



# ESKDALE ACADEMY NEWS

May

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## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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### Weekly Newsletter

This newsletter is given out to all children every Friday. As well as this, it is published online on the schools website (in the news section & a link at the bottom of every page page) It is also linked via our school twitter page should you want to access a copy from home.

### Fidget Spinners



We have noticed an increase in children bringing fidget spinners into school. We would request that they are not brought to school, and if they continue to be they will be confiscated until the end of the day.

### Year 6 Breakfast



Ms. Killeen would like to ask all Year 6 pupils to arrive in School at 8:30am on Monday to Thursday mornings next week. They will be provided with bacon/sausage sandwiches or toast for breakfast before their SATs commence.

### School Mini Bus Service



The School mini bus service is now up and running. The bus brings children to school each day. If you feel you would benefit from this free service, or would like some further information, please ring the school office and ask to speak to Mrs. McNeilly.

## ATTENDANCE!!!



The school attendance for last week (week ending 28th April) was **95.6%**  
This is **0.5% BELOW** the national expected target of 96.1%

Key Stage winners last week were KS1 – Year 1 with 98.2% and KS2 winners were Year 4 and 5 with **100% again!!**

EY + KS1		KS2	
Rec	96.4%	Y3	89.6%
Y1	98.2%	Y4	100%
Y2	91.7%	Y5	100%
		Y6	93.9%

**Please remember no holidays during school term-time will be authorised. Penalty Notices may be issued as per our Attendance Policy for term-time holidays!!**

## Team GB Visit – Louise Renicks



On Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May, Sports for Champions are visiting Eskdale Academy, along with Team GB Gold Medallist athlete Louise Renicks.

Louise will work with pupils to complete a sponsored fitness circuit as well as holding an assembly followed by a demonstration.

To support the event we would kindly appreciate a donation of **£3** as a minimum or sponsor money from family and friends.

All participating pupils will receive a sticker

Sponsor money raised

£5 - £14.99 - A postcard photo

£15 - £34.99 - An autograph A4 poster of the athlete

£35+ - An autograph instant photo of the pupil & athlete



## Behaviour Awards



**Overall behaviour is 99.6% (1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> May)**

Behaviour			
Nursery	99.2%	Y3	100%
Reception	99.6%	Y4	100%
Y1	100%	Y5	99.2%
Y2	100%	Y6	99.0%

## P.E. Awards



P.E. AWARDS			
KS1	Stephen Malcolm	KS2	Isabelle Boagey



## Stars of the week



Stars Of the Week			
2 Year-olds (am)	Elena Bartram	Y1	Jaxon Crannage
2 Year-olds (pm)	Ruby Hall	Y2	Lucas Gillies
Nursery (am)	Hazem Matar	Y3	Alyssa Turnbull
Nursery (pm)	Charlie Braithwaithe - Evans	Y4	Leo Draper
Reception	Ella Imray	Y5	Kate Hardy Maddison Bavin
Speech & Language	Logan Williams	Y6	Brynley Imray

## Lunchtime Awards



Lunchtime awards are given out by our Lunchtime supervising staff for those who show excellent behaviour. Our winners this week are

Ruby Marriott	Grace Brown
Evie Owston	

## Afterschool Club



Parents are reminded that our after school club runs from 3:15 -5:15pm and costs £3.00, this includes a snack and activities.

## Carlton Camp



Last week, children took part in a tour of Carlton village, a forest walk which included building a fire and a shelter, weaselling, archery, rock climbing, the high challenge and team building games. Behaviour was outstanding and all children had an amazing time.

## Summer Fair



Our summer Fair will be on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July. Any donations for the raffle & tombola would be welcome. Please pass them on to Mrs. Wainwright or Mrs. Watson.

## 2 Year-old Nursery at Eskdale Academy

A reminder to parents, here at Eskdale we have 2 year-old nursery facilities. Give your child the best start in life. Let your child play, learn and develop in a high quality setting.

## Afterschool Sports Club

Day	Time	Activity	
Monday	3.15 - 4.15pm	Multi-Sports	Reception & KS1 (1 & 2)
Tuesday	3.15 - 4.15pm	Multi-Sports	KS2 (Years 3,4,5 & 6)
Wednesday	3.15 - 4.15pm	Gymnastics	KS1 & KS2
Thursday	3.15 - 4.15pm	Football	Years 3 & 4
Friday	3.15 - 4.15pm	Football Teams	Year 5 & 6

## Rossmere Junior Park Run



The Rossmere Junior Park Run is every Sunday at 9am. There is a free 2k timed run for juniors ages 4-14 year olds. For more information go to <http://www.parkrun.org.uk/rossmere-juniors/>

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## Dates for your diary

### MAY

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May - Teesside Individual Chess Comp- all day

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> - Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May - KS2 SATs week

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May - SATs Party

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May - School Nurse Visit

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May - Teesside Chess Team Comp 1 -3

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Y5&6 Athletics Afternoon

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May - GB Visit Louise Renicks 1-3pm

### JUNE

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June - Phonics Screening Check Week

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June - Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June - Y5 Lakeside Visit

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June - Y5 Kwik Cricket All day 10-3pm

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June - Head Boy/Girl School Council Meeting at the Grand 9:30am - 2:30pm

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June - Rossmere Forest School- I'm a Y6 get me out of here!

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June - Y6 First Aid Training to be delivered by Red Cross

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June - Netball Game (Year 6 V Staff) Afterschool

### JULY

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - KS1 Sports Day Afternoon

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July - KS2 Sports Day Afternoon

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July - Leavers assembly and Y6 last day at Eskdale Academy

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July - Summer Fayre

