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Parent: Mrs K Bailey, Mrs A Spencer, Mrs C Williams

Staff: Mrs J Henry, Mrs A M Boyd

You may contact any governor via the

school. **Complaints in the first instance are to be communicated to the headteacher**

Mrs Boyd.

Autumn Term 1a

News

23.10.20

News is through e mail, facebook and website – please make sure we have your e mail address.

ATTENDANCE 23.10.20

WHOLE SCHOOL

97.21 %

Well done everyone!

Shotton Hall Primary School

Working together to

SHINE

**Successful, Happy, Inspired
and Nurtured towards
Excellence**

Headteacher: Mrs A.M. Boyd

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs J Bowmaker

Assistant Headteachers: Mrs S. Sands, Ms E. Metcalfe

Behaviour, Attendance and Safeguarding

Officer: Mr K. Morgan

SENCO/Pastoral: Mrs J. Bowmaker

Site Manager: Mrs W. Fickling

School Business Manager: Mrs J. Johnson

Dear Parent/Carers,

School closes today Friday 23.10.20 and will reopen on Monday 2nd November. Full uniform please apart from those coming in PE kit. Have a wonderful break and keep safe everyone.

Gate closure: To help keep us all safe, the gates around the perimeters of school are locked during school time. The Passfield Way gate is locked at **8.50am prompt**. If you are late please bring your child round to the Waveney Road entrance where gates are open until 9am. Please could you help us by **bringing your child to school on time**. Please bear this in mind when booking appointments during school time. It is not possible to drop things into the office such as water bottles and coats so please ensure your child has everything when dropping off each morning.

Salvation Army Christmas Toy Appeal: The Salvation Army are looking to support under privileged children this Christmas by asking for donations of a new toy or gift. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, they are starting collections earlier than usual, therefore if you would like to donate, please send a new toy or gift into school with your child by Friday 27th November. Thank you for supporting this good cause.

Catch-up Flu Clinics: If your child missed the nasal flu immunisation in school, there are catch up clinics running at Easington and Seaham Family Centres. To book an appointment please call the immunisation team on 03000 032554.

Bereavement: If your child is struggling with a loss please let us know so we can help.



Hit the Button: A HUGE Well Done to all of the children in classes 3, 4 and 5 who took part in our Hit the Button Challenge! We were amazed at how many of you joined in and your scores were fantastic! A big well done to everyone who sent us their score on Dojo. Children have been celebrated in class today for both their participation and their high scores. Thank you for all of your support.



Times Tables Rock Stars Competition – Battle of the Bands: Congratulations to everyone who took part in our TT Rockstars Battle of the Bands. **Class 11** made an amazing last minute come back to be the overall winners and earn eternal glory!! Well done!

1st place - Mrs Gilmour and Class 11 average score per pupil - 2606

2nd place - Mrs Sands and Class 9 average score per pupil - 1997

3rd place - Mrs Scollen and Class 10 average score per pupil – 1964

This is our second TT Rockstars competition and again we were very proud of the children's enthusiasm and commitment to it. Confidence in times tables is a huge benefit to children in their maths lessons. Thank you for all your support.

Fashion Friday! Next half term we will have Fashion Friday each Friday so children and staff may come to school in their own day clothes - this does not include party wear or dressing up outfits, also no short tops or unsuitable footwear as they will need to be warm and will be playing outside! Classes with PE on Fridays can come in their own clothes on Thursday. We do not expect parents to go to any expense for casual wear on Fridays - please just send children in their usual play clothes. Feel free to send your child to school in uniform if you do not wish to take part.



SAFEGUARDING: FIRST CONTACT: If you have a concern about a child or young person First Contact has made it easy for you to get in touch with them. You can contact them using the following: Telephone: 03000 26 79 79, E-mail: scd@durham.gov.uk. Website: www.durham.gov.uk/.../firstcontact

Holiday dates for the school year

Friday 23th October 2020	Last day of school before half term
Monday 2th November 2020	School reopens for term 1b
Thursday 17th December 2020	Last day of school before Christmas holidays
Friday 18 th December 2020	School closed for PD day
Tuesday 5th January 2021	School reopens for term 2a
Friday 12 th February 2021	Last day of school before half term
Monday 22nd February 2021	School closed for PD day
Tuesday 23 rd February 2021	School reopens for term 2b
Friday 26th March 2021	Last day of school before Easter holidays
Monday 12 th April 2021	School reopens for term 3a
Monday 3rd May 2021	School closed for Bank Holiday Monday
Friday 28 th May 2021	Last day of school before half term week
Monday 7th June 2021	School reopens for term 3b
Tuesday 20 th July 2021	Last day of school before Summer holidays



Attendance Blue – NA 99.59%
 Yellow – STM 98.72%
 Green – SDA 97.18%
 Red – QEII 95.71%

CLASS 1 96.39%	CLASS 2 98.19%	CLASS 3 91.33%	CLASS 4 99.00%	CLASS 5 99.04%	CLASS 6 97.38%	CLASS 7 100%	CLASS 8 96.17%	CLASS 9 99.07%	CLASS 10 99.59%	CLASS 11 94.83%	CLASS 12 95.54%
				WINNERS!		WINNERS!					

Certificates

REFLECTIVE: Isaac H C1, Jordan B C2, Lilah P C5, Alexander K C10, Arryn M C12.

RESPECTFUL: Ella T C2, Jacob W C3, Monroe B C4, Ella F C11.

RESOURCEFUL: Millie-Mae W C6, Dante P C8, Jessica B C9.

RECIPROCAL: Poppie R C7.

BIRTHDAYS: Alisha-Mae S C1 age 5, Alyssa T C1 age 5, Nathaniel M C2 age 5, Theo K C3 age 6, Joshua C C4 age 6, Cara C C5 age 7, Joshua P C6 age 8, Emilia B C7 age 8, Megan B C7 age 8, Oscar W C11 age 11, Jennifer B C12 age 11. HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!