

Ashley Chronicle

12th June, 2009

Dates For Your Diary



Dance Festival—Customs House
- Tuesday 16th & Thursday 18th June

Recycling Week—Wk beg 29th June

Sponsored Swim - 1st & 8th July

Nursery Sports Day - Friday 10th July

Summer Fayre - Friday 10th July (3.30 - 6pm)

Sports Day - Monday 13th July

Year 6 Leaving Celebration - Wednesday 15th July - 6pm
(Invitations to follow)

End of term - Friday 17th July

School re-opens - Thursday 3rd September

Next School Nurse Drop In Session

Thursday 25th June
from 8.40am



The nurse will be available to discuss any health or behaviour issues you may have, regarding your child.

No appointment is necessary, just hand your name in at the main office on that morning.

Swimming Galas

On Wednesday 3rd June, some of our Year 5 children went to Hebburn swimming pool for a Fun Swimming Gala. The team had to take part in lots of fun activities involving floats and lots of splashing! Lauren Sharp told me that the team did really well and won a trophy for having the best banner at the tournament.



On Friday 5th June, some other Year 5 children took part in an Olympic Swimming Gala at the same venue. Although they didn't win anything, they all tried their very best and in both galas, the children were complimented for their excellent behaviour.

We have 56 children from Key Stage 2 ready to participate in a sponsored swim in July. We will bring you a report once this has taken place.

Report by Charlotte Lynn

Cheerleading Festival

On 18th June, some of our children will be taking part in the South Tyneside Cheerleading Festival, at Temple Park Leisure Centre. There are 22 children from the school in the team. Everyone really enjoys working with Laura, from Kids Get Fit, and the songs we dance to are brilliant. At the festival we will be dancing to Footloose. Parents are welcome to come and cheer us on.

Report by Rebecca Lodge

Summer Fayre

We would be grateful for any donations for our Summer Fayre, on Friday 10th July. We would be glad to receive any items for the tombola, toys, books, chocolate, bottles or any items suitable for our raffle.

Go Green Week

During the week beginning the 29th June, we will be holding a Go Green Week. Each year group from Reception through to Year 6 will be involved. Some of our children will be visiting the Recycling Village at Middlefields, while others will be creating fantastic pieces of art work from recycled materials.

You may remember that we held a week like this last summer term and we had great fun. At the end of the week, we will have a whole



school assembly, to see what everyone has been making. Watch out for further news about our Go Green Week in a future edition.

Report by Bethany Kelly & Robyn Bailey

Broomley Grange Visit

Year 6 children spent four days at Broomley Grange, in Stocksfield, on an outdoor education adventure. We did lots of activities including rock climbing, zip wire, mid - ropes, log walk and tunnelling. We even sang songs around a campfire, while toasting marshmallows! We were all exhausted at the end of the visit, but everyone agreed that it was a great experience. Thank you to all of the staff who may our time away so enjoyable.

Report by George Ebberson

Fundraising Events

Infant Cake Sale - Thursday 18th June

Junior Cake Sale - Thursday 25th June

(All cakes will be 10p each)

Sponsored Swim - 1st & 8th July

Summer Fayre - Friday 10th July

Musical Coffee Morning - Tuesday 14th July(TBC)

Cricket Events



Girls' Cricket Tournament

On Monday 8th June, eight of our Year 4 & 5 girls took part in a cricket festival at Bill Quay Cricket Club.

They all played really well and they all supported each other, led by their captain Sophie Jacobson.

Report by Danielle Wastell

Year 5 Cricket League

Some of our Year 5 children, who have been taking part in our cricket breakfast club, have been chosen to play in a league at Westoe Cricket Club.

I interviewed Ryan Cairns and Jordan Capeling to find out how it was going. They both said they were enjoying it very much so far.

Ryan said, "I think we need a little more practice and then the team will be great."

The boys also told me that they were pleased to be taking part and that it was an honour to be selected to play.

So far, the team have won one match and lost another against St Bede's and Valley View. Good luck to the whole team for the rest of their matches.

Report by Aaron Martin

Children's Achievements

Let us know if your child has achieved something outside of school and we will report on it in our Newsletter. Email the school at info@ashley.s-tyneside.sch.uk or drop a note in to the main office, marked for the attention of Mrs Todd.

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