



# Derwent Vale Newsletter

This certificate is awarded to **Class 4** for highest attendance this week and arriving on time. (100%)

Check out our website: [www.derwentvale.cumbria.sch.uk](http://www.derwentvale.cumbria.sch.uk)



Friday 10th November 2017

NUT FREE SCHOOL

Car parking: NO PARKING IN THE GARAGES PLEASE.. THIS IS PRIVATE LAND.

- Mornings: Only cars dropping children off may drive around the bus lane.
- Afternoons: All cars must park along by the rugby club and adults walk to pick up their child.
- This system ensured the safety of ALL children last year
- The governors and staff would like to thank you for your continued support in this important issue.
- Please do not park in front of the kitchen door at any time as access is required for deliveries. We would also ask that you are mindful of people's driveways when you park. It is illegal; and finable, to park on double yellow lines.

**ATTENDANCE: 5 children were late this week. Well done everyone else!**

### ATTENDANCE

School attendance this week  
**93.12%**



**We need to improve this!**  
Our Local Authority target is 96%  
Appointments should be made after 3pm

### School starts at 8:45

- 13th Choir - lunchtime  
Cricket club 3-4pm
- 15th High 5 netball competition pm  
After school clubs 3-4pm
- 16th Y3 swimming am
- 17th Office closed

### Events coming up

- 23.11.17 Last swimming session
- 29.11.17 Governor Day
- 4.12.17 Class 2 performances
- 5.12.17 Class 1 performances
- 13.12.17 Carol service
- 15.12.17 Finish for Christmas 1.30pm

### DERWENT VALE FUNDRAISING GROUP

A constitution for the new Derwent Vale Fundraising Group has been set up to raise funds for school. We are looking for new members, are you interested? Our first project is to fundraise to install a new adventure playground in the school grounds.

Headlice. There have been cases of headlice in school. Treatment can be obtained FREE from any chemist as part of the Minor Ailment Scheme. Please treat all of your family

Safeguarding Cumbria Local Children's Safeguarding Board (LSCB). Concerns about the wellbeing of any child information can be found at <http://cumbrialscb.com> Tel: 0333 240 1727



### Star of the Week

This week Star of the Week has been awarded to **Jayden and Shaznay** from Class 1, **Ava and Kiaya** from Class 2, **Jaydan and Summer** from Class 3, **Shaun and Elise** from Class 4, **Paul** from Class 5. Well done everyone!

### "Strive for 5" reading challenge.



116/122 pupils enjoyed a fantastic Halloween themed morning to celebrate their Strive for 5 success last half term. Well done. Reading books and records should be commented in, signed and brought in to school each day. Staff will be asking your child about the content of the book they have been reading. **Keep reading!**

### Workington Music Festival - choir

Congratulations to our school choir who took 2<sup>nd</sup> place at the music festival!



Derwent Vale Primary and Nursery School are now offering: **Up to 30 hours of free childcare for working parents of 3 and 4 year olds** Ask at the office for more information

**Apply now at**  
[www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk)  
HMRC help line number: 0300 123 4097

**DERWENT VALE PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL - ACHIEVING TOGETHER**

# NOTICEBOARD

## Birthday cakes



As you know we are a nut free school. Because of this we are often unable to allow birthday cakes in to school due to the possibility of nuts being an ingredient. To avoid disappointment we are now providing a pre-order cake service from the school kitchen at a cost of £5. Please ask at the office for order details.

**CHRISTMAS**  
Table Top Sale  
To be opened by Derwent Vale Choir  
In the village hall  
Sunday 25th November 2017  
Doors open at 1.00pm - 3.00pm  
**SELL YOUR ITEMS WITH US!**  
Book your table for only £5  
Tel: 07842503465  
Entry 50p per Adult, all children free.

TEAM EVIE PRESENTS

**Kids Training**  
With **JAMES GRAHAM**  
**12.12.2017**

YEARS 1 - 6 FROM 4-5PM.  
YEARS 7 - 11 FROM 5.30 - 6.30PM

**£15 per child**

Venue - Derwent Park Stadium  
For further details and to book check out our website  
[www.teamevie.org](http://www.teamevie.org)

**DANCE CLUB**

Starts again Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
Great Clifton Village Hall 5pm - 6pm  
£2

Great Clifton has it's very own Dance Club.  
For anybody Aged 4 and Upwards.  
Come and see what it's all about.  
Dance to your favourite songs and explore your favourite styles.  
See you there  
Helena\*