Governors voluntarily working on your behalf to ensure all aspects of the schools work are effective and compliant.

Chair: Mrs C Barclay Vice Chair: Mr T Watson Local Authority: Mrs P Spoors

Co-opted: Mrs J Winn, Mr M Grinstead, Mrs

W Fickling

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.

News 5.7.19

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

ATTENDANCE 5.7.19 WHOLE SCHOOL **94.35%**

Let's aim for 96%

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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 Parents and Carers,

<u>AVA'S GARDENS:</u> Once again thank you to everyone who has made this project possible, and for the numerous donations from many different companies. We are delighted to invite you all to the opening of Ava's garden on Monday 15th July at 3.30pm. We look forward to seeing you there!

<u>SAFETY:</u> Each morning please ensure your child does not swing or climb in the bike shelter or climb trees or tables on the school grounds. Thank you for your co-operation.

<u>WARM WEATHER:</u> Please ensure your child has sun cream applied before coming into school each morning and provide your child with a sun hat/cap and water bottle to keep them shaded and hydrated during the school day. Please be aware staff are not permitted to put cream on pupils and pupils are not allowed to share others cream for safety.

<u>YEAR 6:</u> End of year reports and results will be sent out to parents on 9th July. If you have any questions or concerns after these have come home, please contact the office to arrange an appointment.

<u>PARENTPAY:</u> We have seen a vast increase in payments being made online already, fantastic! Please remember from 1st September there will be no cash in school and all payments must to be made online. Well done to 81% of parents who have activated their Parentpay account! We still have 66 parents who need to do it, if you require assistance please contact the office.

<u>EAST DURHAM PARTNERSHIP:</u> EDP are aiming to support families who feel the pressure of feeding their children during the school holidays, by offering free food for all children throughout the summer holidays! Contact 0191 5868493 for more information.

<u>LOST PROPERTY:</u> We have a large amount of school uniform, which has still not been claimed. If they are not taken by the end of term they will be bagged up and donated to a uniform bank. Please ensure ALL items of clothing have your child's name on in permanent pen. All items which had children's names in have been returned to their owners.

<u>LAST DAY OF TERM:</u> We break up for Summer on Friday 19th July. Please send your child in uniform as normal. After school clubs will run as normal on this day also.

Dates For Your Diary

This diary is given in good faith to enable you to set your own diaries. There may be some changes beyond our control and we will communicate this through text or via the newsletter. There may also be additional events which we will inform you of as they occur. Please make sure we have your up to date phone number and e mail.

Date	Day	Class/year	Event	Information
8.7.19	MONDAY	CLASSES 11 & 12	VISIT TO SEAHAM BEACH	Y6, SEE CLASS LETTER

8-10 th JULY	MON - WED	YEAR 4/5	RESIDENTIAL TRIP	INDIVIDUAL PUPILS			
			LOCKERBIE MANOR				
9.7.19	TUESDAY	Y2 FROM C5 & C6	SHAC CULTURAL HERITAGE				
			DAY				
9.7.19	TUESDAY	CLASSES 11 & 12	REPORTS TO PARENTS	YEAR 6			
10.7.19	WEDNESDAY	Y5	SHAC PE/ GAMES	INDIVIDUAL PUPILS			
11.7.19	THURSDAY	CLASSES 5 & 6	VISIT TO SOUTER	SEE CLASS LETTER			
			LIGHTHOUSE				
12.7.19	FRIDAY	INDIVIDUAL PUPILS	MUSIC PERFORMANCE	MUSICIANS AND THEIR PARENTS ONLY 2.30PM			
15.7.19	MONDAY	ALL WELCOME	OPENING OF AVA'S GARDEN	3.30PM			
16.7.19	TUESDAY	CLASSES 6 & 7	APOLLO PROJECT	DETAILS TBC			
17.7.19	WEDNESDAY	ALL	MOVING UP DAY	ALL			
17 & 18 th	WED / THURS Y6		LEAVING PERFORMANCES &	MORE INFO AND TICKETS TO FOLLOW			
JULY			AFTERNOON TEA				

Breakfast club doors will open only 5 minutes before any events held in the main hall to allow visitors into school. This is for safeguarding reasons so please do not queue up too early. After events pupils will not be released early. They will be taken back to class and dismissed from their usual entrances at 3.15 pm. You are welcome to wait in the hall if weather is poor. This ensures all pupils are accounted for in line with safeguarding procedures.

Holiday dates for the school year

Friday 19 th July 2019	Last day of school before summer break			
Wednesday 4 th September 2019	School reopens for new school year			

ACHIEVE AND BELIEVE AWARDS: Awards are given each Thursday for classes 1, 2,3,4,5 and 6 and Friday for classes 7,8,9,10,11 and 12 in assembly by a senior leader. If you would like to visit an assembly please let the office know. Week Ending 5.7.19

(Certificates for gold star are now 10 as more are being awarded each week).

GOLD STARS: Ruby-Ann H C4, Lucas S C8.

RESOURCEFUL AWARD: Isla D C3.

RECIPROCAL AWARD: John M C1, Mason T C2, Ivy U C2, Eden K C5, Zac W C5.

RESILIENT AWARD: Sofia M C3, Kaiden B C6.

RESPECTFUL AWARD: Gracie C C1, Cody F C2, Zac W C4.

REFLECTIVE AWARD: Oscar S C1, Jake F C2, Lewis J C3, Ellie-Mae S C3, Ella C C6.

BEHAVIOUR SQUAD: Ruby-Ann H C4, Lucas J C4, Olivia C C6.

PEN LICENSE: Freddie R C5, Niall P C6.

BIRTHDAY: Jacob M C1 age 5, Mason T C2 age 6, Ivy U C2, Ellie S C3 age 6, Hollie R C5 age 8, Ruby A age 9, Cara G

C8 age 9, Sam H age 11, Caitlin D C12 age 11, William L C12 age 11. HAPPY BIRTHDAY! **WELL DONE:** To all of class 8 who did a great job at performing at Durham Cathedral!



ATTENDANCE Trophy: 95.18% CURIE, 94.76% HAWKIN, 94.49% DARWIN, 94.36% GALILEO.

CLASS 1	CLASS 2	CLASS 3	CLASS 4	CLASS 5	CLASS 6	CLASS 7	CLASS 8	CLASS 9	CLASS 10	CLASS 11	CLASS 12
95.71%	95.71%	91.33%	93.60%	99.52%	99.52%	91.52%	96.67%	94.29%	91.13%	92.57%	90.66%
				(2 lates)	WINNERS!		WINNERS!				
					(1 late)						

Can I please remind parents that attendance is part of our schools inspection and is a priority in school.

Children's expected attendance is 96%.

















