



Growing Together



Friday 28th June

**Head Teachers Message:** This week our Year 6 children performed their play in front of family and friends! It was absolutely amazing and I was so proud of them. It hasn't been easy for them having no classroom, building work around them and only a month to rehearse, but with their Growth Mindset they ensured it was a success! We saw some exceptional hidden talents combined with some very funny acts! We laughed all the way through it and there was a lovely atmosphere in the hall. Thank you Year six children and staff, you cheered everyone up at this difficult time of year!

**Message Board**

**Year 3 Art Afternoon**

A big thank you to all of the year 3 adults who showed up on Monday to take part in our Jan van Goyer art activity. The adults and children had to use watercolours in order to paint one of their holiday photographs in the style of our current artist, Jan van Goyer. It was lovely to see so many people getting involved, and I think everyone would agree that the children not only behaved wonderfully, but did a fantastic job of explaining the task. On a side note, some of the pictures were truly excellent, so much so that Mr Gibson has decided to put them on EBay and take early retirement. Mr Gibson, Mrs Marley & Mrs Dixon

**Flu Jabs**

Children from Year R-6 will be offered a flu jab on 15th November 2019 in school. Consent must be given online. Please see attached sheet for more information and details on how to give consent.

**Year 5 Visit to Tanfield**

On Tuesday, Year 5 went to Tanfield to learn about Science. This was based on the movie "The Incredibles". We made elastacycles, balloons and static electricity, hot ice and flying tea bags! We loved it and even watched the teacher set her hand on fire using bubbles and gas. Year 5 showed some exceptional behaviour and the Tanfield staff were very impressed at the knowledge our Year 5 children had.

**Year 4 Visit to the Plantation to create their own Trail!**

Mrs Gray's class will be taking part in a walk in the Plantation to develop their very own school trail! This will take place on Tuesday 2nd July. Please send your child in suitable, weather appropriate clothing and footwear for walking in the woodland. Children will be back at school for lunch time. Thank you!

(Miss Alsop's class will be taking part in the same activity the following week on Friday 12th July)

**Gibside Sponsored Walk**

A huge well done to all of our children and staff for taking part in our fun run at Gibside today. It is going to help us on the way to achieve our Gold walking award.

Just a reminder to send your sponsor money into school now the event has taken place. Please send any money into school with a named sponsor form. All of the money we raise from Gibside goes straight into our school fund. Every donation helps! We would like to thank you for your continued support.

**Friends of Burnopfield**

Please see attached sheet from the Friends of Burnopfield. It contains information regarding the Year 6 Leavers Disco and the Sports Day Raffle.

**Sew and Chat Quilters**

On Saturday 20th July the Sew and Chat Quilters invite you to take a sneaky peak at the work of the Young Quilters of Region 15E. It will be held at St James' Church Hall in Burnopfield between 10am — 3.30pm. Entry will be £2 and will include a drink and a biscuit.

**tweet of the week**



**Burnopfield Primary** @Burnopfield\_sch · 56m

Here are some photos of the amazing year 6 show last night #dramaburnopfield

**Attachments**

- Flu jab information
- Friends of Burnopfield Newsletter
- Celebrate Durham competition

**Keep in Touch**



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You matter most

Harrogate and District **NHS**  
NHS Foundation Trust

# Be a Flu Fighter!

Over 1000 children were hospitalised  
with flu last season, just under half  
required admission to intensive care

Dear Parent/Guardian of children from reception up to and including year 6.

Please visit the link or scan the QR code below to consent for your child (one for each child) to receive their flu vaccine in the autumn term 2019. This consent must be completed by 27<sup>th</sup> September to ensure we can vaccinate your child when we are in school. Please note the consent form has been improved and simplified.

You will be asked to enter a secure school code:

School Name: Burnopfield

Code: 114035



[www.hdft.nhs.uk/electronic-consent](http://www.hdft.nhs.uk/electronic-consent)

This vaccination programme is in place to help protect your child against flu. Flu can be a very serious illness and sometimes causes major health complications particularly in children and the elderly. Vaccinating your child will also help protect more vulnerable friends and family by preventing the spread of flu. Please ensure you read and understand all the information at the above link before you complete the consent form.

The vaccination is free and recommended for young children and is given via a quick and simple spray up the nose.

**If you have any questions or do not have internet access to complete the form please do not hesitate to contact us on: 03000 032554**

Yours sincerely,

Karen Guest-Humphries  
Clinical Lead, Childhood Immunisation Team for Durham, Darlington and Teesside

June 2019

Friends of Burnopfield Newsletter



With just three short weeks to go, we still have two events coming up!

## IT'S PARTY TIME



### YEAR 6 LEAVERS' DISCO

The disco takes place at Burnopfield Cricket Club, from 5.30pm to 7.30pm. Parents and carers are welcome to gather outside before to take photographs, but parents and carers are NOT allowed into the disco. A hot buffet and unlimited squash will be provided. ANY PHONES MUST BE SWITCHED OFF DURING THE EVENT. Children do not need any cash for the evening.

If any parents or carers would like to donate 56 sweet cones we would be most grateful! Please let Mrs Thompson or Mr Robertshaw know if you can help!

Thank you in advance of your co-operation on what will be a fabulous evening and good luck to all of the Year 6 pupils on the next part of your adventure!



### SPORTS DAY RAFFLE

We are busy gathering raffle prizes - if you or your business would like to donate something please can you drop this off at the main office! Thank you!



So far our prizes include donations from: The Joinery, The Burrows, Daisy May's floristry, Victory Barbershop, Burnopfield Tandoori, Castle soft play, Diamond Beauty, Holly Riding School, Razzamattaz Theatre School and All Eyes on YOU!

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT SPORTS DAY - £1 PER TICKET

If anyone would like to help sell tickets it would be appreciated - just offer as we're selling!

If you would like to "pre-order" your raffle tickets (just in case you can't be there or are like me and never carry cash!) please fill in the slip below and return to school with the money and your tickets will be passed to you prior to Sports Day. THIS INCLUDES THE NURSERY SPORTS DAY!

The draw takes place on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July at 9am

Thank you for your continued support this academic year, Melanie X

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### SUMMER RAFFLE 2019 PRE - ORDER FORM

YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CHILD'S NAME AND TEACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF TICKETS REQUIRED: \_\_\_\_\_

Please enclose your money with this slip. The tickets will be given to you prior to Sports Day

# #durham19

Dear Parents and Guardians.

## Celebrate Durham19 – the county's Year of Culture!

With an incredible year of events, festivals and openings taking place, 2019 is Durham's Year of Culture!

From Lumiere, the UK's largest light festival to the ICC Men's Cricket World Cup, and from a museum recreated in Lego® to the reopening of Durham Cathedral's Tower, cultural and sporting events are set to excite and inspire children across the county.

To celebrate, the County Durham Cultural Education Partnership are inviting primary school pupils to take part in a competition to be inspired by Durham19 and be in with the chance of **winning one of 15 Durham VIP Passes, which gives free entry to a host of attractions across the county, for up to four people. Perfect for days out this summer!**

To enter (**free of charge!**) please visit [www.thisisdurham.com/19](http://www.thisisdurham.com/19) to find out more about events, festivals and openings taking place. Then complete a drawing (**entry form attached**) that represents Durham19 – the county's Year of Culture, or a specific event or festival that sounds like fun!

You can either send your entry yourself or please return to school by 12<sup>th</sup> July and we will send your entry for you!

Thank you everyone! Let's get our children cultured!

Miss Oxnard

Get Creative for  
Durham's Year of Culture

#durham19

Draw in the box above (different sized and coloured paper will also be accepted)

Name .....

School .....

Year Group .....

Entries to be scanned and emailed to [marketing@visitcountydurham.org](mailto:marketing@visitcountydurham.org) or posted to  
Durham19 Competition, Visit County Durham, 2nd Floor, County Hall, Dryburn Road, Durham DH1 5UL

School or parent/guardian entries to provide a contact name and phone number for communication in the event of winning a Durham VIP Pass. For full terms and conditions, visit [thisisdurham.com/getcreative](http://thisisdurham.com/getcreative)