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## Cotherstone Primary School Newsletter 8<sup>th</sup> July 2021

### Covid-19

Following government advice and risk assessments, Covid restrictions will stay in place and continue until the end of term.

### Pre-school

If you would like to register your child for our pre-school starting in September please get in touch and we will send you relevant paperwork and information.

### Reminder

A consent form was sent home to all Class 3 children last week for the event taking place at The Hub on 15<sup>th</sup> July. If you have not already done so, please complete the form and return it to school by midday on Monday. Thank you.

### Class 1 Multi-Skills

As Staindrop Academy cancelled the sports festivals due to Covid restrictions, we decided to compete in school. Class 1 thoroughly enjoyed taking part in a P.E carousel on Wednesday and the weather was just perfect!



### Seaside Trip!

EYFS have had a fun week making their own bus outdoors and going on a trip to the seaside! They really enjoyed the ride and had ice-cream once they got there. They also made their own watering cans to take home with their sunflowers that they planted earlier in the year.



## After School Club

It's been another busy week in after school club this week. There's been fun and games on the field and seaside themed craft activities indoors. Please note that there will be no after school club on the last day of term, Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July.

### Golden Ticket Lunchtime Awards

Golden tickets this week were awarded to:

Benji – for always eating up his lunch  
Holly – for her kindness towards her fellow classmates  
Joseph – for always helping Wendy to clear up after lunchtime play  
Henry – for always being polite to lunchtime staff  
Bella N – for her lovely manners

### Awards

#### Class 1 Awards:

Presentation award – Isabella  
Headteacher Award – Claudette – for being kind and caring to all. Calvin – for his lovely picture of The Queen  
Star of the week – Holly for excellent manners, always trying her best and super listening skills!

#### Class 2 Awards:

Presentation Award- Summer  
Headteacher Award- Sennen for always being such an excellent friend and for helping others.  
Star of the week- Jon for contributions to class discussions about Ancient Egypt.

#### Class 3 Awards:

Presentation Award - Chloe  
Headteacher Award- Ashton for trying your best in everything you do.  
Star of the week- Bella FB for an excellent Maya piece of work.

Well done to you all!

### Homework

**Class 1:** EYFS – Maths mats and Phonics activity mat

Year 1 –Spellings. Telling the time the hour activity and Phonics mat

Year 2 – Spellings. Hit the button - learn 2x, 5x and 10 x tables by heart and Phonics mat

**Class 2:** Spellings. Topic- Sarcophagus design

**Class 3:** Children to research bridges from around the world, including UK, in preparation for our 'Bridge Building' project next week.

Please continue to read at home as often as you can and write any reading you do at home in your child's/children's reading record. Raffle tickets are entered into our book raffle for the chance to win one of our fantastic books.

***Thank you for all your support.***

***Chris Matthewman and the Cotherstone Team***

***Dates for your diary:***

12<sup>th</sup> July - DVD afternoon

12<sup>th</sup> July – Week 3 of lunch menu (apart from Monday)

12<sup>th</sup> July – Picnic Day with games and bubbles in bubbles!

13<sup>th</sup> July – Sports Day – school children only

14<sup>th</sup> July - Bridge Building Activity Day

15<sup>th</sup> July & 16<sup>th</sup> July – Class 2 – Ancient Egypt Topic Day

15<sup>th</sup> July - Y5/6 Activity Day - The Hub

19<sup>th</sup> July – Week 1 of lunch menu

20<sup>th</sup> July - Y5/6 Leavers assembly to be filmed for parents. No after school club.