



'Forward Together'

Dame Dorothy Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Remember, our whole school target is above 95%.



What's gone... 3rd - 7th July

Star of the Week

Year 1	Lola
Year 2	Leon
Year 3	Levi
Year 4	Joshua
Year 5	Zac
Year 6	Katie

Weekly Attendance League Table

😊 = 100% class attendance
😊 = best class attendance (not 100%)

Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
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House Group Winners!	Best Class Attendance	Whole School Attendance
Red	Y2 99.3%	96.3% 😊



Head Teachers Award
Adam C



Year 3 @ Broom House Farm:

On Wednesday Y3 enjoyed their final trip of the year to Broom House Farm. The weather wasn't the best but it didn't spoil our fun one bit! We enjoyed collecting hen eggs and looking again at Dave the giant pig. It was brilliant watching Moss the sheepdog in action, sheepdogs are so clever! Mrs Horn's favourite part was cuddling a tiny little 4 week old border collie puppy. He was gorgeous! The children loved playing in the adventure forest on the afternoon and discovering the new additions to the play area.



The farm very kindly loaned wellies to the children who didn't have any yesterday. If you have any wellies that you are finished with please bring them into school. We would love to be able to donate them to Broom House Farm for others to use when the weather is wet and muddy. Thank you so much.



Big Sing Sing-a-long!

What a fabulous afternoon the choir had at the Sage Gateshead! Their enthusiasm wasn't dampened by the weather at all. We had a super view of the stage from our seats on Level 2 and had no one behind us which meant we could sing and dance to our hearts desire! It was amazing to see just how many of the songs the children knew well and how many words they remembered. There are some lovely videos and photos on the school's Facebook page. The theatre was quite dark so there were not as many photo opportunities as we would have liked.



Many of the children said they'd like to go again next year. It certainly was a lovely musical afternoon and a real treat for the choir members!

MUSIC CONCERT 12th JULY 2:30 p.m.

We would like to invite the families of our choir and musicians to a short concert in the school hall on Wednesday 12th July at 2:30 p.m. This will give the children a chance to share with you the progress they have made this year. You will hear flutes, clarinets, saxophones, recorders, ukuleles and of course, the choir. We hope you can join us and help celebrate the children's achievements.



Sports Day Timings

9:10 Nursery Sports day in the Nursery Garden
 10:00 Reception Sports Day on the school field.
 10:50 Year 1&2
 1:10 Year 3&4
 2:10 Year 5&6

Wimbledon

Keep looking for Facebook posts from our children watching tennis on Number 1 court at Wimbledon today.



INSET Days Reminder

School will be closed on Monday 4th AND Tuesday 5th September. The final INSET day will be Monday 27th November.

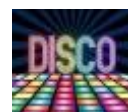
Tennis

On Thursday 10 girls from across KS2 took part in various tennis games and activities. They all joined in, worked well as a team and had fun! They even came away with medals. Well done girls.



School Disco:

The friends of Dame Dorothy will be holding a school disco on the 10th July. Tickets are available from the school office for £1. The disco is for Reception –Y6 it will start 4pm and finish at 5pm



Whats on 10th - 14th July

School Reports: We will be sending out the end of year school reports for all children next Friday. This will include a written report from your child's teacher together with end of year assessments. For the children in Y2 and Y6 it will include their end of key stage SAT results. We will inform all parents of the overall SAT results next week but we will say now that we are proud of the efforts of our children and happy with the outcomes.

Library Book Amnesty: Will parents and children have a good look in their homes this weekend to see if they can find any unreturned school library books. If you do find any please return them to the office. Many thanks!

Summer Fayre: Next Friday from 2:30pm is our annual Summer Fayre. We look forward to seeing you all.

July Summer Diary Dates

Thursday 13th	Sports Day
Friday 14th	Summer Fayre
Tuesday 18th	Beach Day
Wednesday 19th	Y6 Leavers Assembly
Thursday 20th	Y6 Leavers Prom
Friday 21st	School Closes at 2pm

The Safeguarding designated people are; Mr Williamson, Mrs Pearson and Mrs Burdon. The Anti-Bullying Coordinators for the school are; Mrs Burdon and Mrs Pearson. Please view the Anti-bullying policy on the school website.





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Dear Parent/Carer,

To celebrate our first school year of our path to wellbeing, Year 5 will be organising a sponsored run for the school on Monday 17th July.

Children in years 1,2 and 3 can take part by completing 5 laps (more if they want.) Children in Year 4 and 6 will be sponsored for 10 laps, or more if they wish to.

Year 5 will be completing a 10k walking route through Sunderland from our school to Whitburn park and back then laps around the path to finish the 10k. This will start at 9.15am.

Each child that takes part and hands in a sponsor form, will receive a certificate on the day, juice and biscuits.

A sponsor form is attached for you to collect as many sponsors as possible, You can choose to sponsor per lap or a total. Any sponsor money no matter how large or small is appreciated.

Please can your child bring in their sponsor money and form on the day, to be collected by the year 5's, this will allow us to get a grand total before the end of term and to know which children are taking part.

We look forward to a fantastic afternoon.

Mrs Campion and Year 5



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