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**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May**

**Achievers**

Class 1 - Emma Hawman  
Class 2 - Holly Dent  
Class 3 - Owen Allen  
Class 4 - Tom Jarvis  
Class 5 - Morgan Teesdale  
Class 6 - Well done to all in Class 6  
Best Class Attendance **Class 6 100%**

**Good to be Green**

Laina Walker  
Adam Vickers  
Leah Sammons  
Sol Francis  
Amelia Banks

**WELL DONE EVERYONE**

*Writer of the Week*

*Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May*

*Class 1 Kai Place  
Class 2 Daniel Davison  
Class 3 Peter Cogan  
Class 4 Kiera Sammons  
Class 5 Laura Taylor*



**SCHOOL NEWS**

Yesterday, a team of children from school - Abby, Amelia, Bradley, Jamie, Jessica, Lacey, Owen, and Tom represented the school in local tennis competition at Bishop Barrington School. They played brilliantly and were second overall. Well done. On Tuesday we had another visitor in Class 5, this was part of the Junior Neighbourhood Watch activities. This week the talk was about anti-bullying strategies. Today a group of Year 6 pupils went to Staindrop as part of their transition to secondary school.

**Summer Term Dates**

Non Uniform/Treat – 22<sup>nd</sup> May  
Half term holiday – 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> May  
Class Photographs – 16<sup>th</sup> June am  
Year 5 Curriculum Week – June 22<sup>nd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>  
Parents' Evening Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July  
Year 6 Transition to Secondary 8<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> July  
Sports Afternoon – Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July pm  
Non Uniform/Treat – 15<sup>th</sup> July  
Achievers' Assembly – Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> July 9.30am  
Year 6 Leavers' Assembly Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 11am

**Barnard Castle and Theatre Visit**

On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May, Classes 1, 2 and 3 went to the Witham Theatre at Barnard Castle to see a performance of Rapunzel. This was followed by a visit to the castle to carry out some drama activities of their own. It was a very enjoyable day.

**Holiday Dates**

**Summer 2015**

Mon 25<sup>th</sup> – Fri 29<sup>th</sup> May half term holiday week  
Fri 17<sup>th</sup> July 2015 last day of summer term

**Next Academic Year**

**Sept 2015 - July 2016**

**International Links**

Over the last six years our school has developed very positive and strong links with Lyakombila Primary school in Tanzania. This link was started, and funded, through the British Council. This partnership has promoted a good understanding of life and schools in both countries. This year we are developing this link to include a new school in Botswana called Moremi Primary. Mr. Nodding will visit the school during the half-term break to set up the link, and then teachers from Tanzania and Botswana will visit our school in June.

**Sept 2015 - Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September term start**  
**October: Mon 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> half term holiday**  
**December: Mon 21<sup>st</sup> – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Jan Christmas**  
**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Jan – School Closed**  
**February: Mon 15<sup>th</sup> – Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Half term holiday**  
**March: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April Easter hols**  
**(Please note Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Good Friday)**  
**May: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Bank Holiday**  
**May: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – half term**  
**June: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June School Closed**  
**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Break up for summer holiday**