

Pegswood Primary School News

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Welcome back to the Summer Term after the Easter break.

Goodbye to Mrs Douds

It is with great sadness that we say goodbye to Mrs Douds, our Business Manager, today. Mrs Douds joined us 5 years ago and has been a valuable member of our team, especially in the office with Mrs Stanton. Mrs Douds leaves us to join a big secondary school in Newcastle as their Finance Officer. We would all like to thank Louise for all of her hard work over the years and wish her all the very best of luck starting in her new position next week.

After shortlisting during the holidays, and interviewing today, I am pleased to announce the appointment of Miss Sarah Kennedy as Mrs Douds replacement as Office Manager. I am sure she will settle in quickly. Miss Kennedy has had experience of the role, working in another school as Office Manager for many years.

Clubs

Club information will be sent out next week with a view to hopefully starting the week after. As the half term is so short (4 more weeks), the clubs will 'straddle' half term.

The only clubs that are on next week are: Year 2 Maths Club on a Thursday and Year 6 SATs clubs on Wednesday and Thursday.

Dinner Menu

Our lunch menus will be changing the week May Day holiday onto our summer choices. The new menus will be available to view after next week on our website and of course, the choices will have been uploaded onto Live Kitchen.

Dinner Money

Please can we remind you that dinner money accounts should always be in credit. There are a number of accounts which are gathering significant arrears. You are able to log on to your account and check the balance. If we find the account amassing significant arrears and no attempt has been made to reduce the arrears after contacting you several times, it may be that your child will no longer be able to have a school lunch and a packed lunch will need to be provided. In extreme cases, it is regrettable that legal advice will be sought. Thank you for helping keep the balances in credit and therefore helping the school manage its balance sheets.

May Day Holiday

School will be closed on Monday 6th May.

