lives. The work that the children produce will be on display in the school hall, so please take a look next time you're in school



If you have, or you know someone who has, a special interest in science, please get in touch with Miss Heckels, who is hoping to arrange for people to come into school to talk to the children about their science based job, qualification or hobby.

NORTH TYNESIDE DANCE FESTIVAL

On Tuesday evening, children in Year 5 and Year 6 performed in the North Tyneside Dance Festival at the Whitley Bay Playhouse. The theme was 'Living World' and the children's dance told a story about how we need to make a change in order to help the planet.

Congratulations to all of the dancers ~ they were a real credit to our school and we are very proud of them all.



ST COLUMBA'S MOTHERING SUNDAY 'MESSY CHURCH'



Paula and Rev. Short would like to invite children of all ages to a special Mothering Sunday Merry Church at 10:00 a.m. at St Columba's on Sunday 11th March.

There will be crafts and activities for the children, plus refreshments for parents and carers. Weather permitting, there will also be a Treasure Hunt at 11:00 a.m.

We hope you all have a lovely day on Sunday.

NTLT STAR AWARDS 2018 REMINDER

To nominate a STAR please go to

www.ntlearningtrust.org.uk/opportunities/ntlt-star-awards/

and click on the nomination link.

Anyone can nominate any child for one of the 11 categories, to acknowledge hard work, successes and inspiring achievements they have recently made.



The categories for awards are:

- ❖ **Inspiration Award** - for someone who goes to extraordinary lengths to enhance others' lives.
- ❖ **Volunteering Award** - for someone who regularly gives their time freely and unpaid doing something to benefit the environment, individuals or groups other than close relatives.
- ❖ **Fundraising Award** - for someone who has raised money for a good cause.
- ❖ **Resilience Award** - for someone who has demonstrated extreme courage and determination in overcoming adversity.
- ❖ **Useful and Kind** - for someone who strives every day to be useful and kind
- ❖ **Leadership Award** - for someone who has demonstrated the qualities of leadership.
- ❖ **Can Do Award** - for someone who demonstrates a positive attitude in everything they do.
- ❖ **Achievement Award** - to recognise a personal achievement
- ❖ **Inclusion Award** - for someone who has demonstrated an understanding and acceptance of other people and actively promotes tolerance and cohesion.
- ❖ **Local Hero Award** - for someone who has improved the life of someone in their community.
- ❖ **Breakthrough Award** - for someone who has worked hard and shown significant improvement.
- ❖ **Winners Choice Award** - chosen by the winners of 2017 Star Awards

Please remember that the deadline for nominations is Friday 28th April.

FINALLY . . .

Wideopen Library Gardening Club Coffee and Cakes



Wideopen Library Gardening Club are working to improve the area outside the library by planting pots and a wildflower area.

To find out more, or to show your support, please join us for coffee and cake.

**Monday 19th March
2.30pm at
Wideopen Library**

