

Shiremoor Primary School Newsletter

May 2024

**Mrs. B. Middleton
Headteacher**



Dear Parents,



RETURN TO
SCHOOL
Monday 3rd
June 2024

Please use
School
Calendar
on the
school
website
for all
upcoming
trip dates

Dear Parents,

Can you believe that we are now approaching the final half-term? The weather has finally improved and we can enjoy the outdoors more often.

As usual we have packed in quite a lot. Well done to Year 6 who slogged through some tricky SATs papers in very hot weather. They demonstrated commitment and enthusiasm. Children will get their results with their Report Cards later in July.

It has been lovely to see a number of you at different events this half-term. Parent's Evening was lovely and it was really nice that we could share the children's fantastic art with you. We have some extremely talented children and if you were able to attend our art gallery, you will also have seen some terrific musical performances caught on video. Thank you to the Great North Museum who have hosted so many visits for us.

I have had some delicious treats as it has been cookery this half-term for all classes again. Thank you to the parents who help with the washing up. This makes it much easier for teachers. My favourite offering was definitely the Year 4 cheese scone. It was quite delicious.

We've had great success in our History Club where the children had used computing skills to design historical artefacts using 'Tinker Cad'. After completing our artefact designs, we brought them to life with our 3D printer! Check out Y5 Twitter for evidence!

The school council, Shiremoor Voice, have been tasked with gathering views around our new school meals. I had the Quorn pie recently and I have to say that I would eat it every day. It is delicious. The pastry was perfect. I am also partial to a jacket potato. The children I have been having lunch with have expressed that they love the new curry and the new salad and they really like watermelon for pudding. It has all been really delicious and I hope that you get the chance to sample it. We will take the children's feedback back to Mellors.

We are looking forward to next half-term and I just wanted to remind you of the Shiremoor Treat on the 6th of July. There will be an actual March this year for the first time in many years so look out for further information about that. Fingers crossed the weather is kind.

Please have a lovely half-term holiday and we will look forward to seeing you next half-term.

Many thanks,

Mrs. Middleton

Writing Competition

We have just received information to tell us that some children in Year 5 who handed in a writing competition entry for 'Crazy Creatures' creative writing have been successful and have the opportunity to be published writers!

Well done...

Poppy, Sophie, Ella-Rose, Skye, Victoria, Ashlan, Arnav, Bella and Eva.



Extra-curricular Clubs

- KS1 Glock Club
- YR2 Lego Club
- Girls' Football Club
- Choir Club
- KS1 Athletics Club
- History Club
- YR6 SATs Club
- YR5 Netball Club

Visits out of school

- YR6 - Eden Camp
- YR6 - Great North Museum
- YR6 - Nissan
- Reception - Great North Museum
- YR1 - Cullercoats
- YR5/6-Football Tournament
- YR5 Top-up swimming

Sponsored Run

Thank you again for supporting our Sponsored Run. It was a great day...I certainly got my steps in! I cannot tell you how much it means to know that we have now raised **£4000** from the run. This will pay for all of our school visits next year. Children love being out and about and it really enhances their vocabulary and learning and they are always such a credit to us whenever we are in public.



School will re-open on Monday 3rd June.

Enjoy the break - Mrs. Middleton