



# Wearhead Primary School

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*"THE SMALL SCHOOL WITH THE BIG HEART"  
"El Colegio mas pequeño con el corazón mas grande"*

29<sup>th</sup> June 2019

Dear Parents,

Although the cold and damp on Monday and Tuesday may have suggested otherwise, the summer term is in full swing now with lots of exciting events and activities happening for the children. I hope you enjoy finding out about some of them below and don't forget to keep checking on the website as there are regular updates, including pictures to keep you informed.

Don't forget that the deadline for Parent Governor nominations is next Friday. I am pleased to say we have had some interest but we have three posts to fill so please get in touch if you want a nomination form or just want to talk about the role before deciding to apply.

Many congratulations to all of our cross country runners who had a fantastic morning down at Wolsingham School on Tuesday. Everyone showed true grit and determination, including the Wearhead runner who wouldn't stop even though she had lost a shoe! It was a wonderful event, with lots of fun - and it was a real showcase that sport is for ALL! The last race of the event - a fun lap of the course had runners from all ages sharing and celebrating together. The organisers commented on how superb all of the children were - in attitude to a healthy lifestyle and their impeccable manners!

Richard Crane, head of children and young people's services, enjoyed a super time at school last Friday. He chatted to the juniors about aspirations and joined in a table football world cup match representing Canada! Richard commented on the fantastic singing of the children as they entertained him and a small audience for Friday's #Bigplay event.

A reminder to all parents about our visit to **Killhope Museum on Tuesday 2nd July**. Please will you ensure that the children are in full school uniform, and dressed appropriately for the weather as most of the visit will be outside. Please can all the children have a back-pack type bag with waterproofs/sun cream/ sun hat and a coat in it (it can be colder at Killhope). If your child has a packed lunch from home, please bring that on Tuesday. Lunch will be provided for everyone else - and will be given out to each child at school before we go. Pre-school will not run that day.

FISCH club is **cancelled** on **Tuesdays 2nd and 9th July**. It will resume on Tuesday 16th July which will be the last session.

**Message from Mrs Turnbull** - Would all infant pupils please bring their plant back to school that they have been carefully looking after on **MONDAY**...OR if it is too tricky to transport safely a photograph would be fine. (whatever condition it is in!) Don't worry if the plant has not survived as we will also be thinking and talking about what can go wrong!

Atentamente  
Tim Hiley and Staff

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**Flu Immunisation October 2019 – Reception – Year 6** Last year the flu programme was very successful in reducing absenteeism and hospital admissions for children with influenza like symptoms. The flu vaccine is being offered to your child, to consent please visit: [www.hdft.nhs.uk/electronic-consent](http://www.hdft.nhs.uk/electronic-consent). If you do not have internet access please contact us on 03000 032554.

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# 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 in September 2019

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: Wearhead**

**Code: 114065**



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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

