



Seaton Sluice First School

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Red	Orange	Yellow	White	Purple
98.8%	93.2%	91.1%	92.4%	94.8%

Red Class has the best attendance this week with 98.8%!!! WELL DONE EVERYONE!

Our overall school target for attendance is 96%

Mosaic design competition winners

We plan to create a mosaic as a wall decoration in our porch area. Children were invited to design using their own ideas. We have chosen two designs which will be incorporated together to make a rainbow arching over a pair of hands holding a heart. Our two winners who will each receive a book token as their prize are Nicholas Prior in year one and Lucy Stanyer in year three. Congratulations to them.

Family Football

Family Football will be available after school on Tuesdays starting straight after the half term holiday. If you would like to join in with this activity please come along with your child on Tuesday 28th February at 3.15pm and join in the fun with leaders from NUFC. This club has proved very enjoyable in the past and well worth attending.

Get ready for World Book Day

World Book Day is on Thursday 2nd March. All classes will be focussing on a class story/book for the whole of that week. Children are invited to dress up as a character from a book on World Book Day 2/3/17.

Children are also invited to bring in a photograph of them reading a book in an unusual place. We will display the photos and a winner will be chosen. Please bring in your photo on Monday 27^{th} February - first day back after half term.

Year three and year four NUFC curriculum activities

Two curriculum activities start after the half term holiday. In year 3 they will be taking part in the MATCHFIT programme in the afternoons with NUFC leaders. In year four NUFC will be taking part in a PSHE based programme called 'ONSIDE' in the mornings. Both of these year groups will need to have their PE kit in school on Tuesdays please.

NUFC Club for year ones

The NUFC club for year ones will start on Friday 3^{rd} March and will run for six weeks. The children attending will need their PE kit in school on Fridays.

Book Fair

Scholastic Book Fairs are coming to school from 6th March to 10th March and they have given us some book tokens to give away as prizes for use at the fair!

- Nursery, Reception and Year 1 Children are invited to draw a picture of their favourite book. The brighter and more colourful the better.
- Years 2, 3 and 4 are invited to write a book review of their favourite book and tell us why we should read it.

Please make sure all entries are brought to the school office by **Thursday 2nd March 2017**. Winners will be announced in the celebration assembly on Friday so that you can spend you book token at the book fair the following week

We would also like to ask for parent volunteers to help us run the event. We would be very grateful for any help from 8:45am—9:15am on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and also 3:15pm—3:45pm on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Please contact Mrs Heslegrave in the school office if you can help.

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Friday 17th February: School closes for half term

HALF TERM

Monday 27th February: School opens at 8.45am for nursery and 8.55am for main school

Tuesday 28th February: Family Football starts 3.15pm (see information above)

Thursday 2nd March: World Book Day

Monday 6th March - Friday 10th march: Scholastic Book Fair in school before and after school

Thursday 9th March: Year two afternoon skipping festival

Monday 13th March: Mother's day gifts to be brought to school for PTFA mother's day event

Monday 20th March: Year four afternoon cycle ride with Cycling Generation Tuesday 21st March: Year four afternoon cycle ride with Cycling Generation

Wednesday 22nd March: Sing Up Day

Thursday 23rd March: PTFA buying of Mother's Day gifts

Friday 24th March: Comic Relief Day. Dress in red and send in cakes and money to spend for a cake stall to raise money.

Friday 24th March: Polystyrene eggs to go out for Easter egg decorating competition

Tuesday 28th March: Parent/Carer consultations 3.30 - 6.30pm for nursery, reception y1, y2, y3 & y4.

Wednesday 29th March: Parent/Carer consultations nursery 1.00 - 3.00pm and rest of school 3.30 - 6.30pm

Thursday 30th March: Year four morning Paralympic festival

Monday 3rd April: PTFA Easter disco with G-Force 3.15 - 5.00pm

Tuesday 4^{th} April: PTFA Easter egg competition entries to be brought to school (parent/carer viewing 9.00 and 3.00)

Wednesday 5th April: Results of Easter egg competition in assembly

Thursday 6th April: Final meeting for Robinwood at 3.15pm in purple class

Friday 7th April: School closes for the Easter holidays at 3.15pm

Monday 24th April: School closed for staff training

Tuesday 25th April: School re-opens at 8.45am for nursery and 8.55am for main school

Monday 1st May: School closed for UK Bank holiday

Tuesday 16^{th} May: Year four cycle ride with Cycling Generation in the afternoon

Wednesday 17th May: Year four cycle ride with Cycling Generation in the morning

Friday 19th May: School photographer in to do group photos of year four and reception and siblings photos

Monday 22nd May: Bring gifts in for Father's Day

Friday 26th May: School closes for half term

Monday 5th June: School re-opens at 8.45am for nursery and 8.55am for main school

Seaton Sluice First School MUSTS!

- Pierced earrings <u>MUST</u> be removed on PE days
- Scooters and bicycles <u>MUST NOT</u> be ridden on the yard before and immediately after school
- Children <u>MUST NOT</u> play in the bushes at the bottom of the field or climb the trees
- Children <u>MUST</u> be supervised by parents/carers before and after school on school premises
- Parents/Carers <u>MUST</u> make themselves visible at picking up time so that children can be handed over safely
- Dogs <u>MUST NOT</u> be brought onto the school site
- Parents/Carers <u>MUST</u> check book bags daily for letters / homework / messages etc...
- Parents/Carers <u>MUST</u> keep school up to date of any changes in telephone numbers / emergency contact details