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Shilbottle Primary Newsletter

Week 21 – 1 March 2019

Just want to say "very many thanks" to you for organising and setting up such a first-class day for me yesterday at Shilbottle. Everyone was supportive and I thought the children were most enthusiastic, responsive, and well-behaved. The Year 5 and Year 6 classes worked particularly hard in the afternoon workshops. And it was good to sign so many books.

In all, a terrific day at a top-notch school!

Best wishes to all
Wes (Magee)



After School

March 2019

Monday	Karate Ensemble	R – Y6 Y3 – Y6
Tuesday	Football Coding	R – Y5 R – Y6
Wednesday	Lego	R – Y5
Thursday	Football	Y4 – Y6
Friday	Netball [lunch] Quicksticks	Y5 – Y6 Y3 – Y6

These clubs finish at 4:15. For sporty clubs please bring in clothes from home ☺

STAR OF THE WEEK

RECEPTION: All of Reception

YEAR 1: Daniel K

YEAR 2: Ciara H

YEAR 3: Jay T

YEAR 4: Gil B

YEAR 5: Emilia W

YEAR 6: Jessica Mc



World Book Day

Thursday 7 March 2019



☺ You can dress as your favourite character or wear your school uniform for the day

☺ Bring in a favourite story to share

PRESENTATION AWARD

RECEPTION: Malakai Mc

YEAR 1: Michael G

YEAR 2: Maia R

YEAR 3: Oskar T

YEAR 4: Issy M

YEAR 5: All of Year 5

YEAR 6: Lavinia Mc



HEAD TEACHER AWARD

KS1 – James P

KS2 – Lily P



ATTENDANCE WINNERS THIS WEEK

Y4

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Reception class and Shilbottle Friendly Frogs had a brilliant Mudlarks Beach School at Alnmouth. The weather was beyond fantastic and the beach glorious [such a change from this time last year]. All of the children enjoyed learning about and being Vikings, making Viking villages [and dragon traps], looking really closely at sand through the magnifying glasses and making Viking longboats. Next week they are visiting Foxton for a fossil hunting beach school

EVERYONE HAD AN AMAZING DAY ☺



Match Report Shilbottle v Hipsburn

Wednesday 27 February 2019

This week saw our first league football match since October for our U11 team.

The game saw our boys and girls give a superb team effort showing determination against a well organised opposition. There were moments of great defending and excellent passing of the ball. Unfortunately, the final score was 2 – 1 to Hipsburn. Our next fixture is away to Whittingham Primary.

Friendly Frogs Pre School Nursery

Do you have a child or know someone who does [aged 2 – 4 years] who is ready for Pre-School Nursery? A small number of spaces are available so ... call in and have a look!

Children younger than 2?

Have you put their name on the Friendly Frogs waiting list to secure their place?



Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6

P.E. this term is **Quicksticks** [a mini version of hockey]. It is recommended that your child wears a mouthguard and shin pads for the lessons.



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What parents need to know about AGE RATINGS



If you have children, it is understandable to have concerns about the films and TV shows they watch, as well as the games they play. In this guide, we take a look at the two official ways you can assess if a particular title is suitable for your child. Both the BBFC and PEGI have search facilities on their websites that can be used to look up individual titles so you can check their ratings.



RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:



WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

Source: www.bbfc.co.uk

RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provide a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional 'content descriptors' help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:



PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:



LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

Source: www.pegi.info



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Dates at a glance [so far...]

Tues 5 Mar	School Games Qualifier – Tag Rugby	Year 5 / Year 6	1:00 – 3:00
Wed 6 March	Beach School @ Foxton	Reception	All day
Thurs 7 March	Jarrow Hall Anglo-Saxon Farm	Year 4	All day
Thurs 7 March	World Book Day	Whole School [not Y4]	All day
Thurs 7 March	U11 Football v Whittingham [A]	U11 team	3:30 – 4:30
Tue 12 March	School Games Qualifier – football	Year 5 boys team	1:00 – 3:00
Tue 12 March	Maths SATs revision	Y5 / Y6 parents/children	3:15 – 4:15
Tue 12 March	Stay & Play @ Friendly Frogs	Parents with under 4's	1:00 – 3:00
Wed 13 March	U11 Football v St Paul's [H]	U11 team	3:30 – 4:30
Fri 15 March	Comic Relief - Red Nose Day	Whole School	All day
Mon 18 March	School Games Qualifier – Quicksticks	Y5 / Y6 teams	12:00 – 4:00
Wed 20 March	U11 Football v Ellingham [A]	U11 team	3:30 – 4:30
25 – 27 March	Robin Wood Residential	Y3 / Y4	All day
Wed 27 March	School Games Qualifier – Y5 football	Y5 team	1:00 – 3:00
Wed 27 March	U11 Football v Ellingham	U11 team	3:30 – 4:30
Wed 3 April	Beach School @ Boulmer	Reception	All day
Thurs 4 April	Quicksticks Competition @ DCHS	KS2	3:30 – 5:00
6 Apr – 22 April	EASTER HOLIDAY ☺		
Wed 24 April	School Games Qualifier – netball	U11 team	3:30 – 5:00
Mon 29 April	School Games Qualifier – quadkids	U11 team	1:00 – 3:00
Tues 30 April	District Nurse PSHE talk	Year 5	1:00 – 2:00
Wed 1 May	Beach School @ Low Newton	Reception	All day
6 May	MAY BANK HOLIDAY ☺		
Thurs 9 May	PARA SCHOOL GAMES DAY	KS2	All day
Fri 10 May	School Games Qualifier – tennis	Year 4 team	12:00 – 2:00
13 May – 16 May	Key Stage 2 SATs Week	Year 6	Mornings
Wed 15 May	Beach School @ Boulmer	Reception	All day
Mon 20 May	School Games – Personal Best	Year 3	10:00 – 12:00
Tues 21 May	Rounders Competition @ Hipsburn	KS2	3:30 – 5:00
25 May – 2 June	½ TERM HOLIDAY ☺		
5 – 7 June	London Residential	Year 6	All day
Mon 17 June	School Games – Personal Best	Year 4	10:00 – 12:00

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What's on in the wider community...

Alnmouth Golf Club	Alnmouth Golf Club - juniors
Alnmouth Juniors FC	Thursday night training
Alnwick Academy of Dance	Alnwick Academy of Dance
Alnwick Bears RLFC	www.alnwickbears.co.uk
Alnwick Highland Dancers	Wednesday 7:00 – 8:00, Lindisfarne Middle School Hall Reception upwards
Alnwick Junior Harriers	Tuesday & Thursday 6 – 7 pm @ Lindisfarne Sports Centre contact Alison Hutchings on: ah.juniorharriers@gmail.com
Alnwick Town Juniors FC	http://www.alnwicktownjuniors.co.uk/
Amble Junior Netball	Thursday evenings [6:30 – 7:30pm] for Y3 upwards at James Calvert Spence College [JCSC] Amble. Y2 are welcome but parents need to stay. £1.50 per week.
Alnwick Mini & Juniors Rugby [Year 1 upwards]	Every Sunday 10:30 – 12 noon ☺ Year 1 – Year 3 = tag rugby; Year 4 upwards = contact rugby.
Beavers, Cubs & Scouts	Wednesday evenings, Felton or Alnwick info@northumberlandscouts.org.uk
FC Amble Juniors	FC Amble Juniors
Felton Juniors FC	Felton juniors
Judo Alnwick	Alnwick Judo https://www.getintomartialarts.com Monday, 4:00 – 4:45 pm
Karate	Monday and Friday evenings @ Willowburn
Longhoughton Rangers FC	Longhoughton Rangers Football Club
Rainbows, Brownies and Guides	Register your interest at https://enquiryym.girlguiding.org.uk/ Monday evenings during term time at Warkworth Primary School.

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