

# Easington Church of England Primary School

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NEWSLETTER 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015



Dates for your diary – details to follow				
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Y5/6 Vue cinema Hartlepool visit			
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Children in Need- Champions day and			
	special lunch			
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Y3/4 Collective Worship -parents invited 9.15			
	a.m please note change of date			
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Parents Meeting re: Assessment 5p.m.			
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	Parental Consultation meetings Y/1/3/5			
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Parental Consultation meetings YR/2/4/6			
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	School Photographs please note change of			
	date			
w.b. 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Book Fair in School			
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Biscuits on sale in aid of Toilet Twinning Project			
Wed 2nd Dec	9.30 a.m. Whole school to St Mary's – families welcome			
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Family Friday 9 a.m.			
Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Fayre 2.30p.m. School Hall			
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	YR/KS1 Nativity time TBC (p.m.)			
Tues 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	YR/KS1 Nativity time TBC (a.m.)			
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Advent Service St. Mary's 11a.m.			
	Date and time confirmed			
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Pantomime visit			
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas lunch			
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Discos – YR/1/2 4-5.15p.m. Y3/4/5/6 5.30-6.45p.m.			
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund)			
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	School closes for Christmas break			

Star Pupils					
Year Reception		Joshua LAwson			
Year One	Zad	Brown/Ethan Germain			
Year Two		Harriet Barker			
Year Three		Anna Quarmby			
Year Four	Char	lie Hagel / Jack Davidson			
Year Five	Charlie Armstrong /				
		Kane Delanoy			
Year Six		Jasmine Dawes			
Sportsperson of the	Ame	lia West/Joshua Lawson			
week		Zachary Haley			
Pupils Pupil	Ella N	lae Robinson / James Hill			
Mrs Swift's Special Book					
Poppy Watt					
Attendance week ending Friday					
Class 1		96.92			
Class 2		98.18			
Class 3		97.24			
Class 4		88.95			

#### KS1 (Y2) testing

We have been informed that we need to administer our KS1 (Y2) tests in May. Therefore, according to our policy, requests for Leave of Absence will not be granted during this statutory testing time.

# KS2 (Y6) testing

This academic year KS2 tests are during the week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> May 2016. Again requests for Leave of Absence will not be granted for this week and it is strongly recommended that children are not taken out of school in the run up to these tests.

Further information about Y2 and Y6 tests will be shared at our Parents meeting about assessment on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November

Be still and know that I am God Psalms 46:10 During the month of "Know" vember spend some time getting to know God better.

### Writing challenge

Our first writing challenge of the year! At home I would like to write me a story – it can be about anything you like. Please send stories into school by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November - Mrs Humphries will chose a story from each year group to receive a small prize. Mrs Swift

Parental Consultation meetings - change of dates
Please note the changes in dates for our upcoming Parental
Consultation meetings - Y1/Y3/Y5 will be on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>
November and YR/Y2/Y4/Y6 on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November.

# Safe Parking Poster

Congratulations to Anna Quarmby (Y3) who was chosen as the winner of our Safe Parking poster competition. You will find Anna's wining design on the reverse of this week's newsletter and displayed around school.

Please also remember that our staff car park should not be used by parents and families at any time. Thank you.

#### Zumbathon

Thank you to those families who sent sponsor money into school following our recent Zumbathon. We raised an amazing £540 which will buy us one new table for the hall. We are hoping to buy 6 tables in total – our next big fundraising event will be our Christmas Fayre on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

If any parent or family member knows of business that "match fund" fundraising efforts I would be really grateful if you could contact our school office. I am aware that Barclays Bank runs such a scheme however I am sure that many other companies may offer the same donation. Thank you Mrs Swift

## Children in Need - Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November

To raise funds for children in Need we would like to invite children to come to school dressed as a Champion – thinking about what they are the champion of. Maybe your child is a champion cook or a karate champion or even a champion cub scout? However please ensure that children are dressed appropriately for a damp, November day. We ask that children bring a donation (suggestion £1/2) to dress as a champion for the day. We will also be having a special Children in Need lunch – if your child has a packed lunch and would like this special lunch please complete the slip and return to school on Monday  $9^{\text{th}}$  November.

## **After School Clubs**

Please remember there are no after school clubs running on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November (as mentioned on the original booking letter) due to staff training. Thank you.

If you have any queries about the content of this newsletter please ask. Please make an appointment to speak with class teachers in the first instance. Thank you.

# Children in Need lunch – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November



Name of child: Year Group:

I enclose £1.95 Signed: Date:



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