

DENBY DALE FIRST & NURSERY SCHOOL

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On Tuesday evening some children from Y2 – Y5 took part in cycling races at Scissett Middle School. They did the school proud with their positive attitude. Each entrant received a certificate and we had one medal winner. Congratulations to all!

Our Y2 class have completed several 'secret agent missions' this week. These have included maths and reading challenges and I couldn't be more proud of them!

Thursday is our Jubilee day. I am really pleased so many of you are able to join us for lunch and look forward to seeing you then.

Looking Ahead

25th May Year 1 Bake Sale
26th May School Queen's Jubilee Garden Party
27th May Last Day at School
30th May – 1st June Dragonflies Holiday Club
2nd & 3rd June School & Dragonflies Closed
6th June School & Dragonflies Closed – Inset Day
7th June School & Dragonflies opens
13th June Year 5 Music Festival

This week **Reception** and **Year 1** have been having a go on the Balance Bikes with the coach from SPIN (Sporting Partnerships and Initiatives from Newsome). Being able to ride a balance bike is the first step to learning to ride a pedal bike and is the best way to learn this important skill. Children amazed us with their listening and balance skills, and completed some tricky challenges! The children demonstrated excellent behaviour and encouraged their friends showing that they are role models for our school. Well done, Reception Class and Year 1

Mentions – 20.5.22

Reception: Adam, Mari
Y1: Ellie-Mae, Yharna, Alice
Y2: Jessica, Leo
Y3: Reggie, James
Y4: Joshua, India, Madeleine
Y5: William, Poppy



Important/General Information

Sun Cream

As the weather is getting warmer please don't forget to apply sun cream to your children before school, particularly on P.E days.

Parking

Please can we ask you to drive and park considerably close to school, be aware of children crossing. Please leave the yellow zig-zag lines, neighbours' driveways and the bus routes at the junction to Pingle Rise clear.

There are two designated **drop-off** spaces in the school car park for parents to use when dropping off or collecting children from our Dragonflies extended provision. If the designated spaces are full please use the spaces at the top of the car park. **However, the car park is NOT ACCESSIBLE between 8.30 am – 9.00 am and 2.45 pm – 3.30 pm.** The only other people using the car park between 8.30 am and 3.30pm should be staff, parents with specific permission from the school and deliveries.

No children should be in the car park unsupervised, please do not let your children run behind the cars when walking through the car park.

Used Uniform Sale

There will be a Used Uniform sale on Tuesday 24th May before and after school, so grab yourself a bargain as we know how quickly the children grow.

School - Charity Bake Sale

The next bake sale is on Wednesday 25th May for Kirkwood Snow Dogs appeal <https://www.snowdogskirklees.org.uk/> and for money towards more exciting playground markings.

Buns/cakes will be provided by Year 1 and will cost 50p each. Please pay on Parentpay to avoid disappointment

Community News

