

Dame Dorothy Primary School Weekly Newsletter



9th - 13th May

Star of the Week

Year 1	Уibo
Year 2	Esme
Year 3	Drew
Year 4	Charlie
Year 5	Mikki, Asa, Matthew
Year 6	Britney



Head Teachers Award Leví & Frankie



House Point Winners



City 3km: A huge well done to over twenty of our running club members who took part in Sunday's City 3k event. Everyone finished the run with twenty of our runners finishing in the top 150 out of a field of 332. In fact we had four runners finish inside the top twenty running sub 14 minutes for 3k. Special mention to Alex who finished an amazing second place in the remarkable time of 11 minutes 46 seconds. It wasn't just our older children who did really well, we also had Drew (Y3), and Levi and Frankie (Y2) finishing in the top 75 with times of about 15 minutes. A brilliant effort. Well done to all of our children and thank you to parents for supporting the event so well.









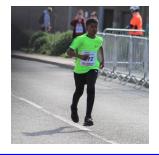














SATs Breakfast:

We have the very best school cook in Sunderland and Tracy has delivered a week of fantastic breakfasts to our year 6 children to get them ready for their SAT exams each day. Thank you so much Tracy from everyone in year 6.



Jubilee Day Friday 27th May:

A royal day will be had at Dame Dorothy with a special themed lunch followed by a party on the playground with some old school games and music being played.

- Games including;
- Tug of war
- Egg and spoon
- Sack race
- 3 legged race
- Space hopper race
- Bean bag on the head
- Wheelbarrow race

All children and staff are encouraged to come to school dressed as a king or queen for the day or they can wear red, white and blue.

Children can also bring a picnic blanket and some nibbles to have during the afternoon.

Y5 Football:

It was a case of so near yet so far for our year 5 footballers at the Monkwearmouth Cluster tournament. They topped the group of four schools by defeating Redby 2-1, Fulwell 4-1 and Grange Park 5-3 with goals from Enoch, Luke and Jessie. They played some excellent football with all of the players contributing to the success. In the final we once again played Fulwell but unfortunately we were unable to find a way past the Fulwell defence and narrowly lost 1-0.

Nevertheless, an outstanding effort against a much bigger school and all the players can be proud of their efforts.



Well-Being Week: Well-Being Week:

To mark Mental Health Awareness here at Dame Dorothy, we will be holding a whole school wellbeing week 16th-20th May. Children will be asked to come to school, Monday to Thursday, dressed in their P.E kits. The children will be taking part in a huge variety of activities such as golf, ultimate frisbee, archery and yoga, among many others. We can't wait to learn lots of new skills and maybe even discover some new interests!

On Friday 20th we will also be holding a non-uniform day to celebrate the end of well-being week.



Standing Messages:

Term time holidays cannot be authorised by school and should be avoided. In **certain** cases fines may and can be issued.

<u>Dinner money needs to be paid on Monday for the coming week.</u>

INSET Days 2021 / 2022:

INSET days for the coming year: Monday 20th June 2022 Queen's Jubilee 1st July 2022 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.







Should I keep my

child off school?



Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over	
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode	
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.	
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics	
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared	
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started	
Scabies	they've had their first treatment	
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics	
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics	



but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek





Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit https://qrco.de/minfec.