

### Lingdale Letterbox

## Working together to be the best we can be 11.10.2019

Dear Parents/Carers Welcome to this week's news.....

And... The winners were Lingdale Primary School!

Congratulations to the Year 5/6 children who participated in a STEM science challenge at The Beacon of Light Sunderland this week. Against the odds, a small village school won the competition to design an 'undersea grabber' - based on ridding the oceans of polution. After a visit from a STEM Ambassador last year, the pupils were tasked with making a tool capable of transporting items (such as an egg and a jelly baby) which were buried in sand-from one location to another. Hats off to our children who did it in 2.8 minutes.





A huge well done to our Year 5 and 6 children who took part in our East Cleveland cluster Tag Rugby events this week. A superb performance from the whole team and a special thank you to Miss Sheridan and Mrs Crame who supported the Lingdale teams. The girls' team finished in a fantastic 3<sup>rd</sup> place, narrowly missing out on the final. Well done!



Y5/6: 92.6% Below Y3/4: 90.6% Below! Y1/2: 97% Good! Reception: 92.9% Below

This week's whole school attendance:

93.4%

95%

Yearly school attendance to date:

Needs to improve!



#### Half term holidays:

Last day of term Fri. 25th October, returning to school Monday 4th November 2019

Break up for Xmas holidays Fri 20<sup>th</sup> December **Halloween disco** tickets now on sale at the office - £1.50
per ticket on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> Oct 4pm - 5.30pm **Phones-** Thank you for your support in making our playground a mobile- free zone. Safeguarding is our

priority.

#### Harvest Festival Donations

We would welcome any donations of tins and produce for our Harvest Festival on Friday  $25^{th}$  October. Please do join us at 1pm in the school main hall. All donations will be taken to the local food bank or to local families in need following the service.



### Parents' Evening - Monday the 14th October

Parents' evenings this term will take place on Monday 14th October. Please make sure you have received an appointment from your child's teacher. Thank you.

Year 5/6 class assembly 24th October 2.20 pm.

# Head Teacher's Awards: For kindness - Well done!

Heidi P - Mrs Jones

Dimitri D - Miss Stonehouse

Rihanna M - Mr Fairbridge

Amy 5 - Mrs Crame

Lexie S- Mrs Norris

Times Table Rockstar – Joseph C Citizenship – Rosie O

