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## NEWSLETTER ~ 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019

### PERSONAL BEST CERTIFICATES



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

Aiden, Alani, Alexander, Amelia, Anna, Bailey, Bradley, Caiden, Caleb, Chloe, Cole, Ella, Erin, Evie, Freddy, Grace, Hayden, Joe, Kaiser, Lara, Lucas, Luke, Megan, Michael, Mollie, Monica, Ollie, Ryan, Samuel, Sydney, Theo, Thomas

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

### GREENFIELDS 'PUT A NOSE ON IT' FOR RED NOSE DAY



The School Councillors would like to thank everyone who 'put a nose on it' today for Comic Relief.

Their pop up Red Nose shop sold 240 noses, raising £300 for Comic Relief.

It was wonderful to see the whole school singing and signing the Red Nose Day song using Makaton in assembly this morning.



### GREENFIELDS CHOIR AT WHITLEY BAY PLAYHOUSE

The children's singing was also highly praised, when the choir performed in the 'Spring Sing' festival at Whitley Bay Playhouse on Monday evening. The children performed two songs: 'Fix You' and 'This Little Light of Mine' and they were absolutely amazing. Everyone agreed that they were a real credit to the school and should all be incredibly proud of themselves.



## SPRING II 2019 ~ ATTENDANCE MEDAL TABLE ~ Week 3

Class	99% to 100% 5 points	97.5% to 98.9% 3 points	96% to 97.4% 1 point	Points Total
4ST	2 1/3 15/3	1 8/3		13
5JI	2 1/3	2 8/3 15/3		11
2AC	1 8/3	2 1/3 15/3		11
1DC	1 15/3	2 1/3 8/3		11
4DL	1 15/3	2 1/3 8/3		11
6AH	2 1/3 8/3			10
Rec.		2 8/3 15/3	1 1/3	7
1JC		1 8/3	2 1/3 15/3	5
3KC		1 8/3	1 1/3	4
5JS			2 8/3 15/3	2
2RA			1 1/3	1
6GR			1 1/3	1
3CP				0

**272** children had 100% attendance this week.

## SPRING II LEARNING REFLECTION WEEK

We are looking forward to seeing parents and carers in school to share and celebrate the children's achievements in Learning Reflection Week.

TIME FOR REFLECTION → Experience + Reflection = LEARNING THAT LASTS

Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	9:00 a.m.	Year 2
	2:30 p.m.	Reception
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	2:30 p.m.	Year 1
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	9:15 a.m.	Year 4
	11:15 a.m.	Pre-School - morning group
	2:30 p.m.	Year 5
	2:45 p.m.	Pre-School - afternoon group
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	9:15 a.m.	Year 3
	10:30 a.m.	Nursery
	2:30 p.m.	Year 6



Please note that adults must not use their mobile phones in school, unless they receive specific permission beforehand from a member of the Senior Management Team.

## NTLT STAR AWARDS 2019 REMINDER

Please remember that anyone can nominate any child for one of the 11 NTLT Star Awards:

- ❖ **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.

To nominate a STAR please go to

[www.ntlearningtrust.org.uk/opportunities/ntlt-star-awards/](http://www.ntlearningtrust.org.uk/opportunities/ntlt-star-awards/)

and click on the nomination link.

The deadline for nominations is Friday 26th April.



## A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR OF GOVERNORS



The Governing Board at Greenfields currently has two vacancies for Co-opted Governors. These are positions filled at the discretion of the board, in order to strengthen the areas of expertise and experience available to the board.

If you think you might be interested in filling one of these positions and would like more information, please email Harry Corlett, Chair of Governors at: [h.corlett@greenfieldprimary.org.uk](mailto:h.corlett@greenfieldprimary.org.uk)"

## FINALLY . . . PARENT/CARER QUESTIONNAIRE

We are constantly looking for ways to make Greenfields the best that it can be and each year we ask parents and carers to tell us what they think to help us to plan our next steps.

Thank you to everyone who has already completed this year's questionnaire.

If you haven't sent your questionnaire back yet, could you please do so as soon as possible, we really want to know your thoughts about Greenfields.

