



Easington Church of England Primary School

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Dates for your diary – details to follow

Wed 1 st July	9.10 a.m. Y5/6 class worship - Y5 parents invited
Fri 3 rd July <i>new event</i>	School and Church Summer Fete – 2.30p.m. in Parish Hall
Tues 7 th July	Peterlee Partnership Festival
Wed 8 th July	Y5/6 residential visit to Lockerbie
Fri 10 th July	Annual Reports to parents
Thurs 16 th July Please note change of time	2.15p.m Y6 leavers service church – parents and families welcome..
Fri 17 th July	School closes for Summer break
Tues 1 st September	PDDay
Wed 2 nd September	PDDay
Thurs 3 rd Sept	School re-opens for Autumn Term
<i>Please note Leave of Absence requests will not be authorised in September (in accordance with our Attendance Policy).</i>	

Star Pupils

Year Reception	Noah Fenwick	
Year One	William Thubron / Lois Watt	
Year Two	Kien Halliday	
Year Three	Aaron Hall	
Year Four	Macy Renwick	
Year Five	Leah Bennett	
Year Six	Harvey Ryder	
Pupils' pupils	Katy Cooper	
House Team of the week	Bede	
Sportsperson of the week	Mrs Swift's Special Book	
Erin Rowe	Adam Quarmby	
Attendance week ending Friday		
Class 1	90.80	
Class 2	86.38	
Class 3	93.49	
Class 4	75.46	

Governing Body meeting

Our Governors met this week for the final time this academic year (although they are undertaking a training session next week!) At this meeting they agreed on the Annual Governance Statement which will soon be published on our web site (watch this space for our new website!) Also at the meeting I reported to Governors about Leadership and Management, Learning and Teaching, Behaviour and Safety and Achievement in school. I also spoke with Governors about the new OfSTED framework for "good" schools, like ours, which is to be implemented from September 2015. Next term we will be holding a ballot for a Parent Governor as we currently have a vacancy.

All of our Governors volunteer their time to be part of the Leadership Team in our school. I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for all of their commitment to the role and the time they give to our school. Mrs Swift.

Blessed are those who find wisdom, those who gain understanding Proverbs 3:13

School and Church Summer Fete – Friday 3rd July 2.30p.m. in Parish Hall

Thank you to those who have volunteered to help with stalls and games on the day – if you are able to give up two hours of your time on the afternoon please can you let me know via the school office. To assist in the smooth running of the Fete we are asking for donations of:

- tombola and raffle prizes on Tuesday 29th and Wednesday 1st only (please give to children to bring into school)
- cakes, toys and books on the day – Friday 3rd July (again please give to children to bring into school)

Attached to this week's newsletter are two strips of raffle tickets costing £1 per strip. Please return one side to school with money in an envelope – please remember to put your child's name on the reverse of the tickets. Prizes include wine, chocolates and toiletries.

At the fete each child will have a piece of art work displayed. We will be framing and selling this artwork.

Our Children's choir will be performing in church at 3.15p.m. If you are yet to hear them sing this is an opportunity not to be missed.

Please invite family and friends to the Fete - thank you in advance for your support with this fundraising event which will provide much needed funds for furniture in our new classroom and hall extension– Mrs Swift.

International Ambassadors

On Tuesday this week Mrs Kirkwood took three of our International Ambassadors to an event at Hutton Henry Primary School. At the end the Ambassadors explored our British Values. Mrs Kirkwood told me that our Ambassadors, Leah Bennett, Matthew Flanagan and Erin Rowe contributed well to the activities, behaved impeccably and represented our school perfectly. We are all proud of you, Mrs Swift.

Building update

Week nine of our building work has seen:

- The windows removed in our existing Y5/6 classroom
- Heaters removed from our hall – bring on the heat wave!
- Work recommenced on our new office and entrance

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.





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