

Easington Church of England Primary School

Happy, healthy and fulfilled Friday 9th September 2016

Dates for your diary Autumn Term 2016 – details to follow

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| Please note Leave of Absence requests will not be authorised during September. | |
| Wed 14 th Sept | Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome |
| Thurs 15 th Sept | Mrs Appleby's class Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all parents and families welcome |
| Thurs 22 nd Sept | YR parents meeting 5p.m |
| Fri 23 rd Sept | Celebration worship 1.45p.m. parents and families welcome |
| Thurs 29 th Sept | Mrs Hetherington's/Miss Swan's class Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome |
| Thurs 29 th Sept | Parents Curriculum Evening 5p.m. |
| Fri 30 th Sept | Macmillan Coffee Morning 8.30 a.m. school yard |
| Thurs 6 th Oct | Y1 parents meeting – phonics 5p.m. |
| Fri 7 th Oct | Family Friday 9-9.30a.m./Stay and Play Ms Lilley's class 9-10a.m. |
| Wed 12 th Oct | Sponsored Event (in aid of School Fund) |
| Wed 12 th Oct | Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome |
| Wed 12 th Oct | Cinema evening 4.45p.m.- 6p.m. |
| Thur 20 th Oct | Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund) |
| Fri 21 st Oct | Celebration worship 1.45p.m. parents and families welcome |
| Fri 21 st Oct | School closes for half-term break |
| Mon 31 st Oct | School re-opens |
| Thurs 3 rd Nov | Mr Appleby's class Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome |
| Fri 4 th Nov | Family Friday 9-9.30a.m./Stay and Play Ms Lilley's class 9-10a.m. |
| Mon 14 th Nov | Parental Consultation meetings YR/2/4/6 |
| Tues 15 th Nov | Parental Consultation meetings Y1/3/5 |
| Wed 16 th Nov | Church 9.30a.m. – all parents and families welcome |
| Thurs 17 th Nov | Miss Wiseman's class Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome |
| Fri 25 th Nov | Celebration worship 1.45p.m. parents and families welcome |
| Fri 25 th Nov | Photronics – individual photographs |
| Fri 25 th Nov | Book Fair arrives in school |
| Thurs 1 st Dec | Parents Curriculum Evening 5p.m. |
| Fri 2 nd Dec | Family Friday 9-9.30a.m./Stay and Play Ms Lilley's class 9-10a.m. |
| Thurs 8 th Dec | Ms Lilley's class Collective Worship 9.15a.m. all welcome |
| Fri 9 th Dec | Christmas Fayre 2.30p.m. School Hall |
| Mon 12 th Dec | YR KS1 Nativity time to be confirmed PM |
| Tues 13 th Dec | YR KS1 Nativity time to be confirmed AM |
| Wed 14 th Dec | Advent Service St. Mary's 2.15p.m. All welcome |
| Wed 14 th Dec | Discos – YR/1/2 4.45-5.45p.m. Y3/4/5/6 6-7p.m. |
| Fri 16 th Dec | Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund) |
| Fri 16 th Dec | School closes for Christmas break |

Star Pupils

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| Mrs Appleby's class Y5/6 | Miles Colles |
| Miss Swan/ Mrs Hetherington's class Y3/4 | Matthew Delaney |
| Mr Appleby's class Y2/3 | Charlotte Lawton |
| Miss Wiseman's class Y1/2 | Harry Armstrong |
| Ms Lilley's class YR | Olivia Knowles |
| Mrs Swift's Special Book | Owen Richardson |
| Attendance week ending Friday 8th September | |
| Mrs Appleby's class | 100 |
| Miss Swan/Mrs Hetherington's class | 100 |
| Mr Appleby's class | 98.3 |
| Miss Wiseman's class | 88.2 |
| Ms Lilley's class | 95.2 |

"For nothing will be impossible with God." Luke 1:37

PE kit

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school every day. Our PE kit consists of black shorts, **plain** white T-shirt, trainers, black sweatshirt and jogging bottoms - **not leggings**. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit – thank you.

Book bags

Another reminder that every child should have a school book bag (available from Tesco web site). Please do not send children to school with backpacks as our school lockers are not large enough to accommodate these along with PE bags and coats – thank you.

Class Names

This year we have decided that each of our classes will have a name. Before the summer break, all children voted (with the help of our School Council) for the category of names that they preferred for our classes. The winning vote was to name our classes after Planets:

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| Mrs Appleby's class Y5/6 | Jupiter |
| Miss Swan/Mrs Hetherington's class Y3/4 | Neptune |
| Mr Appleby's class Y2/3 | Saturn |
| Miss Wiseman's class Y1/2 | Mercury |
| Ms Lilley's class YR | Pluto |

Leave of Absence requests

Our term dates for the academic year 2017-2017 can be found on our web site <http://www.easington-pri.durham.sch.uk/parents/school-holidays> Please take these into consideration when booking holidays. Our Attendance Policy states that leave will only be granted in exceptional circumstances and that leave will not be granted in September or during periods of statutory testing. Parents now risk being fined if their child accrues seven or more days of unauthorised absence.

St Mary's Service Wednesday 14th September

This is our first service in church of the new school year. All parents and families members are welcome to join us in worship – the service begins at 9.30a.m.

St Mary's Table Top Sale

Saturday 17th September 11am – 2pm
Church and Community Hall, Easington Village.
If you would like a table to sell items call 0191 5270043 to reserve (£10 per table).

Dogs

Just a reminder that due to Health and Safety reasons dogs are not allowed anywhere on our school premises. Please pass this message onto other family members who drop off and collect children from school – thank you.

Bradley Lowery Fundraising event

Please find on the reverse of this week's newsletter information about a fundraising event for Bradley Lowery. Further information and sponsor forms can be collected from the school office.

trust, thankfulness, hope, friendship, forgiveness