



Durham Lane Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancy

We have a lunchtime supervisor vacancy (temporary in the first instance) from after half term, Monday to Friday 12-1pm. If you are interested, or know anyone that is, please contact the office as soon as possible for more information and an application form.

This position has come about as Mrs. Chaney has decided to leave in order to seek work as a teaching assistant. She has been a valued part of our team for just over 2 years now and we wish her the very best of luck for the future.

Stamp Collection

We are saving stamps for the Bone Cancer Research Trust. I know that stamps are less common than they used to be, but if you could cut any off envelopes (leaving a 1cm border) and send them into classes we'd be very grateful. It costs nothing to help this fantastic charity.

Food Bank

Thank you so much for your extremely generous response to our Harvest appeal for the Stockton and Billingham Food Bank. We had a lovely service with Reverend Sylvia where the donations were presented and then Mrs. Guest and I visited the Food Bank with a group of Y6 pupils who later did a presentation to the school about this. Many thanks to Mrs. Guest for organising everything; thanks as well to Miss Bain and Mr Ball for helping us transport the donations over to Billingham. It may interest you to know that they also have clothing, shoes, household goods, toys and baby equipment banks if you have any unwanted items that you could deliver to them. Altogether, we took a huge 276kg of donations; thank you so much again.

Tag Rugby

Congratulations and good luck to our two Y5/6 Tag Rugby teams who are through to the Stockton finals on Monday.

Bikes and Scooters

We are more than happy for children to come to school on bikes and scooters, but they must wear a helmet or they will be banned from this. Could you please make sure that bike locks are provided and that bikes of younger children are put away properly and locked.

Choir

Early notice that this year's Music for Youth Regional Festival is at SAGE, Gateshead on the morning of Sunday 9th February 2020.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. J.A.C. Ball
(Head Teacher)