



Weekly Bulletin – 28th June 2019

Headteacher's Message

Many thanks to all of those who attended and supported our FOSS Summer Fair on Saturday. This was an excellent community occasion and raised vital funds for school. We are grateful for the continued contribution FOSS make to the life of the school.

Durham Music Service organised a Big Play event for schools across the County. We enjoyed a 'Big Play' Tuesday where we celebrated our musicians and singing within school. Ms Diment (from the Music Service) led Y4 and 6 Ukulele and other instruments during the afternoon. It was an excellent opportunity to celebrate the importance of music.

Next Wednesday is the 50th Anniversary of the current school building. We will celebrate in school with a special assembly.

This coming Thursday is our annual Open Evening from 3:30-4:45pm. This provides an excellent opportunity for parents to meet their child's class teacher for the next academic year. I encourage you to attend if you are able. Details of next year's staffing is below.

Best wishes

Mr Tait

Classes for 2019-2020

Year R: Mrs Short
Year 1: Miss Newman
Year 2: Mrs Armstrong
Year 3: Mr Gowan
Year 4: Mr Rumbles
Year 5: Mrs Anderson
Year 6: Mrs Richardson

Diary Dates

Wednesday 3rd July 2:30pm – Y1 Brazilian Carnival – Parents Welcome
Thursday 4th July- Open Evening- 3:30-4:45pm
Friday 5th July R-Y5 Reports sent home
Sunday 7th July 2:00pm – 5:00pm – Summer Garden Party – St. Mary's Church
Monday 8th July 1:30pm – School Sports Day (Reserve Day – Monday 15th July)
Tuesday 9th July – Y2 St. Mary's Lighthouse
Tuesday 9th July – Durham Dash (Beamish Museum)
Tuesday 9th July- Y6 Reports sent home
Thursday 18th July 2:45pm – Y6 Leavers' Assembly – Parents Welcome
Friday 19th July 10:00am – Y6 Leavers' and End of Year Service, St. Mary's Church – Parents Welcome
Friday 19th July – School closes for Summer holidays

For a full list of school holiday dates please see the school website.

Reading Books: a polite request

If you happen to be having a sort out in your child's bedroom over the Summer holidays and are getting rid of any books, then we would very much appreciate any donations to supplement our stock in the KS2 corridor. These would then be added to our range of books from which the junior children are able to select their home reading books. (Please note, we already have sufficient books for the KS1 corridor).

Thanking you in anticipation.

Mrs Short

Christian Values

We will explore the value of service and worship will be led by Mr Tait, Mrs Matthews, Fr. Peter, Fr. Bill and our Key Stage Two pupils. We will be continuing to think about the ways in which we may serve people during times of change.

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