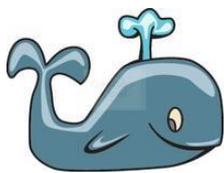




20th April 2018 Newsletter

Welcome back, we hope you had a lovely Easter holiday.



Summer Production- 'Jonah – A Fishy Tail' (Wednesday 11th July 9.15am/5.30pm)

This year's summer production to celebrate the Year 4 leavers is 'Jonah-A Fishy Tail!'

It is a 'summery', seaside type of show and we need your help!!

If you have any of the following items and you are willing to lend them for use in our production, please send them into school after the half term holiday:-

Beach balls
Deck chairs
Buckets
Spades
Beach bags
Windbreakers
Inflatable dinghy
Beach towels...

...and any other nautical/seaside paraphernalia to dress the stage.

All children received a copy of the song words this week. Please help them to learn them from memory as soon as possible.

Friends events

Jumble sale and coffee morning -Tuesday 15th May in the school hall from 8.55am onwards

Drop off the children and grab a bargain and a coffee before you head off for the day.

Children can make a purchase before break time so please send them in with a small amount of money to spend.

We would appreciate the following suitable donations of toys, books, household items and old uniform in a condition to be resold. Most items will cost 50p to £1.00.

Donations can be dropped into school on Monday 16th May.



Ice lolly- Fridays 3pm (after half term)

Our popular *Ice lolly* Fridays will start on 8th June until the end of the school term.

A range of treats will be on offer after school (for parents too !)

AGM

The friends will be arranging the AGM soon so watch this space for the date to come along to the meeting and help raise plan and raise funds for equipment and seasonal treats and trips for our children.

School Lunches (16.4.18-25.5.18)

The following amount is now due:-**28 lunches x £2.30 = £64.40**

The cost has been calculated minus the Wednesday 25th April school trip to Broomley Grange when all children will need to bring a packed lunch from home and the Bank Holiday on Monday 7th May.

Please send money to Mrs Rowcroft in a clearly labelled envelope.

Thank yous

Thank you to Richard Dodds and Sarah Martin-Maughan who kindly brought in their very new lambs for the children to see. There were lots of oohs and ahs and some very good questions asked.

Emergency contacts

If your change address, phone numbers or email addresses, please ensure you inform Mrs Rowcroft so files can be updated.

Attendance

Please ensure your child is in school every day unless unwell. Parents must contact the school office or leave a message on the answer machine giving a reason for absence.

Also, a reminder to all parents that we are unable to authorise holidays during term time as directed by central government.

Late book-we have had **2 entries** in the late book this week. Please arrive promptly so your child does not miss the start of the school day.

Other dates for your diary.

Wednesday 25th April: Whole school trip to Broomley Grange Outdoor Adventure Centre (Bring a packed lunch)

Monday 7th May: Bank Holiday-SCHOOL CLOSED

Friday 25th May: Break up for half term

Monday 4th June: Summer 2nd starts

Thursday 7th June: Swimming starts

Wednesday 27th June: Year 4 Newcastle Leaver Service-St Nicholas Cathedral

Friday 29th June: Pupil Voice Conference-QEH Year 4s

Tuesday 3rd July: Transfer Day

Wednesday 4th July: Sports Day 1.30pm

Wednesday 11th July: Summer Production 'Jonah, a Fishy Tail' 9.15am and 5.30pm

Monday 16th-Wednesday 18th July: Year 4 Residential -Broomley Grange

Thursday 19th July: Y4 water fight

Friday 20th July: Leaver Service 9.15am (Picnic lunch-parents and siblings welcome to join us on the field)

Break up for Summer

Monday 3rd September: Teacher Day

Tuesday 4th September: Autumn 1st

Friday 26th October: Teacher Day