



DIARY DATES:

3/5/18

SCHOOL CLOSED:
Polling Station; Year
6 children in school

7/5/18

Bank Holiday

wb 14/5/18

KS2 SATS week

25/5/18

End of Term

SUNDAY 3/6/18

Church Walking Day

4/6/18

School reopens for
Summer 2

4/6/18

New Intake Meeting @
6pm

3/7/18

SPORTS DAY &
SUMMER FAIR!
(Details to follow)

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Thank you,
Mr R Woods

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School News

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St. David Haigh & Aspull CE Primary School

**'Together in God's love:
aim High, stay Strong, be Determined'**

APRIL 2018

Monthly update

Welcome to the April edition of St. David's News.

Please take note of the dates on the LHS - in particular 3/5/18, as school is closed EXCEPT Year 6 children who will be in school as it is so close to KS2 SATS.

SUNDAY 3/6/18 Walking Day

PLEASE keep the date free and it would be great to children and families joining in with walking day this year!

(DETAILS TBC)

ATTENDANCE		
REC - 95.5 %	Y1 - 93.9%	Y2 - 95.9%
Y3 - 98.5%	Y4 - 94.6%	Y5 - 96.3%
	Y6 - 96.1%	
Well done again Year 3 - super attendance! (School attendance = 95.8%)		

Christian Value for
Summer Term:
PERSEVERANCE

This means to keep trying even when the going gets tough. The children will be encouraged to have self-belief in order to keep on going and to speak out for what they believe is right. They will also reflect upon God's persevering love.

Marie Curie said, "Life is not easy for any of us. But what of that? We must have perseverance and above all confidence in ourselves. We must believe that we are gifted for something..."

General News



The end of the Spring term seems such a long time ago, yet the beautiful Easter service held in church remains fresh in our minds! The service was very well attended by families & friends and all those who were able to attend had nothing but praise for the children and staff in the delivery of such a wonderful service.

"What a lovely service." & "I think that was the best Easter service..." are just two of the comments from parents/grandparents on leaving the church. Well done to all children and staff!

UPDATE

Many of you will be aware that Lydia Roberts is now back home recovering with her family, following her accident on 18th April. We all send her very best wishes and look forward to seeing Lydia back in school when she is ready.

Café Church

Please note - St. David's Café Church will continue into the Summer Term and will be held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month; meet in the Parish Hall from 2.45pm - ALL WELCOME!

Thank you to Mr & Mrs Weston from St. David's Church for their generous donation towards our new Union Flag, which is flying proudly outside school.



*** NEW WEBSITE - COMING SOON ***

There will be a new school website launch later this term that will also replace the current 'MySchoolsApp' and will help keep all members of our school community informed and updated...Watch this space!!! In readiness of this, I ask that ALL PARENTS/CARERS COMPLETE THE REQUEST FOR A CONTACT EMAIL ADDRESS and return to school ASAP. Thank you.

UPDATES

SAFETY IST - Parking / Dropping-off / Crossing Patrol



Please avoid either parking or dropping off on the yellow zig-zag markings or directly opposite the school entrance. The safety of our children and families depends on the front of school being kept clear in the mornings and at the end of school. Thank you.

Lollipop / Crossing Patrol - PLEASE continue to cross safely and with the help of our crossing patrol (there has been no appointment made to replace Rose, however we have been assured there will be cover in place until a replacement has been appointed).

FRIENDS (PTA)



Another well supported 'Smartie Challenge' arranged by the Friends Committee raised a total of... **£276.40**



THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

Summer 2018 term dates

Bank Holiday: Mon. 7th May 2018

Half term: Mon. 28th May - Fri. 1st June 2018 (inclusive)

Term Ends: Wed. 18th July 2018

SCHOOL MOTTO

Together in God's love: aim High, stay Strong, be Determined!

A successful, caring Christian school at the heart of the community where, through high expectations and strength of character, our children are determined to achieve their very best and develop resilience and confidence in becoming thoughtful citizens of the future.

The Friends PTA - Bonus Ball Fundraiser.

There are currently 22 'spare' numbers in the bonus ball system!

Anyone interested in signing up for a number, please ask at the school office for further details.

The system works on the National Lottery and is an excellent ongoing fundraiser for the school - we recently received a £500 donation to school from the Bonus Ball fund, so thank you to all those who currently support the game.