



# Weekly Newsletter



## News of the Week!

### In the news this week

The 2025 United Nations Climate Change Conference, known as COP30, will be held in Belém, Brazil, from 10<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> November. At the meeting, country leaders and experts will discuss how to protect the planet by reducing pollution, saving forests and working together. After the meeting, countries will need to share how they will keep the climate promises they made, and stay on target to meet their goals.

#### Things to talk about at home ...

- > Talk to someone at home about what they know about COP30.
- > What do you know about climate change?
- > If you could speak to the leaders at the COP30 summit, what would you say?

Along with our weekly Picture News assembly where we thought about what Cop 30 was, Key Stage 2 children joined a live lesson that was presented all the way from Brazil. We are keen for our children to have a good understanding of current affairs and global, environmental issues so it was an ideal opportunity, this week, to dig a little deeper and look at how world leaders are working together to protect our planet.

## Remembrance Day



The whole school paid their respects to the fallen on Remembrance Day at the Remembrance Garden behind school. The children were impeccable during our two minutes silence. Thanks also goes to Evie and Teddy for representing our school at the village Remembrance Day service on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November.



## Odd Socks—Anti Bullying

Just a reminder that children can wear Odd Socks tomorrow (**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November**) if they would like to. This is to raise awareness of Anti-Bullying Week. All classes will have spent some time on this through conversation and discussion this week.



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## Sports Success

The school was filled with great delight last week following the rapid arrival of our stunning new school Sports Kits. We are delighted to have received 28 kits from Mr Leech and Mr Hough. Their support and very generous donation is greatly appreciated, and we look forward to wearing them with pride.

### Boys Football Semi Final

On Friday afternoon, our Year 5 & 6 boys showed fantastic teamwork and determination at the semi-final tournament at Hartford High School. Each of the six games was a challenge, but the team fought hard, scored some brilliant goals, and displayed great **ROCK values** throughout. Congratulations to the boys on a great performance and for reaching this stage of the competition!

### Girls Football Semi Final

On Monday afternoon, eight determined girls proudly represented our school in the Year 5/6 Semi-Final Tournament at Hartford High School.

Showing wonderful teamwork and adaptability, they won four of their six matches, drew one, and lost one. Their incredible performance earned them 2nd place and a well-deserved spot in the Cheshire Finals! We are so proud of their effort, team spirit, and sportsmanship. Congratulations and Good Luck in the next round!

Huge congratulations to both teams and enormous thanks to our families who transported their children to and from each event and for your continued support.





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## Mad Science Club—Spring Term 1

We are excited to offer a Mad Science after school club once again. The club will be held on Wednesday nights in Spring term 1. Please use the link below to sign up. More details will be shared in the coming weeks, but places are allocated on a first come, first serve basis.

<https://northengland.madscience.org/parents-register-a.aspx?action=search&org=40694#ctn-activitylist>

## Bikeability Year 5

Year 5 had a great time at Bikeability this week. They learnt how to conduct bike checks so their bike is safe to ride. As well as learning bike positions on the road, the children practised signalling, turning and manoeuvring. These skills are particularly useful as, after the age of 10, cyclists are not permitted to use the pavements.



## Car Park and Parking

If you are dropping your child off for Club Rock we request that you follow our procedures for keeping the children safe. If you are using the car park you must reverse into the car park space, as this is a pedestrian access to our school and observe the maximum 5 miles per hour speed limit.

To confirm, the gate to the staff car park will be closed every day at 8.30am and will be opened again at 8.55am. Parents and carers should not lift their children over any gate or fences to access the school grounds.

When parking in the village car park we can not stress enough that cars should only be parked in designated car park spaces and not on the curbs or pavements. We are trying to keep your children safe.

## School Tempest Portraits

All children in school today had the opportunity for their individual school portrait, an email will be sent to you in the coming days directly from Tempest. You can go online preview and order your child's picture. You will have 15 days to order which includes free shipping to school. No paper copies have been sent home.



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## Lockdown Procedures

With the introduction of Martin's Law, we are returning to our school lockdown procedures to practise and refine what we have in place to protect our children. With this in mind, like we practise fire drills, we will be practising a lockdown procedure next week. This will involve an evacuation procedure. We will be using the context of a rogue dog that has gained access to the school site and could be in the building so we are going to make ourselves safe. Staff will then use the experience to consider what worked well and what can be improved upon.

## Smart Watches

We remind all parents to please ensure children are not wearing smartwatches to school. We appreciate your support with this.

## Hot Chocolate Friday....

Well done to all our children who all won Headteachers Award on Friday 7th November for showing Kindness.

Rec— George  
Y1— Callum  
2— Otis  
Y3— Ava  
Y4— Ollie  
Y5— Archie  
Y6— Charlotte  
Club— Dorothy  
Mr A— George and Lilly



## Weekly attendance

### w/c 7.11.2025

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| Year Rec | 93.33% |
| Year 1   | 94.17% |
| Year 2   | 98.75% |
| Year 3   | 100%   |
| Year 4   | 98.28% |
| Year 5   | 100%   |
| Year 6   | 96.55% |