



Ramshaw Primary School Newsletter

27th February 2015

Dates for your Diary

Friday 6th March	Primary Schools Cross Country
Friday 6th March	Class 1 Trip to Durham Castle
Friday 13th March	Red Nose Day - Make your face funny for money
Monday 16th March	Parents Afternoon
Wednesday 18th March	Class 2 Discovery Museum
Thursday 19th March	Football Team to Teesdale School
Friday 20th March	Year 5 & 6 Biodiversity - Staindrop School
Monday 23rd March	Year 3 & 4 Multi Skills Festival, Staindrop
Wednesday 25th March	Year 1 & 2 Dance Festival - Cockfield School
Thursday 26th March	Break up for Easter Holidays
Tuesday 14th April	Back to School
Thursday 16th April	Football Team to Teesdale School
Wednesday 22nd April	School Photographs
Monday 4th May	May Day
Thursday 7th May	School Closed for Poling Station
Monday 11th May	Start of Year 6 SATs week
Friday 22nd May	Break up for Whit Week
Monday 1st June	Back to School



Trip Lunches

When our pupils go out on school trips, we ask parents to let us know on the reply slip, if they would like their children to bring their own packed lunch from home, or order one from school. We have had quite a few instances where school packed lunches have been ordered but children have still brought a packed lunch from home. On these occasions we will still require payment of £1.95 for the school packed lunch if you pay for your child's school meals, as they are prepared before the children come in to school. If you prefer your child to have a packed lunch from home, please circle the 'do not require' section on the reply slip. Thank you.

Red Nose Day

Make your face funny for money is the theme for this years Red Nose Day. Your child can come to school wearing their own clothes and create the funniest face possible, see if they can beat the staff. They can use makeup or face paints and pay £1 for Comic Relief.

Fantastic Pupils

Our pupils have been out on a few trips this week, Newcastle Central Mosque, the Discovery Centre and Newcastle University. They have all behaved fantastically and have represented our school in the best way possible. We are very proud of them all.

Due to our visit by author Liz Million today we have not had pupil of the week.

Newcastle Central Mosque

Our staff and pupils visited the Newcastle Central Mosque on Thursday 26th February to learn about the Islamic faith. They tried on traditional Islamic dress and had a look around the Mosque. The children found it very interesting and really enjoyed their morning. Their behaviour was outstanding as usual and their attitude and respect for the faith was wonderful.

They then all went to the Discovery Museum in Newcastle where Class 1 visited the Playtyne Gallery and got very while Classes 2 and 3 had a look around the museum.

A good day was had by all.

Newcastle University

On Tuesday 24th February Class 3 visited Newcastle University to go on Safari. They took part in activities at the university and even had their lunch provided. They created a short story and explored the campus with Percy the Lion. They had a great time.

Durham Castle

Class 1 pupils will be visiting Durham Castle on Friday 6th March as part of their topic work. Please make sure that your child wears suitable footwear and a warm waterproof coat.

Primary School Cross Country

Eighteen pupils from Class 2 and 3 have been chosen to represent the school at a Primary School Cross Country Festival at Staindrop Academy on Friday 6th March. They will need to bring suitable trainers, tracksuit bottoms and their school P.E. kit. We would like to wish them the best of luck in this event.