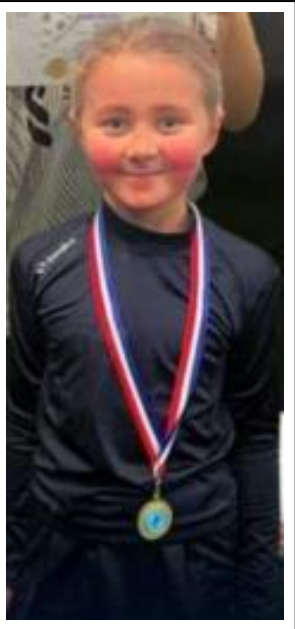


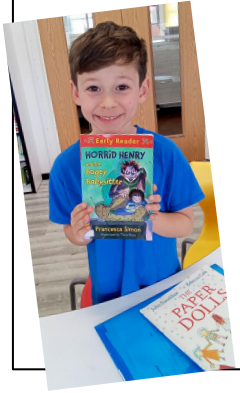


**Friday 10th February**

Congratulations to Charlotte from 3NF for winning a medal at the Soccer Dome this week!



2BP have been working hard to improve their reading this week and enjoyed a visit to the library.



Saturday 11th February marks the International Day of Women and Girls in Science.



We have many fabulous scientists in our school and are always on the lookout for new science ambassadors!

Following the recent ballot, our parent governors are now Suzie Walsh, Dr Kieran Grey and Ben Rosser. Parent governors bring a valued perception of school to our board.

**We are aiming to be cashless by the end of February - please pay for lunches and trips via the Arbor App. Thank you.**

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**Well done to: Meadow, Dylan, Maisie, Sol, Innes, Jake and Megan.**

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## Class 5JH

This week in class 5JH we were looking at still life paintings. The art lesson was linked to our Sow, Grow and Farm geography topic. The students were given a variety of fruit, which was placed on the tables, and were asked to create still life art using pastels. The end product was fantastic!!!



## Class 5JH

We have been studying poetry this week. The class have been reading a classic, "The Highway man". Our task has been to change the vocabulary in the poem using our own ideas. Charlie wrote an incredible verse independently.

*And dark in the gloomy, crooked inn-door, a heavy fence swept.*

*Where Tim the stableboy overheard, his face was pale and wrecked.*

*His eyes were waves of insanity, his hair like a freak.*

*But he obsessed over the landlord's daughter. The landlord's scarlett mouthed daughter.*

*Silent as a mouse he eavesdropped, and heard the burglar speak.*



## Home Reading Champions

Class	%	Class	%
1RL	44%	4LF	75%
1BT	91%	4CH	85%
1OT	77%	BD	38%
2BP	100%	5TS	93%
2SA	91%	5JH	56%
2RM	100%	5DD	86%
3NF	74%	6CJ	67%
3CH	58%	6RS	86%
3CM	40%	6JH	88%
4DH	89%	Total	77%

Well done to class 2BP and 2RM who have the highest reading average this week and to class 1OT who have the most improved score. Please try to read 5 times a week with your child - the results of regular reading make such a difference to them across all subjects in the curriculum.

## Half Term Sports Camps

Vara are holding a club here at New Brighton Primary for children aged 5-11.

The dates are:

Monday 20th February  
 Tuesday 21st February  
 Wednesday 22nd February  
 Thursday 23rd February  
 Friday 24th February



Book via the link below:

[www.vara-sports.class4kids.co.uk](http://www.vara-sports.class4kids.co.uk)

**Thorndale  
Tennis Club**

Dave McIndoe at Thorndale Tennis Centre are holding a tennis and sports camp from Monday 20th February-Friday 24th February.

Book via the link below:

[David McIndoe Tennis Coaching / Holiday camps](http://DavidMcIndoeTennisCoaching.com)  
[lta.org.uk](http://lta.org.uk)



# CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK



This week we have been celebrating Children's Mental Health Week in school. To honour the theme 'Let's Connect' we chose to create a whole school paper chain to illustrate the connections between our pupils and staff. This morning the House Captains and some pupils from School Council had the fun job of putting the paper chain together. For more information about Children's Mental Health Week visit <https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/families/>







# Week 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p><b>Sausage &amp; Mash</b> Choose from a butcher's quality sausage or a Quorn sausage served with a homemade mashed potato</p>	<p><b>Smothered Chicken</b> Choose from a chicken fillet or a Quorn fillet baked in the oven and topped with a BBQ sauce and cheese and served with savoury rice</p>	<p><b>Roast Dinner</b> Choose from home roasted gammon or a Quorn fillet served with roasted potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding, and gravy</p>	<p><b>Chilli Nachos</b> Choose from either fresh minced beef or Vegimince cooked with onions, mild chilli powder, red peppers and red kidney beans topped with tortilla chips and cheese and served on a bed rice</p>	<p><b>Fish and Chips</b> Choose from battered cod fillet, cod fillet fish fingers or a simple salmon fillet all baked in the oven &amp; served with chips</p>
<b>Served with</b>				
<b>Peas</b>	<b>Corn on the cob</b>	<b>Cauliflower &amp; Carrots</b>	<b>Broccoli</b>	<b>Peas or Beans</b>
<b>Or</b>				
<p><b>Jacket potatoes</b> served with a side salad are also available daily – chooses from a variety of fillings cheese, tuna mayo, ham, turkey &amp; baked beans (when available)</p>				
<b>Or</b>				
<p><b>Deli Bar - Available Everyday</b> Design your own sandwich, first choose your bread – wrap or batch, then choose your filling a selection of the following will be available daily – ham, cheese, tuna, Chinese chicken, turkey, roast beef, egg and finally finish with a choice of salad – carrot sticks, cucumber, cherry tomatoes, iceberg lettuce, sweetcorn, coleslaw, beetroot and peppers.</p>				
<b>And for dessert</b>				
<b>Iced Chocolate Surprise Cake</b>	<b>Apple Crumble &amp; Custard</b>	<b>Jelly and Cream</b>	<b>Iced Sponge</b>	<b>Hobnobs</b>
<p>Fresh Fruit, Fruit Pots, Yogurt or Cheese &amp; Crackers are available everyday as an alternative to the daily dessert.</p>				
<b>And finally, a drink</b>				
<p><b>A selection of the following drinks will be available daily</b> freshly made milkshakes - chocolate, strawberry or banana, fresh fruit juice – apple or orange or water.</p>				



# Attendance

*We aim for 100% our target is 98%*

*Remember that school starts at 8:50am and any time after this is late. Formal lessons start at 9:05 and the children need to be in, registered and settled for this time.*



Class	%	Minutes Late	Class	%	Minutes Late
Nursery	96.8	178	3CH	95.1	138
Poppies	97.6	163	3CM	94.6	92
Sweetpeas	96	29	4DH	95.2	68
Buttercups	94.8	15	4LF	97.9	98
1RL	97.9	48	4CH	97.4	58
1BT	95	85	BD	80.8	261
10T	96.8	156	5TS	96.7	12
2BP	97.7		5DD	96.7	171
2RM	93.9	118	5JH	93.3	76
2SA	94.6		6CJ	92.8	35
BK	84.8	20	6RS	93.8	37
3NF	90.7	72	6JH	88.6	
<b>Whole School</b>					
<b>Whole School Attendance</b>	<b>94.6%</b>		<b>Lost Learning</b>	<b>32 hrs</b>	

## Reporting a child's absence

Please remember to phone each day to report your child's absence. You can speak to the office staff or leave absence reasons on the answer machine. If reasons are not provided each day, an unauthorised mark will be entered on the register. **Punctuality is also very important, we now have a signing in screen for late arrivers and early leavers at reception.**



# Owl Awards



These children have been exceptional this week.

<b>Nursery</b> Theadora & Joey	<b>Class 3CH</b> Marley
<b>Buttercups</b> Maggie-Mae & April	<b>Class 3CM</b> Bradley W
<b>Poppies</b> Lily & Joshua	<b>Class 4DH</b> Taylor B
<b>Sweetpeas</b> Isla & Layla	<b>Class 4LF</b> Noah L
<b>Class 1RL</b> Logan	<b>Class 4CH</b> Reuben P-N
<b>Class 1BT</b> Albi	<b>Class BD</b> Reagan
<b>Class 10T</b> Toby	<b>Class 5TS</b> Lillie
<b>Class 2BP</b> Beatrice W	<b>Class 5JH</b> Poppy
<b>Class 2RM</b> Evelyn	<b>Class 5MW</b> Vicky
<b>Class 2SA</b> Grace	<b>Class 6CJ</b> Ben T
<b>Class BK</b> George	<b>Class 6RS</b> Jayden H
<b>Class 3NF</b> Charlotte R	<b>Class 6JH</b> Harry M

