



Easington Church of England Primary School

Newsletter Friday 18th March 2022

May we give them the roots to grow and the wings to fly



Dates for your diary :

Monday 28th March and Tuesday 29th March	Parental Consultations in school
Friday 1st April	Family Friday
Friday 1st April	Celebration Worship for families
Friday 8th April	Easter Egg Collection for the Durham Easter Egg Run and special visitors to school 😊
Friday 8th April	School closes for half term break
Monday 25th April	PD day – school closed for children
Tuesday 26th April	School reopens for children
Monday 2nd May	Bank Holiday – school closed
Friday 6th May	Family Friday
Monday 9th May 2022 – Thursday 12th May 2022	Year 6 SATS week
Wednesday 25th May	Phototronics – School Class Photographs
Friday 20th May	Bend the Rules Day
Friday 27th May	Queen’s Platinum Jubilee Celebrations School Street Party on the playing field. Details to follow nearer the time.
	
Friday 27th May	School closes for half term break
Monday 6th June	School closed – additional Bank Holiday for Queen’s Platinum Jubilee since this falls in Half Term week
Tuesday 7th June	School reopens for children
Friday 10th June	Family Friday
Friday 1st July	Family Friday
Wednesday 20th July	School closes for summer break

Parental Consultations in school

Just a reminder to return slips to indicate your preferred slot for Parental Consultation meetings on Monday 28/Tuesday 29th March. Teachers will then confirm your appointment time via Class Dojo.



Friday 1st April

It’s going to be a busy day on Friday 1st April! Family Friday will take place 9-9.30am. Then Celebration Worship for families will take place on the afternoon. Hope to see you there.

Attendance week commencing 14th March 2022

Ms. Lilley’s Class – ELM	90.5
Miss Defty’s Class – OAK	95.3
Miss O’Neil’s Class – MAPLE	97.4
Mr. Churchill’s Class– SYCAMORE	94.8
Mrs. Appleby’s Class - WILLOW	98.1

Stars of the week Friday 18th March 2022

Ms. Lilley’s Class – ELM	Jacob O
Miss Defty’s Class – OAK	Freya J
Miss O’Neil’s Class – MAPLE	Missy DB
Mr. Churchill’s Class– SYCAMORE	Grace W
Mrs. Appleby’s Class - WILLOW	Amelia W
Pupils Pupil	Maddie A / Joseph E
Resilience Award	Sasha S
Staff Member of the week	Mrs Scarr

Hopes and Dreams Display



Thank you to those who completed a feather to be included in our new display 😊 It would be fantastic to have more feathers to add. If you haven’t managed to complete yours yet, and wish to do so, please can we ask you send it into school by Monday. Thank you.

Easter Raffle

This year we will be raffling a giant Easter Bunny in aid of school funds 😊 The lucky winner will also receive a set of David Walliams books and an Easter egg 😊 Second prize is a set of Roald Dahl books and an Easter egg.

Raffle tickets are attached to this Newsletter if you would like to join in. Please cut off and return, the number of tickets you wish to buy. Thank you

as always for your support. We have a number of fantastic trips and treats coming up for our children and school funds allows us to subsidise costs and helps pay for transport.



Durham Easter Egg Run

As you know this year, we will be collecting again for the Durham Easter Egg Run who deliver Easter eggs to poorly children in local hospitals. If you would like to donate an egg, the collection box is situated in the school office. Thank you 😊



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Esme, Anabelle, Emmie, Thomas and Leon visited Easington Academy on Tuesday with Mr Appleby. They took part in a Science workshop as part of a transition programme. The children were amazing and were great ambassadors for our school. They also won the competition, which topped off the morning perfectly!





Basketball – Year 6

A huge well done to our Year 6 children who attended the School Sports Partnership Basketball Competition held at East Durham College on Thursday this week. They came first out of the eight teams taking part. Next week, another ten schools compete. We will then play the winner of that group in the final. Mrs Scarr said the children were absolutely awesome and all played fantastically well 😊 We are all so excited and will let you know the final result. Keep your fingers crossed!



Durham University are running a range of sports and activity camps during the Easter holidays that cater for children aged 5-16 years of age. Holiday camps include Multi sports, Dance and Drama, Adventure, Football and Tennis camps.

Mini sports/Multi sports/Dance and Drama are all £15 per day (09.30am-4.30pm) with wraparound care available between 08.30-09.30am and 4.30-5.30pm for an extra £1.50 per hour. The Adventure camp is for 12-16 year olds and is £120 for 4 days and includes all onsite/offsite activities and lunch each day.

Here is the link to find out more/book - <https://www.dur.ac.uk/conference.booking/details/?id=1893>

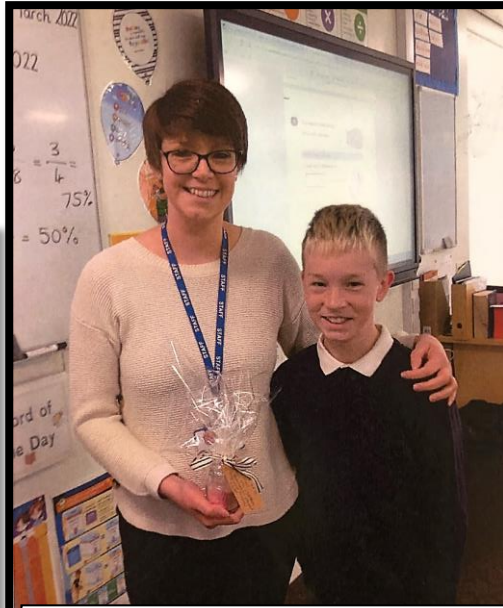
Here are some FAQ's relating to the camps - <https://www.durham.ac.uk/colleges-and-student-experience/team-durham/community/faqs/>

Also, children aged 14 and above can volunteer with the University at the summer holiday camps. Here is the link to register your child's interest - <https://forms.office.com/r/7BUR2CX9jz>



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random
 act of kindness



This week, three of our oldest children surprised staff members with a Random Act of Kindness.

As always, their response was 'that's made my day!' 😊

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 WHERE YOU CAN BE
 ANYTHING
 be kind

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Red Nose Day

Today we celebrated Red Nose Day in school. Thank you for the donations which totalled £90.92 to send to this amazing cause. Thank you 😊

