



**NEWLAND
ST JOHN'S**
C of E ACADEMY

11th May 2018
Newsletter

'With God's help we work together to help each child fulfil their potential.'

Diary Dates

Mon 14th – Thurs 17th May
Thursday 17th May
Thursday 24th May
Friday 25th May
Monday 4th June
Thursday 7th June
Wednesday 6th – Friday 8th June
Wednesday 13th June
Thursday 14th June
Tuesday 19th June
Wednesday 20th June
Thursday 21st June
W/C Monday 25th June
Tuesday 26th June
Wednesday 27th June
Thursday 28th June
Wednesday 4th July
Friday 6th July
Wednesday 11th July
Wednesday 11th July
Wednesday 18th July
Friday 20th July
Friday 20th July

SATs Week
 Rabbits Roast Dinner Day
 Badgers Roast Dinner Day
 School closes for half term (3:15 pm)
 Children return to school (8:50 am)
 Squirrels Roast Dinner Day
 Year 6 residential
 Creative Clubs Event
 Hedgehogs Roast Dinner Day
 Y6 v Staff rounders match (3:30 pm)
 New starters' parents evening
 Dormice Roast Dinner Day
 Sports week
 Sports Day (Key Stage 2 am key Stage 1 pm)
 Fun sports morning
 Robins Roast Dinner Day
 Summer Concert (4:00 pm)
 Annual reports to Parents out
 Art Gallery Event
 Parents' evening
 Transition day for new starters – Year 5
 9:15 Leavers' service at Church
 School Closes for summer



Stars of the week



Dormice Minh
 Robins Sumaiyah
 Hedgehogs. Izak
 Squirrels Sebastian
 Badgers. Shayan
 Rabbits Lois
 Foxes. Lucy
 Otters Alana
 Owls. Alfie
 Deer Darja

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**FOUNDATION STAGE
PLACES AVAILABLE FOR
SEPTEMBER 2018**

FREE UNIFORM STARTER PACK
FREE BREAKFAST CLUB

"Pupils are exceeding expectations
because they enjoy learning."
Ofsted 2018

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Attendance

This week our attendance has been 96.9%. The best attendance was 100% from Foxes class. Well done!



Holidays in term time

We have had an unprecedented number of requests for holidays during term time. This is very disappointing as the children have 6 weeks off over the summer and any such holiday requests will generally be unauthorised. If children take time off during term time, they miss valuable learning and teachers then have to repeat these lessons when children return. This impacts not just on the child who has returned from holiday, but also on the other children in the class. When it happens on multiple occasions as is frequently the case, it can have a detrimental impact on the whole class. We would therefore ask that holidays are only taken during the 13 weeks children have off during the year and not during term time.

2018/19 Term Dates

Could parents please take note of the holiday dates for next year (sent out on Wednesday, copies available from the office). As you will see there is plenty of scope for family holidays outside term time. Parents wishing to take advantage of cheaper holidays may be interested to note that October half term is later than the rest of the country and prices are therefore lower. We also finish earlier than most in the summer of 2019.

With this much time to plan ahead, it should be necessary to avoid holidays in term time.

Playground Equipment

Please note that it is not permitted for playground equipment to be used by children either before or after school. Parents and children should clear the playground as soon as possible at the end of the day. Thank you.

Guide Dogs for the Blind

Please collect your loose coppers for Guide Dogs for the Blind. Each class has a jar to collect them and there will be a prize for the class that collects the most!

Dove House Bubble Rush

Dove House are working alongside Bubble Rush to bring the bubbliest fun run to Hull. Join them at East Park on Saturday 2nd June and walk, run, toddle or dance your way around their family friendly course taking on four bubble stations along the way – each one pumping out masses of lovely frothy bubbles! For more information please



visit www.dovehouse.org.uk/hullbubblerrush



Please remember we are always keen to hear of your concerns as well as your positive feedback. If you would like to discuss any issues with Mrs Wilson or your child's teacher, please make an appointment at the school office.

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