

# Newsletter



## Summer Fair Appeal

We are now appealing for donations for our summer fair. We need:

- Toys (good condition)
- Books
- Bric-a-brac
- Goods for hampers
- Cakes for cake stall (to be brought in on day of the fair please)
- We are asking each child to bring in some sort of bottle for the bottle stall (*not necessarily alcohol*)
- Raffle prizes

**No Jumble Please.**

**Any donations can be brought into school from today.**

## Pirate Day

**Reception class: Please come dressed as a pirate!**



**Friday 10th July**

## Sports Day/Summer Fair

Sports day will take place on the morning of **Tuesday 7th July** (weather permitting!). The games/races will get underway as soon as registration has been completed, approximately **9.15am – 9.30 am**.

Our Summer fair will take place on the afternoon of **Tuesday 7th July**.

Please find attached 2 strips of raffle tickets £1 a per strip. Please send in monies or unwanted raffle tickets.



## PE Kits

Children should have a school PE Kit for lessons. Can you check at home to see if you have a kit belonging to another child as many have gone missing. **PE kits should be in school all the time at the moment as children are practising for sports day.** Children should not be borrowing a kit from another child.

## PE Shoes

Children should have a pair of PE shoes they can wear for sport. **NOT** their school trainers.

## Jewellery

All jewellery should be removed for PE. (earrings etc)

## End of term Disco

The Parent Support Group have arranged an end of term disco. This will take place on **Tuesday 14th July** in the school hall.

**Infants ( Reception Class, Years 1 & 2) 5.00pm – 6.15pm,**  
**Juniors ( Years 3,4,5 & 6) 6.30pm – 7.45pm. £1 entry.**



## Music concert

There is to be a music concert for those parents of children who have been learning to play musical instruments ( the guitar and viola/violin) on the afternoon of **Monday 13th July.**

**2:00pm**

## Date and Time change:

### End of Term Mass

End of term Mass will be held in St Cuthbert's Church on **Thursday 16th July at 11:00 am.**

**Everyone Welcome!**



## Drama Group

The drama group will be performing 'Tug of War' on **Friday 10th July at 4:30pm.**

*Parents of Drama Club members are invited to watch.*



**Football Strips to be returned in full to Miss Marron asap.**

## 234

As a voluntary aided school we have to pay 10% towards the cost of any building works/improvements to our school. The Parish and school come together to fund raise for this purpose with the 234 Club.

**We are currently appealing for new members, there is a £100 monthly draw and a £1000 half yearly draw (better odds than the lottery!).**

Please call into the school office for a number. The New Year will be starting from **3rd July**, if you already have a number you will receive your new card shortly. If you don't have a number, would you like one?

During the Summer holidays monies for the 234 club can be paid at Saturday Vigil Mass at St Cuthbert's or you can pay at school up to Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2014.

**The £1000 draw winning number is: 229 - McKenna.**

**The £100 draw winning number is: 263 - Mr A. McDade.**

### **School Admissions**

Do you have a child who will be 5 on or between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017?

If so, you need to complete an application for a school place so that your child can start school in September 2016.

From 12 September 2015 you can apply online at [www.durham.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.durham.gov.uk/schooladmissions). You will be able to access a copy of the guide for parents "Primary School Admissions in County Durham 2016/17" which will contain essential information that will help you in making your application.

If you cannot access the Council's website please contact the School Admissions and Transport Team, using the details below, and you will be sent a copy of the guide for parents and an application form.

The deadline for applications is midnight on 15 January 2016.

The School Admissions and Transport Teams telephone number is **03000 265 896**.

Holiday Dates		
Term Finishes	Friday 17th July 2015 at 1:30pm	
Autumn Half Term	Friday 23rd October	Monday 2nd November
*Christmas	Tuesday 22nd December	Thursday 7th January
*Dates have been amended.		

Collective Worship Dates - <i>These are the dates your child's class will be leading the assembly. Parents are invited to attend.</i>		
Friday 10th July	Year 6	9:10am

