

Easington Church of England Primary School Newsletter Friday 6th October 2017



Dates for your diary - details to follow		
2017-2018		
Wed 11 th Oct	YR Open Afternoon – for parents of September 2018 children	
Wed 11 th Oct	Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome	
Wed 11 th Oct	Cinema evening 4.45p.m 6p.m.(letter sent home this week	
Fri 13 th Oct	RLNI Fish supper fundraising day – see opposite	
Wed 18 th Oct	Sponsored Event (in aid of School Fund)	
Thurs 19 th Oct	Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund)	
Fri 20 th Oct	Celebration worship 1.45p.m. all welcome	
Fri 20 th Oct	School closes for half-term break	
Mon 30 th Oct	School re-opens	
Thurs 2 nd Nov	Y2/3 Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome	
Fri 3 rd Nov	Family Friday 9-9.30a.m./Stay and Play class 9-10a.m.	
Wed 8 th Nov	Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome	
Mon 13 th Nov	Parental Consultation meetings	
Tues 14 th Nov	Parental Consultation meetings	
Thurs 16 th Nov	Y1 class Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome	
Thurs 23 rd Nov	Phototronics – individual photographs	
Fri 24 th Nov	Celebration worship 1.45p.m. all welcome	
Fri 1 st Dec	Family Friday 9-9.30a.m./Stay and Play class 9-10a.m.	
Wed 6 th Dec	Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome	
Fri 8 th Dec	Non-uniform day (donations in aid of Christmas Fair)	
Wed 13 th Dec	Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome	
Thurs 14 th Dec	YR Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome	
Fri 15 th Dec	Christmas Fair 2.30p.m. School Hall	
Mon 18 th Dec	YR KS1 Nativity time to be confirmed PM	
Tues 19 th Dec	YR KS1 Nativity time to be confirmed AM	
Wed 20 th Dec	Advent Service St. Mary's 2.15p.m. All welcome	
Wed 20 th Dec	Discos – YR/1/2 4.45-5.45p.m. Y3/4/5/6 6-7p.m.	
Fri 22 nd Dec	Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund)	
Fri 22 nd Dec	School closes for Christmas break	
Mon 8 th Jan	PDDay- school closed for children	
Tues 9 th Jan	School re-opens for Spring Term	

Star Pupils Friday 6 th October		
Puma	Maks Smithson	
Leopards	Harvey Fenwick	
Tigers	Ollie Francis	
Jaguars	Jaguar Class	
Lions	Isla Hunter	
Writer of the week	Amelie Stobart	
Pupils Pupil	Jake Parker / Tamzin Colles	
Resilience Award	Zach Fox	
Mrs Swift's Special Book	Zachary Haley	

Celebration Worship

Thank you to those parents and families who joined us for an extended Family Friday/ Stay and Play today. We hope you enjoyed learning about our Resilience Programme for the first part of the session and , as always, it was wonderful to see so many parents and families working and playing alongside our children. Mrs Swift

RLNI Fish supper fundraising day – Friday 13th October

RNLI Fish Supper is an annual charity event to help raise funds for the lifesaving work of the RLNI. Our FROG (Fully Rely on God) group has decided that they would like to support this charity this year. So on Friday 13th October they would like to invite all children to come to sea dressed as a fisherman/woman or something connected to the sea. They request that parents do not buy outfits but use something that children already have. FROG group ask for a minimum of £1 donation which will be donated to the RLNI.

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. Proverbs 3:5 The theme of our Collective Worship this term is The Lord's Prayer. The theme for this week has been A Time to Hope - "Your Kingdom come".

Safeguarding update

Please find below a link to the Digital 5 a day website. The Digital 5 A Day provides a simple framework that reflects the concerns of parents/ carers as well as children's behaviours and needs. It can also act as a base for family agreements about internet and digital device use throughout both the holidays and term time. Based on the NHS's evidence-based 'Five steps to better mental wellbeing', the 5 A Day campaign gives children and parents easy to follow, practical steps to achieve a healthy and balanced digital diet.

https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/2017/08/06/digit al-5-a-day



Milkshake Monday

Milkshake Monday continues on Monday and every Monday until after half-term in October. Milkshake costs 50p. Please send money into school with your child to give their teacher rather than handing it to Mrs Bowden-Stoker this really helps our organisation of Milkshake Monday. Thank you.

St. Mary's Wednesday 11th October 9.30 a.m.

We are looking forward to sharing a special Wednesday morning service with parents and families next week. During the service will be a blessing of the Glass Church . We will also be offering non-perishable food to the FEED project again this year as part of our Harvest thankfulness. The Food Emergency East Durham Project (FEED) has already seen over 1000s of food parcels distributed via a network of volunteers to those in crisis situations, providing a much needed life line to more than 600 individuals and 400 vulnerable families. Please send donations of food items such as tinned beans, fruit or vegetables, dried pasta. rice, cereals or other items which are non perishable into school on Wednesday 11th. These donations will then be presented by children in church during the service. I am also pleased to say that St Mary's Praise Band will be playing for us during the service. We look forward to seeing you there. Mrs Swift

Reception Open Afternoon –Wednesday 11th October Please note this event is for parents of September 2018 reception children and not parents of children currently in year reception. Please accept our apologies for any confusion about this event.



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Durham Local Safeguarding Children's Board Annual Report 2016-2017

This annual report provides local people with an account of the LSCB's work over the past year to improve the safeguarding and wellbeing of children and young people across County Durham.

The report reflects the activity of the LSCB and its sub-groups against the agreed priorities for 2016/17. It also reports on the Serious Case Reviews and Child Death Reviews undertaken and identifies the priorities we will take forward into 2017/18. The LSCB has developed an interactive version of the Annual Report for Young People 2017. This year, staff have directly engaged with over 70 young people from Durham Constabulary's Police Cadets (spanning key stages 3-5) to act as an editor's group; providing feedback, critique, challenge and shaping how the final document looks.

As always, the children and young people of County Durham are at the heart of all we do and our vision of 'Every child and young person in County Durham feels safe and grows up safe from harm' continues to drive us forward.

Please find below a couple of pages from the report which may be of interest to you and your family.



The complete report can be found here:

http://www.durham-lscb.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/sites/29/2017/06/LSCB-Annual-Report-for-Young-People-2017.pdf



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