

# Dame Dorothy Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

### 1st - 5th July

### Star of the Week

Year 1	Keira
Year 2	Mollie
Year 3	Harry
Year 4	Maximus
Year 5	Amina

### Weekly Attendance League Table

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

R	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
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Remember to check out our Facebook page

**Head Teacher Award**  
 Gabriella

House Group Winner	Best Class Attendance	Whole School Attendance
<b>Yellow &amp; Blue</b>	<b>Y5 100%</b>	<b>96.4%</b> 😊

**Teddy Bears Picnic:** On Tuesday afternoon, Y1 (armed with their teddy bears) went to Monkwearmouth School to take part in a number of fun games. The children all had a great time and the weather stayed nice. It was lovely to see some of our ex-pupils leading the afternoon too!



**Beamish:** Year 4 had a fabulous day in the sunshine of Beamish yesterday. Across the three visits we've had there this year, we've enjoyed every aspect of the museum. Yesterday's highlights were the tram ride (topdeck, open air), the mine visit, the sweet shop (of course), the bakery (of course) and a very stimulating experience with a Victorian school mistress. Behaviour was great and each group got to decide on what they would like to do across the day. A big thank you to The Tom Cowie Trust for making these visits possible.



**Young Leaders:** An important element of our school routine during the lunch hour has been the excellent support we receive from our young leaders. They are such an enormous help to the lunchtime staff as they organise lots of games and activities to keep the younger children entertained. This week we had our training for the children who are to become our new young leaders next year. I am sure they will be superb role models to the rest of the school and I look forward to seeing them in action from September.



**WEDNESDAY 10TH JULY**

<p>MAIN 1</p> <p><b>MICKY MOUSE SOUTHERN FRIED CHICKEN WRAP</b></p> <p><b>DAFFY DUCK CHIPS</b></p> <p><b>GOOFY'S COLESLAW</b></p>	<p>MAIN 2</p> <p><b>WOODY'S PASTA SUPREME</b></p> <p><b>BUZZ LIGHTYEAR'S DOUGHBALLS</b></p> <p><b>JESSIE'S LASOO GREEN BEANS</b></p>	<p>MAIN 3</p> <p><b>ANNA'S ENCHILADAS</b></p> <p><b>ELSA'S SUNSHINE RICE</b></p> <p><b>OLAF CARROT STICKS</b></p>
<p><b>BEAUTY AND THE BEAST'S JELLY &amp; ICECREAM</b></p>		<p><b>OR FRESH FRUIT SALAD</b></p>
<p><b>SNOW WHITE MILK DRINK</b></p>		

**Wimbledon:** I hope you had the opportunity to follow the children who travelled to Wimbledon yesterday on our Facebook page. It was an early start and a late finish. We will try to bring you a more detailed report in next week's newsletter.

**Olympic Day:** Next Tuesday we will be sending our athletics team to Monkwearmouth to compete in the Olympic day against our local schools. I am sure our team will perform well and have an enjoyable day. We will let you know next week how they got along.

**Beach Day—EYFS & KS1:** We will also be hoping that the British summer time weather will be kind to our beach day visits. EYFS and KS1 classes are heading off to the beach next Thursday for their day of sand and sunshine. The children will be leaving school between 9:30 -10am to walk across to the beach. KS2 will be heading down on the Thursday 18th.

**Safety Works:** Our year 6 children are travelling to Newcastle on Monday next week to take part in the Safety Works programme which is a valuable session that educates the children on how to stay safe in the home and when out independently.

**Gibside:** Our EYFS will be keeping their fingers crossed that the summer weather is kinder to them next week when they set off for their rearranged trip to Gibside. I am sure they will have a fantastic day!

**THE BIG SING:** The choir members have the opportunity to attend the Sunderland Empire on 15th July to take part in The Big Sing. This is not for our children to perform, but to be part of an audience and join in with professional musicians. There is no room for families to attend as the theatre will be packed with children from around the city. A permission letter was given to choir this week - Y6 will get theirs after their transition events. Unfortunately, Y3 choir members will be unable to attend as it clashes with their visit to the farm. The event will take place during normal school hours and does not effect school dinners. Please ensure your child has a waterproof coat as we will be walking to and from the Empire.

- Diary Dates:**
- 08.07 Safety Works Y6 @ Newcastle
  - 09.07 EYFS @ Gibside
  - 09.07 Olympic day @ Monkwearmouth
  - 11.07 Beach Day—EYFS & KS1
  - 12.07 Y5 STEM event @ Newcastle
  - 15.07 Y3 Farm visit
  - 15.07 Summer Disco 4-5pm
  - 16.07 Sports Day—EYFS / Y1 & Y2 am
  - 16.07 Sports Day—Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 pm
  - 17.07 Leavers assembly 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.**




**Safeguarding Governor—Mrs Roberts.**



**Mental Health and Well-Being Champion - Miss Baker.**

