



Mountfield News



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Diary- June/July 2019

Monday 3rd June	School re-opens Year 5- bikeability
Tuesday 4th June	Year 3 visit Segedunum 1:15- 2:15- Year 5 mini police
Wednesday 5th June	AM: Nursery forest school PM: reception forest school 2PM: Funky Foods workshop- parents welcome
Thursday 6th June	PM: artist in year 5
Friday 7th June	PM: year 3&4 Tag rugby competition at Cheviot Primary school
Wednesday 12th June	AM: Nursery forest school PM: reception forest school
Thursday 13th June	9AM: Nursery welcome meeting PM: artist in year 5
Tuesday 18th June	Reception to visit Seven Stories
Wednesday 19th June	AM: Nursery forest school PM: reception forest school
Thursday 20th June	PM: artist in year 5
Wednesday 26th June	AM: Nursery forest school AM: Piccolo music in Nursery, reception and Year 1 PM: reception forest school
Saturday 29th June	Year 5 outcome at River Tyne Trust Festival
Wednesday 3rd July	AM: Nursery forest school PM: reception forest school PM: David Guest (Decathlete) visiting school
Thursday 4th July	1:30 Singing picnic- All welcome
Friday 5th July	Year 4 sandcastle competition at South Shields 11:30AM: Nursery graduation- Parents welcome
Monday 8th July	Super splash heroes performance in school
Tuesday 9th July	PARENTS EVENING
Wednesday 10th July	Year 3 project outcome—class assembly PARENTS EVENING
Thursday 11th July	Transition day for whole school
Friday 12th July	Transition day for whole school
Tuesday 16th July	AM: Early Years and KS1 sports day PM: KS2 sports day
Friday 19th July	2:00PM: Year 6 leavers assembly

Summer time

It is hard to believe that we are now half way through the summer term! As there is usually so much going on, we thought we would let you know some of the dates already planned for your diary. There will be more to come so keep checking the newsletters for updates.

Let's hope the weather stays fine and we can enjoy the sunshine!



Sun protection

As the weather gets warmer it is important to keep the children safe. Even the English sunshine is very powerful and our skins need protecting!

Please ensure children have cream on before school and if you wish them to top up at lunchtime then provide a small bottle of cream with their name on. Staff cannot apply the cream but will encourage children to do so themselves

Attendance

Attendance for the first half term:

Nursery: 93% (getting better!)

Reception: 90.4% (could be better!)

Year 1: 96.1% (great!)

Year 2: 97.6% (great!)

Year 3: 96.9% (great!)

Year 4: 96.6% (great!)

Year 5: 97.2% (great!)

Year 6: 96.4% (great!)

Year 2 won the Trust trophy- well done!



Nursery

As part of our topic 'Where can stories take us?', we visited Seven Stories. We enjoyed the Elmer exhibition where we could explore the Elmer art and listen to Elmer stories. We also took part in an Elmer workshop where we created some artwork and made homes for Elmer's friends!



Reception

Reception have been learning all about the Seaside. They learned all about the different kinds of creatures you can find at the beach. They have made, fish, crabs and sharks! We read the story of the rainbow fish and learned all about sharing with one another. We had a big circle time discussion about why it is good to be nice to others.



Year 1

Year One have been enjoying Piccolo music sessions. They have learnt some names of percussion instruments and enjoyed playing them. They have even started to learn how to read and play some basic rhythms. Their singing has been beautiful to listen to. Well done Class One!



Year 2

The children have been doing investigations all to do with measuring water. They have used different sized containers and even measured in millilitres. You should ask them how many millilitres are in a litre!



Year 3

Year 3 enjoyed a visit to the rugby European Championship fan zone on the quayside. They were able to practice their skills and took part in a mini game of tag rugby. We tried throwing target practice, tested the speed we could throw the ball and even had a go at performing some spectacular rugby tackles on the inflatable dummy.



Year 4

We had an excellent visit to the Baltic. We were shown around the exhibitions by an artist and then we got to do loads of really cool artwork with her.



Year 5

The next stage of our river project is to look at how rivers are managed. A representative from Groundwork came in to show us how humans have impacted the water cycle and what we can do to prevent problems such as flooding and erosion. We got to experiment with lots of models and even designed our own working river systems!



Year 6

Well that's it, SATs all completed and we all put 100% into it. As a result of that, we were treated to a meal out at Oli and Joes. We got a pizza or pasta and then ice cream! All that hard work paid off!



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