



Easington Church of England Primary School

Happy, healthy and fulfilled Friday 17th June 2016



Dates for your diary – details to follow

w.b. 20 th June	Easington's Got Talent auditions – see opposite
Tues 21 st June	House Team a.m. – see opposite new event
Wed 22 nd June	Y5 visit Dene School
Fri 24 th June	Y5 visit Easington Academy – cancelled
Fri 24 th June	Parents invited to Celebration Worship 1.45p.m
Wed 29 th June	Worship at St. Mary's - all welcome 9.30a.m.
Wed 29 th June	Easington's Got Talent Final 5.30p.m
Fri 1 st July	Family Friday/Stay and Play Send my friend to school day
Wed 6 th July	Peterlee Partnership Children's festival at Hesleden Primary
Wed 6 th – Fri 8 th July	Y5/6 Residential to Robinwood
Tues 12 th July p.m.	Brass Concert (Y5 and Y6 children) –parents invited - new event
Wed 13 th July	Annual reports to parents
Wed 13th July	End of term discos – new event
Thurs 14 th July	Meet the teacher meetings
Fri 15 th July	Summer Fayre 2.30p.m. School Hall
Mon 18 th July	Meet the teacher meetings
Mon 18 th July	Singing Concert 2.10p.m.
Tues 19 th July	Y6 leavers service St. Mary's 2.15p.m
Wed 20 th July	School closes for summer break
Autumn Term 2016	
Mon 5 th Sept	PDDay - school closed for children
Tues 6 th Sept	School re-opens for children

Star Pupils

Year Reception	Aaron Anderson
Year One	Ethan Germain / Jacob Johnson
Year Two	Oakley Nicholson
Year Three	Anna Quarmby
Year Four	Miles Colles
Year Five	Owen Richardson
Year Six	Abigail Embleton
Mrs Swift's Special Book	Writer of the Week
Maddie Atkinson	Laila Brown
Pupils' pupils	Sports person of the week
James Hutchinson / Lewis Anderson	Zac Brown
Attendance week ending Friday	
Mrs Appleby's class	95.34
Miss Swan/Mrs Hetherington's class	99.31
Miss Wiseman's class	100
Ms Lilley's class	99.48

Y6 Leavers Service Durham Cathedral

Yesterday I accompanied Mrs Appleby, Mrs Watt, Rev'd Emma and our Y6 children to their Leavers Service at Durham Cathedral. The format to the service this year was different to other years and gave us the opportunity to visit a number of Prayer Spaces before joining with over 600 other Y6 children and school staff in an act of Collective Worship. Prior to the service we had been asked by the Joint Education Board of Durham and Newcastle Diocese for our Y6 children to prepare and read prayers during the service. What I proud Head Teacher I was when our children shared their prayers in the cathedral with such confidence and conviction – your words were amazing and truly touched my heart. Mrs Swift.



I call on you, my God, for you will answer me; turn your ear to me and hear my prayer. Psalms 7:16

Easington's Got Talent Auditions and Final Tickets

A slight change to the advertised schedule for auditions! Auditions for those who returned slips to school will now take place as below:

- Monday 24th June YR, Y1 and Y2.
- Tuesday 25th June Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6

Please ensure children have everything in school for their audition.

Finalists will be announced during Celebration Worship on Friday 24th June.

Tickets for the **final** on Wednesday 29th June will be available from our school office on Friday 24th June costing £3 each. Please send money into school in a sealed envelope with child's name. Due to the size of our hall there are a limited number of tickets available. Children who are performing will not need a ticket – children who are watching the final will need a ticket. All proceeds will go into our School Fund.

House Team morning – European Football Championships

On Tuesday children will work with other children in their House Team to learn more about a European Country. To link with the Euros children are invited to wear a football top of their choice or sports wear for school that day.

FEED Foodbank Collection

Thank you to those who kindly donated non-perishable food to the East Durham FEED Project. Once again, you have made a difference to the lives of others.

Clothes Collection

Along with this week's newsletter you will receive a clothing collection bag. If you have any unwanted clothes please could you pop them in the bag and **return to school on the morning of Wed 29th June**. The clothes are being collected by the Fire Fighters Charity who will give our school a donation in return for the clothes.

We have been advised that certain items **CANNOT** be collected such as bric a brac, toys, socks, duvets, bedding, blankets, household linen, towels, school uniforms or corporate workwear. Thank you for your help with this.

Durham County Council – Water Safety Information

On the reverse of this week's newsletter please find information advice and guidance intended to help keep children safe when playing near open water or visiting the beach.

This information is provided free of charge from Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents (RoSPA); The Royal National Lifeboat Institute (RNLI) and The Royal Life Saving Society UK, to help reduce water accidents and deaths

Birthday Cakes

Due to allergies, please can Birthday cakes stay at home and be enjoyed there rather than bringing them into school. Thank you.