

BROOMHAUGH C OF E FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 3 FEBRUARY 2023

Dear Families,

We have had lots of celebrations in school this week!

On Friday, Reception walked down to St. James's Church for the Christening service of their baby. Joan Potts was Christened by Rev. Diana, watched by all of Reception and her parents, Faith and Cole, and her Godparents, Hamish, Harris and Harvey! We all learnt so much about the church and also the traditions of a Christening service. Rev. Diana also explained why she uses a shell to scoop the holy water and how it represents the saint our church is named after.

I then had the BIGGEST surprise at school... A special birthday party lunch in the hall. I don't know how the children kept it a secret! It was so lovely to celebrate with every member of our wonderful school community. I am so grateful to the grown-ups for organising such a treat and to Marrie and Nahdia for their delicious food and decorating skills. I am a very, very lucky headteacher indeed.

Have a lovely weekend,

S Hart & N Burton Executive Head Teacher Deputy Head Teacher



Attendance this week:

We are aiming for 97% across the whole school.

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Year 3	Year 2	Year 4
100%	98.4%	98.3%

Dates for your diary next page

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Date	Event	Notes
February		
6th Feb-17th Feb	STEM Fortnight	A fun packed learning fortnight around Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths
Friday 10	Technology Tom Workshop	Part of STEM
	PTA Disco	Information sent home
Monday 13	Professor Brainstorm Science Show	Part of STEM
	PTA Cake and Uniform Sale	More details to follow
Tuesday 14	Valentine's Lunch	Valentine's lunch in school
Friday 17	School closes for Half Term	
Monday 27	School Re-opens	
March		
Wednesday 1	Rapper/Actor - Kema Kay in school	Talk in school
Saturday 11	Adults Bingo Disco	More information to follow

PTA news

Upcoming events: We are looking forward to the school disco next Friday, please send in your permission slips by Monday (6th February). Other upcoming events not to be mixed include the cake and uniform sale (13th February) and our fantastic bingo disco for grown ups (11th March). As always, if you'd like to get more involved or have any further ideas for fundraising ideas, please get in touch!

Fundraising update: From the fundraising we have achieved so far this year, along with some carried over from last year, we have been able to support the school in obtaining a new white board for middle class as well as fulfilling our pledges of treating the kids to the Christmas Pantomime at Corbridge First School; resources for the Christmas parties and subscriptions for IT software.



