Ashley Chronicle

1st May, 2015

Dates for Your Diary



School Closed - Bank Holiday - Monday 4th May

Year 2 SATs - Throughout May

Year 6 SATs - Wk Beginning 11th May

Year 5 - Thurston Trip - Wk Beginning 11th May

Year 6 - Dukes House Meeting - Weds 20th May - 5pm

Spring Half Term - Break up - Friday 22nd May Return - Monday 1stJune

Charity Swim



We are all very proud of Emily Taylor, from Miss Locklan's Year 5 class. On Saturday 26th April, she did a sponsored swim for a local charity, THE KAYAKS. She was originally going to swim 4 widths, but ended up managing 10 widths.

This is a massive achievement for Emily and she should feel incredibly proud of her achievement. Here she is pictured with Olympic gold medallist, Josef Craig!

If you have a photo and some news about your child's achievement out of school and you would like it to appear in the newsletter, please email it to us at

dtodd@ashley.s-tyneside.sch.uk
Please mark it for the Ashley Chronicle.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Next School Nurse Drop In Session

Friday 5th June from 8.30am - 9.15am



The nurse will be available to discuss any health or behaviour issues you may have, regarding your child. No appointment is necessary, just hand your name in at the main office on that morning.

Should you have any concerns about your child and wish to speak to the nurse, but are unable to make the drop in session, we can provide her number at the main office. She is always happy discuss issues with parents/carers as and when the need arises.

Sliding to Raise Money

Lucas Ball, from Miss Golightly's Year 1 class, did the Wearside slide and raised over £200 for PRS a service which provides activities for adults with special needs.



He is pictured (right) with his cousin Daniel at the foot of the slide, which looks like lots of fun!

Their Uncle Neil and his friends will enjoy a special day out with the money they raised.

Well done, boys!

Head Teacher's Drop In Sessions

As a school, we like to think that parents/carers can approach us about any concerns or queries relating to their child's education, or school life in general. I am almost always available to talk to between 8-9am and 3-4pm each day. In addition to this I will hold a drop in session between 8am - 11.45am, on the following dates. It will be necessary to make an appointment and this can be done by contacting the main office.

Wednesday 6th May Thursday 21st May

Should there be anything which you wish to discuss urgently, please don't hesitate to contact me there and then

REMINDERS

Parents/carers are reminded, once again, that dogs must NOT be brought onto the school premises. This is in the interests of all children and adults on site. This rule includes All dogs, even those being carried.

We would ask all parent/carers to park considerately, when dropping off/collecting their children. The traffic control officer has been sighted on a few occasions this week and they will issue fines, if vehicles are parked illegally.

We appreciate your support on these matters.

BIKES/SCOOTERS in the School Grounds

We love to encourage both children and adults to keep fit and cycle too and from school. Please remember to push the bikes/scooters, once in the school grounds. We have had a few collisions recently, which could have been avoided, if this rule had been followed.









The photos have been staged with the kind permission of Grace and Riley, who were using their bikes this morning!!!