

Easington Church of England Primary School

Happy, healthy and fulfilled
NEWSLETTER 11th December 2015

Dates for your diary – details to follow

Fri 18 th Dec	School closes for Christmas break
Spring Term 2016	
Mon 4 th Jan	PDDay - school closed for children
Tues 5 th Jan	School re-opens for Spring Term
Fri 8 th Jan	Family Friday
Thurs 14 th Jan	Y1/2 Collective Worship -parents invited 9.15 a.m.
Thurs 14 th Jan	Parents Forum 5.15p.m.
Tues 19 th Jan	Y1/2 parents meeting – maths 5.15p.m.
Fri 22 nd Jan	Parents invited to Celebration Worship 1.45p.m.
Thurs 4 th Feb	Parents Curriculum Evening 5 p.m.
Fri 5 th Feb	Family Friday
Thurs 11 th Feb	YR/1 Collective Worship -parents invited 9.15 a.m.
Thurs 11 th Feb	Cinema evening 5 p.m.
Fri 12 th Feb	Non uniform day in aid of School Fund
Fri 12 th Feb	School closes for half-term break
Mon 22 nd Feb	School re-opens
Fri 4 th March	Family Friday
Fri 4 th March	Spring Coffee morning 10 a.m.
Mon 14 th Mar	Parental Consultation meetings YR/2/4/6
Tues 15 th Mar	Parental Consultation meetings Y1/3/5
Thurs 17 th Mar	Y5/6 Collective Worship – parents invited 9.15 a.m.
Wed 23 rd Mar	Lent Service St Mary's 2.15 p.m.
Wed 23 rd Mar	Discos – YR/1/2 4-5.15p.m. Y3/4/5/6 5.30-6.45p.m.
Thurs 24 th Mar	Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund)

Star Pupils

Year Reception	All of Reception
Year One	All of Year One
Year Two	All of Year Two
Year Three	All of Year Three
Year Four	All of Year Four Mathew Flanagan
Year Five	Jenny Archer
Year Six	Jack Banks
Mrs Swift's Special Book Imogen Hannaby	
Attendance week ending Friday	
Class 1	95.11
Class 2	97.57
Class 3	99.26
Class 4	97.78

Christingle Service - Christmas Eve 6p.m St. Mary's

All our welcome to this special service on Christmas Eve – it would be wonderful to see you there. Some of our children are taking part in the re-telling of the Nativity story.

Messy church

We have our next 'Messy Church' service on Sunday 3rd January, 4pm starting in the hall. Includes messy crafts, drama, music, story and tea! Rev'd Emma

Sponsored Run

Thank you to those who sponsored Mr Robertson for his run - £126.30 was raised. Mr Robertson is going to buy further LEGO equipment for our children to use to cover the demands of the Computing curriculum.

Easington in the news

Please see the reverse of this week's newsletter for copies of the newspaper reports about our school which recently appeared in the Hartlepool Mail and the Sunderland Echo.

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6

Pantomime contributions

Thank you to those parents who donate towards the cost of our Beauty and the Beast pantomime visit on Wednesday. The pantomime cost £450 and £142.90 was contributed.

Wintry weather plans

With winter now upon us please can I remind you that if I need to close school due to Health and Safety reasons I would inform Durham LA who would advertise the details on their web site. <http://www.durhamlea.org.uk/schoolclosures.aspx> Also I would inform **local radio stations** that school will be closed at the earliest convenience. Hopefully if school is accessible a text message would be sent. Thank you Mrs Swift

PE shoes

Please can I remind you that children need two pairs of PE shoes in school at all times – an outdoor pair (which are only worn outside) and an inside pair. This helps to minimise the amount of mud in school. Please send both pairs into school in the new year. Mr Robertson.

Advent service – St. Mary's

It was wonderful to see so many people at our Advent Service on Wednesday. Thank you for taking the time out of busy days to worship with us. The children were, as always, amazing – I must add a particular mention of those children who prayed spontaneously during the service – what amazing gifts you have. Mrs Swift

Christmas Fayre

Thank you to those who supported our Christmas Fayre last Friday. A particular mention to those parents who helped to plan the fayre and who gave their time to help out on and before the day- without your support the fayre would not have taken place.

As a result of this and our other Christmas fundraising activities (cake raffle and Whoops a Daisy Angel) We raised an amazing £1526.11 This will be put into our School Fund to buy equipment and subsidise visits for your children.

On behalf of children, staff and governors we hope that you have a restful, peaceful and joyful Christmas.

