



Newsletter – 27th January 2025

Last week I attended the Bett Show in London which is the World's largest education technology exhibition. We are looking at improving the quality and number of electronic devices that we have in school and by seeing first-hand the amazing technology available, I am sure we can start to improve the hardware and software that pupils need to engage with to become computer literate in today's society. Although this meant a day or two away from Lockwood, the trip was achieved at a zero-cost to school but the benefits will hopefully be seen very soon. It is amazing to think that our children have in their pockets, mobile phones with more computing power than was used to first send man to the moon! Speaking of which, Rory in Year 1 brought into school an original copy of the Evening Gazette article from 1969 about the first moon landing. He was very proud to be given it to look after by his grandad as it is 55 years old!

After keystone two were top of the shop last week, keystone one have risen to the top of the attendance tables for the last five days. **Year 2** achieved an amazing **99.2%** attendance and Year 1 achieved 98.3%. The brilliant news is that as a whole school we beat our attendance target reaching 96.7%. This means 70 less hours of learning were lost this week over last! Well done everyone.



School Target = 96%

Don't forget to check our roll of honour on page 2 for this week's Aspire Award winners, including the first winners of the 75 point, Steve Backshall Award!

ATTENDANCE TABLE		
	Year Group	Attendance
1 st	Year 2	99.2%
2 nd	Year 1	98.3%
3 rd	Year 6	98.0%
4 th	Year 3	97.1%
5 th	Year 4	95.7%
6 th	Reception	94.7%
7 th	Year 5	93.5%

VALENTINE'S DISCO – Wed 12th February
 Keystage 1 – 4 to 4.45pm Keystage 2 – 5 to 5.50pm
 Tickets are available from the school office at £3 and include sweets and a drink.

The children below received a Head Teacher's award last week:

- ★ Harriet Smith
- ★ Harry Clarke
- ★ Ruari Wuermli
- ★ Violet Hardy
- ★ Lilly Struwig
- ★ Georgia Wuermli
- ★ Teddy Richmond
- ★ Mia Russell

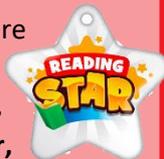


Numbots certificates were presented to **Robbie Thornton, Rory Birtwhistle** and **Josie Rymer**.



Abbie-May Strang, Daisy-Mae Mitchell and **Eppy Horness** all received a Times Table Rockstars award.

Reading Star certificates were awarded to **Oona Brown, Harry Smith, Eppy Horness, Heidi Szekeres, Nyla Corner, Maggie Johnson, Eden-Rose Bright, Holly Foster, Lilly Struwig, Enid Boffey, Georgie Wilkinson, Maddison Rowe,** and **Alfie Moutrey-O'Malley**.



Congratulations to you all.

Dates for your diary

January 2025

- Friday 31st January – Year 1 Football Festival

February 2025

- Monday 3rd February – Children's Mental Health week begins
- Friday 7th February – talent show
- Tuesday 11th February – Safer Internet Day
- Wednesday 12th February – Valentines Disco
- Friday 21st February – School Closed (PD Day)
- Monday 24th February – Half Term

March 2025

- Thursday 6th March – World Book Day
- Monday 10th March – Parent's consultation event

April 2025

- Thursday 3rd April – Rocksteady concert for parents
- Monday 7th April – Y3/4/5 trip to Life Centre, Newcastle (TBC)
- Thursday 10th April – Easter Bingo evening
- Friday 11th April – School Closed (PD Day)
- Monday 14th April – Easter Holidays

Aspire Award Roll of Honour



25 Aspire Points

STAN HOLLIS

Freddie Henderson	Harper Henderson
Izabella Collins	Archie Elders
Harry Weldon	Olivia Robshaw
Oona Brown	Harriet Smith
Olliver Moutrey	Harry Weldon
Isabelle Warrior	Annabelle Darby
Piper Frankland	Isabelle Close
Mila Horness	Mia Robson
James Lewis	Willow Kendall
James Mageean	Daisy Mitchell
Rory Birtwhistle	Freya Dewing
Phoebe Johnson	Lewis Pearson
Willow Swales	Teddi Templeman
Freya Moore	Georgia Wuermli
Reuben Grady	Jak Taylor
Henry Wilson	Noah Galuidi-Bentley
Georgie Wilkinson	Lilly Struwig
Kyle Robshaw	Enid Boffey
Hunter Langley	Harry Smith
Maggie Johnson	Coby Walton
Holly Foster	Phoebe Nixon
Brooklyn Brown	Noah Gray
Olivia Brekon	Joshua Smith
Marcus Sleeman	Leo Brady
Harry Foggin	Nancy Bird
Daisy Hobson	Caleb Robson
Hallie Brown	Sonny Richmond
Heidi Szekeres	Rosie Porritt
Jacob Green	Molly Porritt
Honey Hardy	Charlie Morgan
Jaxon Hauxwell	Elsie Mitchell
Molly Jackson	Jasmine Sipos
Eppy Horness	Robbie Thornton
Eden Bright	Luca Raw
Reggie Jones	Alahna-Rose Foggin
Reggie Dey	Hollie Bint
Freddie Mitchell	Skylar Bennisson
George Robinson	Eliza Smith
Lacey-Mae Morgan	Primm Brady
Marcie Lewis	Letia Keeler-Quinn
Lola Scott	Lillie-Mae Mitchell
Ivy Smith	Robert Whittaker
Harry Clarke	Florence Crelling
Cooper Knight	Lewis Bint
Bradley Darby	Ruari Wuermli
Rowan Ashton-McGrath	Summer Richardson
Harvey Robinson	Mia Martin
Jacob Wallace	Mia Russell
Nyla Corner	Michael Lloyd-Scott
Rosie Dawkins	Isla Scott
Eliana Taylor	
Freya Naylor	
Violet Hardy	
William Bennett	
Teddi Templeman	
Toby Moutrey	

50 Aspire Points

BETH MEAD

Mila Horness
Piper Frankland
Olliver Moutrey
Alfie Moutrey-O'Malley
Freddie Henderson
Kenny Parkin
Isabelle Warrior
James Lewis
Oona Brown
Maddison Rowe
Reuben Grady
Eppy Horness
Jacob Hudson
Harry Weldon
Ivy Smith
Lola Scott
Izabella Collins
Olivia Brekon

75 Aspire Points

STEVE BACKSHALL

James Lewis
Piper Frankland
Isabelle Warrior
Kenny Parkin
Ollie Moutrey
Freddie Henderson
Oona Brown

100 Aspire Points

BRONZE KING'S AWARD





**FREE!
DROP-IN**

Family dance session

Tuesdays 4.30–5.30pm
18 February to 25 March

Boosbeck Village Hall

Tees Dance



YOU'VE GOT THIS.

Saturday 8th March, 10 till 12



Insect Event at Boosbeck Village Hall



Booking Essential



£3 per child

Send a message via
facebook to book



**Educational Animal Encounter
with Animal Story who will be
bringing a variety of animals for
you to get up close and personal
with. Learn about Science and
how animals and insects change
and adapt to their environment**

Insect Hotel Making
Wildflower Bombs
Make a badge to take
home
Crafting Table
Tick Tak Toe
Refreshments on sale



**Tees Valley
Wildlife Trust**

