

New Delaval Primary School Newsletter - October 2016

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Dear Parents/Carers

It was lovely to see so many of our parents and carers at our recent parent evenings, I do hope you found the meetings useful and are happy with the progress your child/children is making in school.

We have packed a lot into this first half term, there have been trips to Beamish, The Great North Museum and Newbiggin. Bike Ability sessions have also taken place in school and road safety lessons are taking place in KS1. I know you will agree these opportunities enrich the learning opportunities for our children, thank you for your continued support.

A parent today has brought to my attention a concern regarding inappropriate language being used on our school site at the end/start of the school day. I would ask for your support in this matter.

Reminder to Year 6 parents please remember to complete your form for transfer to secondary school, the closing date is 31st October 2016.

Reminder to parents of our Nursery children transferring to Reception in September 2017 the admissions portal opens on 1st November and closes on 15th January 2017, hard copy applications will be available at the school office from 1st November.

Finally, our Harvest Assemblies are taking place this week, thank you for your wonderful donations.

Have a wonderful half term and be safe as the darker nights draw in. We are back to school on Monday 31st October at 8:45am.

DT Worrall

Mrs Worrall
Headteacher



Match Updates from Mr Struthers



We have played 4 games so far, losing the first 3 but with glimpses of heartening and improving performances we beat convincingly Chantry Middle school in our 4th game with a crushing **4-0 victory**.

Men of the match -Tyne May, our new centre half maestro and hat trick hero Fraser McNeil were outstanding in the match against Chantry.

Robbie Langlands has had an outstanding season so far and kept our losses respectable with some inspired performances in goal.

Warren Chipperfield, Reece Scott, Ethan Clark and Mark Greaves have made an impressive contribution to the team and Reade Cunningham has picked up where he has left off last season as a little wizard on the pitch!

Ryan Turnbull made his debut last night with some lovely assured touches and passing, bringing a sense of calm and tranquillity with a steely edge to the middle of the park.

Well Done lads!

We have a winter break then the season will continue in March 2017.

A big thank you to Mr McNeil for his support!

For lots more information!
Visit our website: www.newdelavalprimary.sch.uk



When?	Event	Who?
Monday 7th November 8:30am - 3:45pm	Vindolanda and Roman Fort	Year 4
Monday 14th November All Week	Anti Bullying Week	Whole School
Friday 18th November 2016	Wear Blue for Bullying UK	Whole School
Wednesday 23rd November 10:30am-12noon	Trip to BBC	Year 2
Thursday 1st December 10:00am	Nasal Spray Innoculatons	Years 1,2, and 3
Monday 12th December 9:00am	EYFS Performance	Parents/Carers & Grandparents of Children in Nursery & Reception
Monday 12th December 7:00pm	Panto Performance	Everyone! (except for pre-school children)
Tuesday 13th December 9:00am	KS1 Performance	Parents/Carers & Grandparents of Children in Year 1 and Year 2
Tuesday 13th December 2:00pm	Panto Performance	Everyone! Pre-school children welcome!
Tuesday 13th December 7:00pm	Panto Performance	Everyone! (except for pre-school children)
Wednesday 14th December	School Christmas Lunch	Reception – Year 6
Thursday 15th December	Christmas Party Day!	Nursery-Year 6
Friday 16th December 2:00pm	School closes for end of term	Whole School (except - for Morning nursery)
Tuesday 3rd January 2017 8:45am	School reopens for spring term	Whole School

Holiday or Occasion of Closure	Date on which school will close	Date on which school will reassemble
October Mid Term 2016	Friday 21st October 3:15pm	Monday 31st October 2016 8:45am
Christmas/New Year 2016/2017	Friday 16th December 2:00pm	Tuesday 3rd January 2017 8:45am
Spring Mid-term Break	Friday 17th February 3:15pm	Monday 27th February 8:45am
Easter	Friday 7th April 2:00pm	Monday 24th April 8:45am
May Day - Bank Holiday	Monday 1st May	Tuesday 2nd May 8:45am
Summer Mid-term Break	Friday 26th May 3:15pm	Tuesday 6th June 8:45am
Teacher Training Day School Closed to Pupils	Monday 5th June	
Summer Break	Friday 21st July 2017 2:00pm	Wednesday 6th September 8:45am

THE ROYAL BRITISH
LEGION



When we return to return to school on Monday 31st October on sale will be;

- Poppies (donation)
- Friendship Bracelets - £1;00
- Slap Rulers - £1;00
- Wrist Band - 50p
- Reflectors - 50p
- Pencils -20p

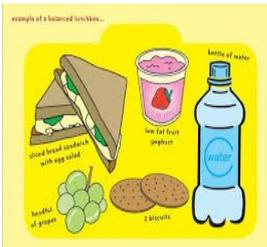


Reporting Your Child Absent From School

If your child is absent from school please ring the school office before 8:45am on **01670 353255** out of office hours a 24 hour answering machine is in use.

Alternatively we also have a text messaging service please text

07860005171 giving the name of your child and the reason for absence.



Packed Lunches in School

Please remember we have a number of children in school who have food allergies.

So with this in mind, please make sure your child's packed lunch does not include, any product containing nuts.

New Delaval Primary has been awarded a Healthy School Award we would encourage parents and carers to prepare a healthy packed lunch for your child.

