

Dear Parents

Please find below our news for this week.....

**£** Year 6 children took part in a Money Matters event on Monday 25th January 2016. Children were involved in a workshop to help them learn the value of money and to get an understanding of how to budget and manage their money. Thank you to parents for coming along to listen to the children give a presentation at the end of the day.

The Year 3/4 Football Team played their first league matches at King James School on Thursday. The team played well and won 2 out of 3 games. Well done to everyone that played and thank you to parents for transporting children to and from the event.



Year 6 children took part in the Sporthall Athletics Festival at Bishop Auckland College on Thursday and came 4th overall. Well done on this achievement and for your excellent behaviour out of school.



### **RSPCA Assured—Junior Compassionate Cook Competition**

This annual junior cookery competition has been entered by Katie King, a pupil of Escomb Primary School— with her chocolate brownie recipe. Katie needs all of our help in reaching the final! Voting is open until 5 p.m. on Friday 19th February for the People's Choice category. To vote for Katie please visit [www.rspcaassured.org.uk](http://www.rspcaassured.org.uk) and click vote now and search for Katie King. You may make up to 25 votes per day from your wifi connection or 3G/4 by exiting and re-joining the page. Your support is very much appreciated.

Year 4 visited the Museum of Archaeology at the Palace Green, Durham today. Children took part in a workshop relating to Greeks and had an opportunity to handle greek artefacts, take part in a gallery trail, art activity and a greek play.

**Sainsbury Active Kids Vouchers**  
We are collecting Sainsbury vouchers again this year. Vouchers are available from Sainsbury's stores from 27th January until mid May. Please collect these vouchers and send these into school. Your support is much appreciated.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind Regards

Wendy Gill & Staff

# Star of the Week Award

29th January 2016

## Class Nominations

Reception	Nathan K
Class 1	Stella T
Class 2	Aimee T
Class 3	Amelia W
Class 4	-
Class 5	Jessica O
Class 6	Luke D

## Superstar of the Week!

\* Jessica O and Luke D \*

# Writer of the Week

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Reception	Phoebe W
Class 1	Joey B
Class 2	Esme S
Class 3	Leah R
Class 4	-
Class 5	Grace G
Class 6	Guy B

Well Done for producing  
such fabulous writing!

## Good to Be Green

## Lucky Dip Winners

KS1	Cody E
KS2	Kelsi H

## ATTENDANCE

Week Beginning: 22nd  
January 2016

**Class 6**

**97.9%**

**Well Done**

## Additional After School Clubs

Please find below some additional after school clubs that are scheduled to begin after the half term holidays. Places are limited therefore these will be allocated on a first come first served basis. If your child is interested in attending would you please return the form below asap (by Friday 5th February) in order that we can inform parents before the end of term that their child has a place.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Day	Club	Time	Outside Provider	Cost per class	Tick to register interest
Monday	Art - 3, 4, 5, 6 (20 places)	3.30 pm —4.30 pm	Alison Curry	2.50	
Wednesday	Drama 3, 4, 5, 6 (15 places)	3.30 pm —4.30 pm	Yvonne Etherington	2.50	
Thursday	Art 3, 4, 5, 6 (20 places)	3.30 pm —4.30 pm	Alison Curry	2.50	