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Blaydon West Weekly Newsletter

### **This Week's Focus: Uniform, Readiness, and Community Engagement**

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, we focused on the importance of school uniform and being prepared for lessons and learning. During assemblies and classroom discussions, all children were reminded of their responsibility to ensure they are dressed in the correct uniform each day.

We understand that younger children may not always be able to check their uniform and footwear themselves, so your continued support is greatly appreciated. To assist, we have attached a guide to our Blaydon West uniform. While we are not overly concerned about branded or badged items, we do emphasise wearing the correct pieces. For example, black sensible shoes are exactly that—plain, black, and practical!

PE uniform should only be worn on PE days.



Head Teacher - Simon Brown

Chair of Governors - Chris Robson

We were also delighted to welcome PC Andrew Forster from the Community Policing Team, who spoke to the children about community safety. Alongside this newsletter, you will find a list of vetted tracks where motorbikes can be ridden safely and legally.

## MOTOR CROSS BIKE TRACK NEAR YOU

	<p><b>SCHOOL HOUSE MX</b>  <b>Find US</b>  Duns, Scottish Borders TD11 3NS  <b>Contact Us</b>  <a href="http://www.dunsmotocross.co.uk">www.dunsmotocross.co.uk</a>  <a href="mailto:info@dunsmotocross.co.uk">info@dunsmotocross.co.uk</a>  <b>Opening Hours</b>  Mon 10am – 5pm Tues 10am – 4pm Wed  10am – 9:30pm Thurs 10am – 4pm Fri  10am – 3:30pm sat 10am – 5pm Sun  10am – 6pm</p>	 <p><b>KNITSLEY MX</b>  <b>Find US</b>  Knitsley Lane, Castleside, Consett,  DH8 9</p> <p><b>Contact</b>  07715167722</p> <p><b>Opening Hours</b>  Check through Facebook page</p>
	<p><b>SW WORX</b>  <b>Find US</b>  Unit 27, S35 Industrial Estate, Station Road, Ecclesfield,  Sheffield, South Yorkshire, S35 9YB  <b>Contact Us</b>  <a href="http://www.sworx.com">www.sworx.com</a>  <b>Opening Hours</b>  Mon Closed Tues 4:30pm – 9pm Wed 4:30pm – 9pm Fri  4:30pm – 9pm  Sat 10am – 9pm Sun 10am – 9pm</p>	 <p><b>IRON WORKS MOTO PARK</b>  <b>Find US</b>  Dormor Way, South Bank  Middlesbrough, North Yorkshire  TS6 6XJ  <b>Contact Us</b>  Facebook  <b>Opening Hours</b>  Wed: 10am – 3pm Sat: 10am –  3pm Sun 10am – 4pm</p>
	<p><b>HARDWICK MOTOPARC</b>  <b>Find US</b>  Hardwick Motoparc, Sedgfield TS21 2EH  <b>Contact Us</b>  <a href="mailto:info@hardwickmotoparc.co.uk">info@hardwickmotoparc.co.uk</a>  <b>Opening Hours</b>  Check Facebook page</p>	 <p><b>PEA FARM OFF ROAD CENTRE</b>  <b>Find US</b>  The bungalow pea farm, Stanley,  United Kingdom</p> <p><b>Contact Us</b>  07747 171281</p> <p><b>Opening Hours</b>  Sunday 10:00 15:00</p>
	<p><b>SCHOOL HOUSE MX</b>  <b>Find US</b>  School House Farm, Kiln Pit Hill, DH8 9SB.  Just off the A68 towards slayley hall, turn towards  Derwant Reservoir and we are 300 yards on the left  <b>Opening Hours</b>  9am till 4pm</p>	

Despite the recent rainy weather, Year 5 managed a fantastic visit to the Hancock Museum this week. The children were thoroughly engaged and returned with plenty of exciting stories and newfound knowledge!

Thank you for your ongoing support in making Blaydon West a wonderful place to learn and grow.

Warm regards,

Mr S Brown  
Head Teacher

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