

Easington Church of England Primary School



Happy, healthy and fulfilled EWSLETTER 20<sup>th</sup> May 2016

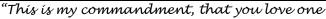
NEWSLETTER

Dates for your diary – details to follow			
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Athletics event – Hesleden Primary School		
	Y3/4/5/6 a.m. YR/1/2 p.m.		
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Whole School Sports Afternoon 1.30 p.m.		
	Parents invited – please see opposite		
	Please note slightly earlier time		
Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Ms Lilley's class worship – parents invited		
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> May	Non-uniform day (in aid of School Fund)		
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> June	PDDay - school closed for children		
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> June	School re-opens for children		
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> June Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> June Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Miss Swan/Mrs Hetherington's class visit		
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5 visit Easington Academy		
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Family Friday/Stay and Play		
Fri 10 <sup>m</sup> June	Queen's 90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday celebration		
w.b. 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1 statutory phonics screening (plus re-screening for Y2)		
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Miss Swan/Mrs Hetherington's class Collective		
	Worship -parents invited 9.15 a.m.		
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 visit to Nissan		
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Leavers Service at Durham Cathedral		
w.b. 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Easington's Got Talent auditions p.m. sessions		
	Y5 visit Dene School		
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Star Pupils				
Year Reception		Adam Thorburn		
Year One		Ethan Germain / Olivia Curtis Dawson		
Year Two		Finley West		
Year Three		Anna Quarmby		
Year Four		Valentine Cooper		
Year Five		Owen Richardson		
Year Six		Sammy Luu		
Mrs Swift's Special Book		William Thubron		
Pupils' pupils		Erin Rowe / Katie Brown		
Writer of the Week		Jake Parker		
Attendance week ending Friday				
Mrs Appleby's class		97.39		
Miss Swan/Mrs Hetherington's class		92.58		
Miss Wiseman's class		94.48		
Ms Lilley's class		97.14		

## Parent's Forum meeting

Unfortunately this meeting was cancelled as a number of parents were unable to attend. A further meeting will be arranged in the Autumn Term.



another as I have loved you..." John 15:12 Community Breakfast in aid of Christian Aid Thank you to parents and family members who attended our Community Breakfast. We were blessed with such a lovely morning. We are delighted to share that raised over £187 For Christian Aid. Emma, a friend of Rev'd Emma, who works for Christian Aid then spoke to our FROG (Fully Rely on God) group and led us in worship. She explained how Christian Aid helps those around the world who are not as fortunate as us. She showed a film about the work the charity does with worms in Bangladesh. You have made a difference - thank you.

# Whole School Sports Afternoon - Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May

Weather permitting (we will text if the event is cancelled), we would like to invite you to our Whole School Sports Afternoon. Parents are asked to wait on our school yard at 1.30p.m until a member of staff invites you to join our children on our school field. We want everyone to enjoy this school community event and ask that parents allow our staff to accompany children from one activity to another. After our children have taken part in a number of activities we will have a number of "races". During the races we ask that parents remain on the side of the track near school and children will sit on the opposite side. Children must remain under the supervision of school staff throughout the event. Please note there will not be access into our school building during this event. Thank you for your cooperation.

### Sports Afternoon raffle

Please find attached to this week's newsletter two strips of raffle tickets each costing £1. There will be a number of sports equipment as prizes. Please return stubs (with child's name on the reverse) and money to school by Wednesday. We will draw the raffle at our Whole School Sports Afternoon. All proceeds will be put into School Funds.

#### Plant R Ross visit

Miss Wiseman's class enjoyed a lovely morning at Plants R Ross yesterday. While they were there each child potted a plant and enjoyed refreshments. Thank you to staff and parents who accompanied Miss Wiseman's class.

#### Year Reception event

On Monday Ms Lilley and the Early Years tem hosted a meeting for all Year Reception teachers in the Peterlee Partnership Teaching School Alliance. It was very well attended and we received some lovely comments regarding our Early Years provision. It was a wonderful opportunity to share our very special Early Years practice with colleagues from other schools. Thank you Ms Lilley, Mrs Wray and Mrs Scarr.

#### Term dates 2016-2017

Please find on the reverse of this week's newsletter a copy of our term dates for the academic year 2017-2017. Please take into consideration when booking holidays. Our Attendance Policy states the 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.

#### **PE Kit in School**

Just a reminder, please could PE kit be kept in school all week













