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We are Outstanding!!

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Tomorrow, we are pleased to be welcoming Danny Evans, a professional basket ball player, into school for our **Sports for Champions Day!** Thankyou for your generous support of this event, a wonderful total of £991.50 has been raised! After costs, this gives the school £324.90 and a donation of £216.60 to Sports for Champions to support unsponsored athletes. Children should please come to school tomorrow in PE kit or 'sports' clothes suitable for an indoor fitness circuit, but with layers to be warm enough for outdoor break times. PE kits are being sent home today. Children will not need their school uniform on Friday.

A reminder that tomorrow is also **Red Nose Day**. Any homemade or bought cakes should please be brought to the school hall in the morning for the sale at break times. All items will be priced at 20p. PLEASE ENSURE ITEMS DO NOT CONTAIN NUTS. Many thanks for your support.

The children in years 5 and 6 have had a great time on their **residential trip** to Northumberland this week. They have visited Bamburgh Castle, been on a boat trip around the Farne Islands and saw many seals, visited Lindisfarne Castle and today have visited Preston Hall on their way back home. We received many positive comments from people we have met about the excellent behaviour of the children. They have been a delight to be with! Well done children!

A reminder about this year's **Design Technology challenge** to 'Design and make something that will transport a hard boiled egg over a distance of 1 metre.' Children will be given time in school to plan and design their entry. The entries will be judged on the playground on Thursday 30th March.

Good luck to Francis, Olive and Rosa who are taking part in the Nell Bank **cross country relays** on Saturday!

Yours faithfully,

Mrs E Nayler, Headteacher

PTA NEWS—Bags2School Collection - 9am Thursday 30th March outside the village hall. A chance to de-clutter your wardrobe and spring clean your cupboards! The following can be donated: paired shoes (tied together), handbags, bags, scarves, ties, jewellery, lingerie, socks, belts, soft toys, household linen, curtains, towels & bedding! Bags will be sent home next week but any bag or bin liner can be used. Many thanks!

PTA NEWS - Save the Date !! - Spring Disco !!

Friday 21st April. PTA Spring Disco 5.30-7.30pm at Weston Social Club. Children in years Reception to year 6 are all invited. More details on how to book tickets will be shared soon.