

Summer 1 2016



Dear Parents/ Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to highlight all the wonderful events that have been enjoyed by our children and supported by you.

Important 'happenings' -

April and May

Whole school skipping day with a coach and activities.

Year 4 ukulele lessons (which will continue until July 2015) - we are planning a concert to share their talents.

Golf coach working with Y4 every Friday afternoon.

Year 1 to attend a Multi-skills festival in Blyth.

'Bugsnstuff' roadshow to spend the day with Y3 and Y4.

Athletics coach working in school.

Online Safety focus week.

Celebration assembly - invitations to be sent out soon.

Creative Curriculum week - 'Tea and Coffee'.

Key Stage trips to be confirmed.

Future events:

Celebration assembly - invitations to be sent out soon.

Summer Parents Open Evening will be 28th and 29th June.

Y 1 to Y4 Sports Morning will be 1st July.

Nursery and Reception Sports Morning will be 7th July.

Summer Concert will be 13th July.

Y4 Leavers Concert will be 19th July.

Merlin's Magical Productions in school.

Playground squad training [Y3's].

Don 'The Library Man' to share stories with pupils.

New Reception pupils to visit school.

New Nursery families to visit school.

Y4 transition week at Whytrig Middle School - to be confirmed.

A gentle reminder - classroom doors open at 8.45 am for Nursery children [closing 8.50 prompt] and 8.50 am for Reception to Year 4 [closing 8.55 prompt]. We ask that children are at their appropriate door area a few minutes before the above times. Staff are always willing to have a brief chat at the door as they welcome children into our school. When parents arrive after 8.50 and want to talk this is impacting upon the start of the day for the vast majority of children resulting in staff being unable to talk to you.

Father Phil has led several whole school assemblies helping us to further develop our knowledge and understanding about festivals and special days.

Finally, can I remind you about all our out of school activities: morning club (8 to 8.50 am, Fun and Fitness, Football coaching, Hip-hop, Blue Peter Club, Circus Skills, Ball Skills, Jolly Olly Soccer, Art Club, Book Club, and after school club (3pm to 5pm). Please contact the school for more details.

Best wishes for a happy half term holiday.

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Headteacher