



Split Assembly

This week we split assembly for two different but important messages. Years 5 and 6 enjoyed a visit from a combined Police and Fire Brigade team who talked them through the best ways to stay safe around Bonfire night and with fire in general. Years 3 and 4 listened to Ant and Dec (not in person, sadly) talk about the NSPCC and how to Speak out and Stay Safe...and we remembered the Childline number of 08001111 with a cool little 'dance'...do ask for a performance before they get their tea! Many thanks to Mrs Milligan for inspiring both messages.

Mr Miller
Guest Superpower for
November...Inclusivity



Year 4 Visit from the Laing Art Gallery

As part of our work on the Anglo Saxons, Year 4 had a visit from staff at the Laing Art Gallery, which linked to the exhibition of the Lindisfarne Gospels. The Lindisfarne Gospels is a manuscript, thought to have been written around the start of the 8th century.

The children took part in an assembly to find out about the history of the Gospels, then had a look at the Illuminated Letters and materials that would have been used at the time. We were then able to use this in our history lessons on the conversion to Christianity.

The Gospels are on display at the Laing until the 3rd December – if you would like to go and see them, follow the link below

<https://laingartgallery.org.uk/whats-on/lindisfarne-gospels>



Mrs Baker



Doodle Champions!

A HUGE CONGRATULATIONS go to the following THREE!!! form classes for reaching the enviable doodle total of 100%...3D, 4M and 5B

This is the first time THREE classes have reached the 100% target! **Top doodling!!**
Who will it be next week.....could we get FOUR form classes at 100%.....

Mr Lloyd



MUSIC LESSONS

If your son/daughter is going on a trip or fixture, please inform your child's VMT as soon as possible to re-arrange an individual music lesson, as you will be charged if your son/daughter misses a lesson due to a trip /fixture.

Thank you.



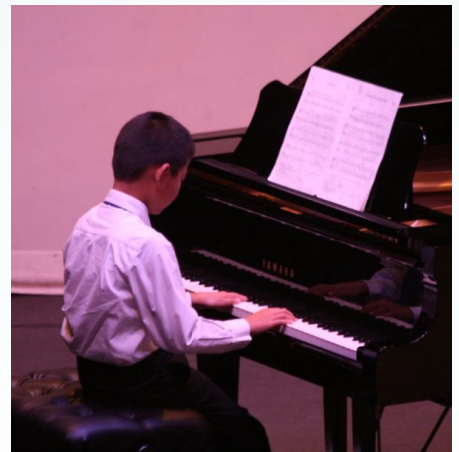
RGS Juniors are KIND!



On Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th October, the Miller Theatre was alive with the sound of music! Two fabulous nights showcased the wonderful musical enthusiasm and talent we have in the school, as well as demonstrating our love of coming together and having fun. The final rendition of 'I'll be there for you' really raised the roof! (Parents – I was blown away by your commitment to the singing!) I was extremely proud of how hard the children had worked in preparation for the competitions, really showing an understanding of the focus that I gave to all year groups for their music lessons in the first half term 'How Music Brings Us Together.' Whilst there were winners for each category, each and every child made incredible progress in their singing and performance skills whilst preparing for these events.

Here is a run down of the winners for each category as well as some fabulous photos from both nights.

Y3 Soloist	Alan J
Y4 Soloist	Anaya G
Y5 Soloist	Allan Z
Y6 Soloist	Annabelle Z
Y3/4 Small Vocal Groups	Eldon
Y5/6 Small Vocal Groups	Stowell
Y3/4 House Choir	Stowell
Y5/6 House Choir	Stowell
Y3/4 Overall Winner	Eldon
Y5/6 Overall Winner	Stowell



CONGRATULATIONS TO ...



Iason's F (4AW) had great success at the Northumbria Junior Chess Association Tournament (NJCA) that took place on Saturday 15th October at NPS. Iason won a gold medal and was awarded the trophy for coming first in his category of under 9's. Iason was able to secure 5 wins and 2 ties (out of the 7 games in total each player could participate in) - **Nataly (Iason's Mum) & Dimitrios (Iason's Dad)**



Impressive!



Aaila S (3T) completed her half term space project-building a solar system model



MATHS PUZZLE OF THE WEEK



The answer for Henry's puzzle was ...
7:25am

Well done to all those who attempted the puzzle.

This week's Puzzle, contributed by Vivienne in 6N :

Vivienne's Maths Puzzle

I have 3 calculations. Work out the answers and then sum up all the answers together. (ie A + B + C)

A) $(70 \times 36) \div 3 =$

B) $4^3 \div 8 \times 9 =$

C) $5^3 \div 5 =$

Please submit your answer, along with any of your own, real-life puzzles (and answers!), to me:

t.lloyd@rgs.newcastle.sch.uk



Thank you.

Mr Lloyd

Chess Champions



The NPS junior tournament took place on Saturday 15th October. I'm delighted to say lots of RGS pupils did well. Iason F won the u9 section (year 4 and under) outright with a great score of 6/7 and received a trophy. Om P was outright second with 5.5 points. Hugh P was third outright on 5 points, a great score from a year 3 pupil. Kush P, Terrence S and Avi C all finished on 4.5 points. Edward S scored 4 points. Madhavi V and Cleo B both finished on 3 and each received a trophy for the best girl.

Aditya J won the U11 section (year 6 and under) outright with an excellent 6.5/7 and won the trophy. Bruce L was outright second with 6/7. Ishaan D, Ethan R and Yogam V were all joint third on 5/7. Krish A finished on 4.5 and James P, George M, Ellie D and Leo C all scored 4 points. Ellie won the trophy for the best girl.

Everyone is looking forward to the next tournament!

Mr Eggleston



INKTOBER

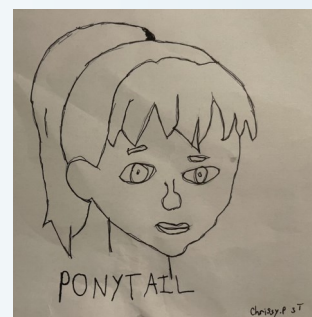


Vivienne P in 6N completed the Inktober challenge with all of these amazing drawings!



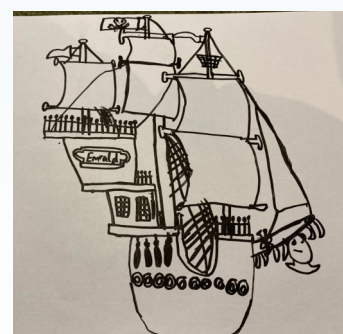
INKTOBER CHALLENGE COMPLETE

Chrissy P (3T) submitted these three wonderful drawings for Inktober.



Ishaan O (5B) would like to share an Inktober drawing he enjoyed doing prompted by the word 'bat'.

Zachary T (4LW) took part and submitted this fantastic drawing for "Heist"



Lost Property

Please can we keep an eye out for the following lost items and return to the named children if found:

Ani K (5M) - a pair of size 7 black Clarks shoes and a size 32 blazer

James T (5B) - a pair of black shoes with velcro straps.

Arianna C (3T) - a black mid-layer

Vivienne P (6N) - a blue coat



CLASS TOKENS COMPETITION



A **BIG** well done to 4AW who won the *Class Tokens Competition* last week and thoroughly enjoyed their well-deserved breakfast!

Mrs Cree



WELLBEING WEEKEND



Thank-you to those of you who sent in pictures for the Bulletin. Have fun, and don't forget to send pictures so we can add them to the next bulletin.



Chrissy P (3T) enjoyed baking some chocolate chip cookies with her sister over the weekend



Eva O (3S) found a magical Autumnal pathway with her four legged friend, Buddy.

Grace L (3S) recently enjoyed a 'Night at the Museum' at Beamish. She got to enjoy all the attractions of the museum during the day and then stay overnight when all the public had left. She really enjoyed spending time with her Brownie pack and is looking forward to the next one. — **Sarah L**



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

MANY HAPPY RETURNS TO....

Arthur P (3S), Hetty T (3T), Cecily S(3T), Sebastian H (3S),
Agastya T-R (3T), Imogen H (4MH), Simrin N (4LW),
Kush P (4MH), Om P (4MH), Sophia B (4LW),
Sienna W (4LW), Kailin L (4MH), Sebastian S (4AW),
Louis G (4MH), Mina J-L (5C), Zach VB (5M), Sebastian F (5C),
Henry H (5C), Allan Z (5M), Vihaan J (6W), Sophia C (6N),
Saptarshi B (6L), Yash N (6W), Lucas C (6L), Annabel M (6W),
Charlotte T (6N),

**WE HOPE YOU ENJOYED
YOUR SPECIAL DAY!**



Congratulations to...



Aditya Jadhav (6N) won the first prize in the U11 Chess Tournament organized by NJCA at NPS on 15/10/2022.





Year 5 and 6's Spooky Disco

A BIG thank you to the Junior School Parents team for arranging this fantastic event!

