



# Sedgefield Primary School

Learning Together for Life



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## DATES

**May**  
**13<sup>th</sup>** SATs Week  
**18<sup>th</sup>** Mediaeval Fayre  
**20<sup>th</sup>** Class Photos  
**20<sup>th</sup>** Technology Week  
**22<sup>nd</sup>** Open Afternoon  
**24<sup>th</sup>** PD Day – school closed  
**27<sup>th</sup>** Half Term

**June**  
**3<sup>rd</sup>** Return after half term holiday  
**4<sup>th</sup>** Year 4 trip to Teesmouth  
**10<sup>th</sup>** Year 1 Phonics Screening Week  
**10<sup>th</sup>** Year 5 trip to Palace Green Library  
**11<sup>th</sup>** Sedgefield Dash  
**12<sup>th</sup>** Fathers' Day Lunch  
**18<sup>th</sup>** Year 3 Class Assembly  
**20<sup>th</sup>** PTFA Disco  
**22<sup>nd</sup>** Choir singing at Sedgefield Day  
**24<sup>th</sup>** Sports Week  
**28<sup>th</sup>** Sports Day

**July**  
**2<sup>nd</sup>** EYFS Assembly and open Morning  
**5<sup>th</sup>** Sports Day (if previous one postponed due to weather)  
**8<sup>th</sup>** Transition Afternoon  
**11<sup>th</sup>** Year 6 Production  
**12<sup>th</sup>** Reports sent home  
**19<sup>th</sup>** Leavers' Service  
**19<sup>th</sup>** Break up for summer Holidays

**September**  
**4<sup>th</sup>** Autumn Term starts

Welcome to May's newsletter. Things, as always, are busy in school. It is coming up to important assessments, so everyone is working especially hard.

### Events in April

Year 2 visited Durham Cathedral on 2<sup>nd</sup> April and the Choir sang in the Co-op on the same day.

Year 3 enjoyed their visit to Harehope Quarry on 4<sup>th</sup> April.

Thank you to everyone who attended the Easter Service. As always, St Edmund's was very full!

Year 5 had a great morning taking part in Outdoor and Adventurous Activities at Hardwick Park on 25<sup>th</sup> April. They also enjoyed their Anglo Saxon Day on 29<sup>th</sup> April.



### Mediaeval Fayre – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May

Once again we will be working together with Hardwick Primary on the Mediaeval Fayre Parade this year.

The theme this year is 'The Greatest Showman'/Circus. The themes for each class are:

Nur & Rec - acrobats and strong men

Year 1 – Clowns

Year 2 – Fire eaters

Year 3 – Bearded Ladies and Lion tamers/Lions

Year 4 – Horses and horse trainers and gymnasts/jugglers

Year 5 & Year 6 – Ring Masters/Greatest Showmen and dancers

We will be making some items in school, particularly large items for the children to carry (so it would be helpful if you could send in really large pieces of thick cardboard if you have any). Children can select to wear a costume which links with their class, or simply wear red and white.

We know some children like to enter the individual fancy dress competition that is after the parade. If your child would like to and the costume you have isn't part of their class' section, then don't worry. It doesn't matter.

The children will be gathering in school for 9.30am as usual, with the parade starting at 10.00am. There will be a short circus skills performance as a finale to the parade and then the children should be collected from The Green. We will remind them not to wander off and to let a member of staff know they have left with an adult. School staff will remain on The Green until they know every child has been collected.

We are sure this year's parade will be fantastic. We need as many children as possible joining in so we would be very grateful for your support. Oh, and please keep your fingers crossed the weather is kind!

### Website

Please don't forget to keep checking our website, as we're adding new things all of the time:

<http://www.sedgefield-pri.durham.sch.uk>. You can also access our Twitter from there, so you can keep up to date with things as they're happening.