



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 9th June 2023

Right of the Fortnight

Over the next two weeks we will be exploring the following rights: **Article 32 – Child Labour and Article 35 – Prevention of sale and trafficking**. This links to 'World Day Against Child Labour' which is a global day on 12th June that aims to raise awareness and prevent children being engaged in working practices that prevent their development and stop them accessing their rights.

Dear Parents,

Thank you so much for your generosity and support with our upcoming school fair. We are delighted to have received lots of bottles for our stalls today in exchange for non-uniform. We are also pleased to announce that our fundraising efforts for one of our parents, who is unwell, have been hugely successful. As a whole school community, we have raised £2024.30 (this includes sponsor money from the children, sponsor money from the staff and the proceeds of the Easter cake sale). A huge thank you to everyone who has supported with this – it has really been a team effort from our whole school community and we are so proud of everyone!

We will endeavour to keep you fully informed of our upcoming events through the newsletter, our website: www.rosastreet.durham.school.uk (where all newsletters are uploaded), twitter (@rosastreet4) and our school facebook page. Download our app to keep up to date with all school messages – for further details see our website.

Change to our summer production – Class Showcase

We would like to try a change to our usual summer production this year. We really do struggle to get children back after school for performances and we appreciate that family life is so busy. This year we would like to offer a summer showcase. Our children will be presenting their learning and experiences from across the year (incorporating singing and dancing). Each showcase will be performed by two year groups on the dates below. We hope that they will provide more of an opportunity for you to see your child and find out about all the wonderful things they have done throughout the year. We would welcome any feedback on this.

Year 5 and Year 6 – **9.30am on Wednesday 12th July**

Year 3 and Year 4 – **9.30am on Monday 10th July**

Year 1 and Year 2 – **9.30am on Tuesday 11th July**

Reception will have their own end of year celebration event – **9.30am on Thursday 13th July**

Nursery will have their own end of year celebration event – **1.30pm on Tuesday 18th July**



Nursery News

Another big thank you to Mr Hart for building us a fabulous sandpit in the half term holidays. We are waiting for our sand delivery so we can get in there and play! If your child is staying in nursery next year please let Mrs Tugwell know if you would like to change your sessions. If we don't hear from you, we will assume you would like to continue with the same sessions in September.

Eco Committee

We are still working hard to earn the 100 points we need to renew our green flag status. Watch out for our Eco E-Newsletter which will give you some tips on how to be more eco-friendly at home. We are also planning an Eco assembly so we can share the work we have been doing with the rest of the class. Year 3 have been busy planting bee-friendly plants in our wildlife garden – we are a further step forward to improving biodiversity in our grounds!

Helping Hands



We'd just like to say thank you to everyone so far who has offered raffle prizes for the school fair everyone has been so generous but if anyone could donate anything or know of any businesses who would be willing to donate it would be greatly appreciated. We would also like to thank you all for your bottle donations too – your generosity is greatly appreciated. If anyone would be available in helping to run the school fair that would be great, you can either let the school office know or drop us a message on our Facebook page

Rosa Street Summer Fair – Thursday 22nd June: 5pm – 7pm

We will be holding two whole school events (inc Nursery) to gather donations for our school fair. As always, your support is much appreciated, and the funds raised from the school fair go towards our school funds which provides treats and extras for pupils.

Friday 16th June will also be a non-uniform day and children are asked to bring a thing if they choose to wear their own clothes to school. This could be smellies, sweets or anything that would make a great tombola prize.

We will also be taking donations for our toy stall, and these can be brought into school from Monday 19th June.

Sports Update

Next term we have the following sports events to look forward to:

Wednesday 12th July – Whole school colour run

Friday 14th July – EYFS sports day – morning

Friday 14th July – Years 1 to 6 Sports day - afternoon

PE Days

Please note the updated PE days:

Nursery AM – Tuesday AM

Nursery PM – Monday PM

Reception – Thursday AM

Year 1 - Monday

Year 2 - Thursday

Year 3 – Tuesday

Year 4 – Wednesday

Year 5 – Wednesday (Swimming)



Year 6 – Friday

Key Dates for the Diary:

Choir performance – Thursday 29th June 2:30pm

Rosa's Got Talent – Y6 – Wednesday 5th July (9.30am)

Year 3 and 4 end of year showcase – Monday 10th July (9.30)

Year 1 and 2 end of year showcase – Tuesday 11th July (9.30)

Year 5 and 6 end of year showcase – Wednesday 12th July (9.30)

Reception end of year showcase – Thursday 13th July (9.30)

Nursery end of year event – Tuesday 18th July (1.30)

Sports Day (Y1 – Y6) - Friday 14th July (pm)

Sports Day Nursery/Reception - Friday 14th July (am)

Beach Trip to South Shields (Rec, Year 1 and Year 2) – Tuesday 18th July

Beach Trip to South Shields (Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6) – Wednesday 19th July

Beach Trip to Roker (Nursery) - Wednesday 12th July

Year 1 dates:

- The Year 1 Phonics screening check will take place during the week beginning Monday 12th June.

- Year 1 Class Assembly on Tuesday 11th July

Year 3 dates:

Oriental Museum Trip Friday 30th June

Please disregard the previous date for the Y3 class assembly the new date is 10th July.

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check (MTC)

The Year 4 pupils will be undertaking a statutory assessment of their knowledge of multiplication tables from **Monday 5th June until Friday 16th June**. We will be continuing to practice our knowledge of multiplication tables in school regularly in preparation. You can support your child at home by continuing to recall multiplication facts at speed and using the 'Soundcheck' game mode on Times Tables Rockstars.

Maths Family Learning Afternoon – Friday 16th June at 2:30pm

Parents and carers are invited into school to get involved in whole-class problem solving activities. This is an opportunity for you to have an insight into the mathematical language we use in school and how we learn in Maths. We'd love for you to come along!

Parent's Coffee Morning – Tuesday 4th July at 9:30am

Parents and carers are invited into school for a coffee morning. This is an opportunity for you to catch up with other parents of the school and chat about school events, things that are happening in the local community and anything else that's on your mind. We care about the wellbeing of our parents and value the importance of making connections with others.

Career's Day – Friday 7th July

As last year's 'Career's Day' was a huge success, we would be interested in inviting people into school to talk about their jobs again. We want to give our pupils the very best insight into what job roles they could aspire to and fulfil in the future. You can help us by coming into classes and sharing information, and resources, linked to your job. If you, or someone you know, think you would be able to help us in learning about different jobs, please contact the school by email:

rosastreet@durhamlearning.net . A date will be confirmed for visitors to come into school for the Summer Term.

Rosa's Previous Students

We are very keen to invite previous students of Rosa Street into the school to share their journey since leaving the school. These may be recent memories or more distant ones. We would welcome anyone who attended to come in and talk to the children. We want to provide our pupils with real-life experiences of living in the local community and spark their inspiration for future aspirations. A date will be confirmed for visitors to come into the school for the Summer Term.

Sky Arts Week – 19th – 23rd June

The school will be taking part in the countrywide Sky Arts week. Each class will be working on a creative activity from music, poetry, drawing and movement. Keep an eye on our Twitter and Facebook pages to see some of the amazing things that our children get up to.

Please complete the form on the app (this can be found on the consent forms) if you would like your child to attend.

Bikeability

Children will have an opportunity to practise vital bicycle skills during the Bikeability lessons. They will need to bring their bike and a helmet into school for the day.

Year 4- Friday 30th June – all day

Year 6- Monday 17th, Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th July – am and pm slots