



Seaton Sluice First School

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Well Done to Year 1 Orange Class who had best attendance of 96.9%

Red	Orange	Yellow	White	Purple
85.3%	96.9%	94.8%	93.5	82.1%

Our overall school target for attendance is 96%

Defibrillator

You will have received a letter inviting you to attend the training in the use of our defibrillator which will soon be located on a wall outside of the school. The PTFA raised money for the purchase of this community resource and I would encourage you to go along to the training as advertised in order to support its use in the community.

Robinwood

Twenty one excited year fours will be leaving for Robinwood on Wednesday 27th April 2016. Places are still available if any year fours have had a change of heart and would like to go on this fantastic trip.

ECO Flag Competition

Congratulations to Ben Graham who is the winner of the ECO Flag Competition. Ben's design will be made into a flag for our school.

Mrs Love's absence from school

I will be absent from school for the majority of the first half term following surgery. Mrs Bennett will act up as Head Teacher and we have arranged for a very experienced teacher called Mrs Bamford to teach in year four for this period of time. Mrs Bennett and Mrs Bamford are working closely together already in preparation.

Sport Relief Day

Sport Relief Day raised £141.91. Thank you to all the children who dressed up and took part in our sporty activities so cheerfully.

Ivan & Nicola Thorne run for the school

As mentioned in a previous newsletter Ivan and Nicola will be running to raise money for school funds on July 17th, Ivan a full marathon and Nicola a half marathon. If you would like to show your support please log on to:- everyclick.com/run4ssfs

Easter Disco

The Easter disco was a great success. Thank you to all the parent helpers who manned stalls and helped with food and drink. Kim and Donna did a great job as always with their efficient organisation. The event raised £182.00.

Easter Hat Competition

What a fabulous response to this event! The standard of entry is amazing! Thank you to the PTFA who provided all our winners with an Easter egg. Well done to all who took part and congratulations to our winners who were:-

Nursery - Harry Carr and Olive Santonastaso

Reception - Theo Gauld and Alesha Robinson

Year One - Archy Sander and Maisie Homer

Year Two - Joseph Tench and Ella-Jean Wiper

Year Three - Ben Graham and Charlotte Ayres

Year Four - Harvey McNichol and Olivia Stringfellow

Mrs G Love

Head Teacher

FUTURE DIARY DATES

School is closed to pupils on Monday 11th April for staff training

School re-opens on Tuesday 12th April at 8.55am for main school and 8.45am for nursery.

Tuesday 12th April - Dodge Ball Club for KS2 3.15 - 4.15pm

Wednesday 13th April - WOW starts

Thursday 14th April - Weekly Tag Rugby starts for Year 3 and Year 4 in afternoons

Thursday 14th April - Defibrillator Training at Seaton Sluice Middle School 6.00pm

Wednesday 20th April - Choir singing at the Marine Centre in Blyth (more info to follow)

Thursday 21st April - Final meeting for Robinwood at 3.15pm

Wednesday 27th April - Friday 29th April - Year four visit to Robinwood

Thursday 28th April - Year one multi-skills festival Blyth Sports Centre in morning

Saturday 30th April - PTFA Quiz Night

Monday 2nd May - School closed for UK Bank Holiday

Monday 16th May - Friday 20th May - National Walk To School Week

Wednesday 18th May - School Games Tag Rugby for one team from year four in morning

Monday 23rd May - Friday 27th May - Healthy Lifestyles Week

Wednesday 25th May - School Photographer to photograph Reception Class and Year 4 and School football teams - am

School closes for half term on Thursday 26th May at 3.15pm

Friday 27th May is a staff training day.

Monday 6th June - School opens at 8.55am for main school and 8.45am for nursery

Tuesday 7th June - First session of KS2 Athletics Club 3.15 - 4.15pm

Friday 10th June - PTFA Sponsored Walk and Summer Fair

Wednesday 15th June - nursery sports at 9.15am / reception sports at 1.15pm / year 1 sports at 2.00pm

Thursday 16th June - year 2 sports at 9.15am / year 3 sports at 10.45am / year 4 sports at 1.15pm

Wednesday 29th June - WOW ends

Thursday 30th June - year 2 basketball festival at Blyth sports centre - am

Monday 4th July - transition week (year 4's visit to SSMS and sessions with next year's teacher in school)

Friday 8th July - Reports out to parents/carers

Friday 8th July - PTFA BBQ

Monday 18th July - PTFA end of term disco with G-Force 3.15 - 5.00pm

- Leavers Presentation - Evening

Tuesday 19th July - Leavers Presentation - am

School closes on Wednesday 20th July at 2.00pm and re-opens on Tuesday 6th September at 8.55am

Monday 5th September is a staff training day

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Pierced earrings **MUST** be removed on PE days

Football **MUST NOT** be played on the yard before school

Scooters and bicycles **MUST NOT** be ridden on the yard before and immediately after school

Children **MUST** not play in the bushes at the bottom of the field

Children **MUST** be supervised by parents/carers before and after school on school premises

Parents/Carers **MUST** make themselves visible at picking up time so that children can be handed over safely

Dogs **MUST NOT** be brought onto the school site

Parents/Carers **MUST** check book bags daily for letters/homework/messages etc...

Book bags and water bottles **MUST** be brought to school every day