

# Greenfields

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## NEWSLETTER ~ 13<sup>th</sup> December 2019



### AUTUMN II STAR ACHIEVERS

Congratulations to this half term's Star Achievers, chosen because of their truly exceptional work and behaviour throughout this half term.



☆ Liam in Reception ☆

☆ Amelia and Olan in Year 1 ☆

☆ Kenzie and Lily in Year 2 ☆

☆ Daniel and Stepan in Year 3 ☆

☆ Martha and Megan in Year 4 ☆

☆ Nathan and Ryan in Year 5 ☆

☆ Alani and Emily in Year 6 ☆

### PERSONAL BEST CERTIFICATES



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

Maxim, Lillie-Mai, Lucas, Olivia, Liam, Imogen, Molly, Lexie, Samantha, Chloe, Bella, Brooke, Jaime, Sean, Jaiden, Ava, Holly, and Shay

Well done to all of them ~ they should be very proud of their achievements.

## AUTUMN II 2019 '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
5JI	22/11	8/11 15/11 6/12 13/12	29/11	18
2CP	8/11	15/11 22/11	6/12 13/12	13
4WB	8/11	22/11 29/11	15/11 13/12	13
6AH	8/11 22/11		15/11	11
4RA	22/11	29/11	15/11 6/12	10
1AC	15/11		8/11 22/11 29/11 6/12	9
2AW	15/11		29/11 6/12 13/12	8
6GR		15/11 29/11	22/11 6/12	8
1DC	8/11		15/11	6
Rec	8/11		29/11	6
5KC	15/11		13/12	6
3JS		29/11		3
3DL			6/12	1



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

### GFPTA CHRISTMAS FAYRE & GREENFIELDS

We would like to say a huge **THANK YOU**

to Greenfields Friends Parents & Teachers Association for organising the Christmas Fayre and Santa's Grotto this week.

Thank you also to those parents and carers who came along to support these events; the funds that GFPTA raise make a big difference to the extra things we can provide for the children in school.



### SCHOOL ADMISSIONS INTO RECEPTION ~ SEPTEMBER 2020



The closing date for applications for a Reception place is Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020. If you haven't yet submitted a form for your child, please do so quickly and definitely before 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

You can fill in a paper application form, or if you prefer, you can apply online on the Council's website:

<https://my.northtyneside.gov.uk/category/129/school-admissions>

## LOVE READING!

Here are this week's reading recommendations from staff and children  
~ books that they enjoyed so much that they just couldn't put them down . . .

Mr Lumsdon recommends **Room 13** by **Robert Swindells**

"Growing up I had a real love for two book genres; history and horror. I have always been scared of many things, so I found real comfort in the thrill of horror books – mainly zombies and vampires. Room 13 was a book I first read in Year 3 or Year 4 and I remember it being one of the first books when I really started to find my love for reading. It is a real page turner, a cauldron of mystery and fear, where Swindells cleverly introduces more and more evidence throughout the text leading you to all sorts of conclusions. I won't ruin the plot, but the clue that I will give is that it has something in common with Lydia's book . . ."



Lydia recommends **Dracula's Heir** by **Sam Stall**

"I really love vampires, because I have been to Whitby a few times with my family and learned about where Dracula's mansion was and everybody was dressed up. So, when I found out about Dracula's Heir, I was really excited because there was loads of stuff that I recognised in the book. More people should read this book, because the book is full of mysteries and clues and you have to try to work out who the killer is before you get to the end of the book. I have nearly finished reading it and I am definitely going to read more scary books!"

## FINALLY . . . CHRISTMAS DATES REMINDER

Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	2:00 p.m.	Year 1 Christmas performance for parents/carers
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	9:15 a.m.	Nursery Christmas performance for parents/carers
	2:00 p.m.	Year 2 Christmas performance for parents/carers
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	9:15 a.m.	Reception Christmas performance for parents/carers
	afternoon	Reception, Y1 & Y2 Christmas parties
	2:00 p.m.	Year 3 Christmas performance for parents/carers
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	9:15 a.m.	Year 4 Christmas performance for parents/carers
	morning	Nursery and Pre-School Christmas parties
	afternoon	Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 Christmas parties
	5:00 p.m.	Year 5 & Year 6 Christmas performance for parents/carers
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	9:15 a.m.	Year 5 & Year 6 Christmas performance for parents/carers
	afternoon	Carol Service at St Columba's church
End of Autumn Term - back to school on <b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January.</b>		

Nursery & Reception performance:	Wriggly Nativity
Year 1 & Year 2 performance:	Tinsel & Tea Towels
Year 3 & Year 4 performance:	The Magical Christmas Jigsaw
Year 5 & Year 6 performance:	Edith's Wartime Scrapbook

As each performance will take place twice, if you are not able to attend the performance to which you have been invited, please let us know, we will try to allocate a place at the other performance.