



July newsletter

This Month's Events

Every Morning -

Breakfast Club in the Hall

08.25am - 08.45am.

Cost 40p per child.

Every Monday—After School Club:

Homework Club

3.15pm—4.15pm

Every Tuesday - After School Club:

Climbing Wall Club Years 5 + 6 only

3.15pm - 4.15pm.

Every Wednesday -

After School Club: Choir

3.15pm - 4.15pm.

Every Morning -

Breakfast Club in the Hall

08.25am - 08.45am.

Cost 40p per child.

Friday 17 July - Year 6 leavers

assembly.

School closes for Summer Holidays

3.15pm.

Next Month's Events

Friday 3 September - Uniform order

collections/sales from office between

1pm—3pm.

Monday 7 September - School re-

opens to children 08.55am.

Breakfast Club will restart on

Monday 14 September.

08.25am - 08.45am.

Cost 40p per child.

Free Family Swimming

Our free family swimming sessions

at The Education Village in

September and October are:

Tue 15 September: 5.30pm - 6.30pm

Tue 22 September: 6.30pm - 7.30pm

Tue 06 October: 5.30pm - 6.30pm

Tue 13 October: 4.30pm - 5.30pm

There are 30 places available and

are allocated on a first come, first

served basis.

Events Diary:

Wednesday 1 July: Town Sports—Track Events. Our team of athletes went along to Eastbourne Sports Complex and competed against other schools from across Darlington. Red Hall Primary School was awarded with the 'Most Improved School' Trophy. We are extremely proud of the team - well done!

Thursday 2 July: Year 5 Kwik Cricket Festival. Year 5 children travelled to Rockcliffe Park, Hurworth to compete in the Kwik Cricket Festival. They showed tremendous team spirit and played fantastically.

Thursday 2 July: Year 6 visit to Darlington Fire Station. Year 6 children were taken to Darlington Fire Station to take part in the Darlington Fire Safety Carousel.

Friday 3 July: The Big Sing. Children from Years 5, 4 and the choir travelled to The Sage in Gateshead to take part in 'The Big Sing'. This event brings together over 3000 school children from across the North East of England to sing in a celebration of music. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

Tuesday 7 July: Year 3 and 4 visit to the Oriental Museum in Durham. Following their topic work on Egypt, the children visited the museum and were given the opportunity to find out more about ancient Egyptian life. They found out about the importance of animals in Egyptian culture and learnt about Mummies.

They were also given the opportunity to dress up and hold ancient artefacts!

Wednesday 8 July: 'Pack up your troubles' by Funhouse Theatre. Funhouse Theatre came into school with their production which was based on children evacuees during the Second World War. The show was enjoyed by all. Could we please thank all parents who sent in donations towards the show, without your help, such things could not go ahead.

Thursday 7 July: Reception visit to Preston Park. The children enjoyed a lovely day out at Preston Farm, looking at the animals and around the museum itself. All children were given the opportunity to dress up in Victorian clothes and have their pictures taken. The pictures were fantastic and proof copies have been sent out to parents.

Thursday 9 July: Town Team Athletics tournament at The Clareville Stadium, Middlesbrough. Jack Longstaff, a year 6 pupil, was chosen to be part of the town team. Jack went along and competed against 200 others in the Ball throw. We are pleased to tell you that Jack came 4th!!! A big well done Jack!

Thursday 9 July: Year 3/4 Community Games. Our teams played exceptionally well, in particular the Football Team who did not concede 1 goal! Well done to both the Football and Cricket Teams.

Friday 10 July: Green Britain Day. The whole school participated in our first 'Green Day', where all pupils took part in different activities to raise awareness of environmental issues. It was a great day, and fun was had by all.

Monday 13 July: Gymnastics Inter-Partnership Tournament at The Education Village. Following her success in the first two rounds of the Gymnastics Tournament, Skye Davies went on to compete against others from across the North East in the final round and took 3rd place - Well done Skye, this is a great achievement.

Monday 13 July: Tree Planting. Children from Years 1 and 2, worked together with Darlington Borough Council and helped plant trees in the school grounds.

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Athletics Track Team



Skye Davies

Another busy and successful year has seen the school receive another excellent Ofsted Report and several national awards.

Congratulations and thanks to Year 6 for the best SATs results in the schools history. We wish them all well for the future.

Have a great summer everyone!

Holiday Dates 2009- 2010

Holiday	Dates (inclusive) School closed on:	School Re-opens 8.55am
Summer 2009	Last day of Summer Term is Friday 17 th July - school closes at 3.15pm	Monday 7 th September
Autumn Half Term 2009	Monday 26 th October to Friday 30 th October	Monday 2 nd November
Christmas 2009	Monday 21 st December to Friday 1 st January	Monday 04 th January
Staff Training Day	Friday 12 th February	
Spring Half Term 2010	Monday 15 th February to Friday 19 th February	Monday 22 nd February
Easter Holiday 2010	Monday 5 th April to Friday 16 th April	Monday 19 th April
May Day 2010	Monday 3 rd May	Tuesday 4 th May
Staff Training Day	Friday 28 th May	
Summer Half Term 2010	Monday 31 st May to Friday 04 th June	
Staff Training Day	Monday 7 th June	Tuesday 8 th June
Summer 2010	Last day of Summer Term is Friday 23 rd July – school closes at 3.15pm	

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