

New Delaval Primary School Newsletter - June 2018

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Dear Parents/Carers

Before the end of term Year 4 enjoyed a wonderful residential trip to Wooler, they visited castles and enjoyed a day at Alnwick Gardens and for the first time in many years the weather was kind to us and the children managed a boat trip out to the Farne Islands. Children and staff enjoyed an enriching experience which I am sure will provide them with many happy memories.

Year 6 have enjoyed a visit to the Laing Art Gallery in Newcastle. Year 4 visited Newcastle Keep and Byker Primary School where they met the author Guy Bass. Both visits were great learning opportunities and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Sports Activities

The whole school have been taking part in sporting activities all week culminating in two days of sports. Thank you to everyone who was able to join us and support the children. Everyone had a lovely time in the sunshine.

Assessment

As you will know Year 6, Year 2 and Year 1 have taken part in national assessments. Results of the assessments will be sent out to parents/carers nearer the end of term.

Staffing

There are some staffing changes in school for the next academic year. I am very sad to report that Mrs Bridges will be leaving us at the end of the summer term. I would like to thank Mrs Bridges for all her hard work and for enriching the opportunities of the children in Year 6.

Mrs Parsons our School Sports Partnership teacher will be retiring in July and we send grateful thanks for all her support over the years. Mrs Bowman who has worked at New Delaval for many years is also retiring. We thank her for many years of service.

Other news, Miss Sweeney is getting married in the summer holidays and will return to school in September as Mrs Anderson.

I am sure you will join with me in wishing them all the best in the future, whatever their chosen path may be.

2 Year Provision	Mrs Ralph
Nursery	Mrs Ralph
Reception	Miss Smith
Year 1	Mrs Wilkinson
Year 2	Mrs Horne/Miss Wouldhave
Year 3	Mrs Monaghan
Year 4	Mr Kelly
Year 5	Mr Struthers/Mrs Thew
Year 6	Mrs Anderson

Children will meet with their new teachers on our transition days which this year are 17th, 18th and 19th July.

Mrs D T Worrall
Headteacher

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Headteacher

Diary Dates

Event	Who?	Dates and Timings
Year 3 trip to Woodhorn	All children in Year 3	Tuesday 3rd July 2018
Year 2 Trip to St Mary's Lighthouse	All children in Year 2	Wednesday 4th July 2018
School Fayre	Everyone Welcome!	Thursday 5th July 2018 2.00pm-4.00pm
Year 6 Trip to the Great Exhibition of the North	All children in Year 6	Monday 9th July 2018
Year 3 Trip to Headway Arts	All children in Year 3	Tuesday 10th July 2018
Year 5 Trip to Cullercoats and Kayaking	All children in Year 5	Tuesday 10th July 2018
Move up Day - Bede Academy	Year 6 pupils transferring to Bede Academy	Wednesday 11th July 2018 All day Pupils make their own way to and from Bede
New Nursery / Reception Parents	Parents and carers starting School in September 2018	Thursday 12th July 2018 2.15pm - New Nursery Parents Stay and Play 3.45pm - New Nursery/ September Reception Parents Meeting
Reports to Parents/Carers	All children	Friday 13th July 2018
Transition Days	All children from 2 Year to Year 5	17th, 18th & 19th July 2018
Year 6 Leavers Ceremony	Parents/Carers/Grandparents of children leaving Year 6	20th July 2018 9:00am (for refreshments) Presentation - 9:30am
School Closes	All Children	20th July 2018 2.00pm

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