



ST GEORGE'S C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

February 2016 Newsletter

Half-term and Easter break

We finish for the half-term break on Friday, 12th February at 2.15 pm for one week. School will re-open at 8.55 am on Monday, 22nd February.

Swimming

Years 2, 4 and 6 have now finished their swimming sessions today, 1st February.

Years 3, 5 and Reception will start their swimming sessions after half-term. The first session will be on Monday, 22nd February and every Monday thereafter until further notice. Please provide your child with a costume/trunks (not too long or baggy) and a towel in a bag. Please make sure that all items are clearly named. It is important that your child's earrings are taken out before coming to school on a Monday when swimming. Please also tie long hair back. Thank you.

We are asking for the small amount of £2.00 towards the cost of the swimming sessions and transport. This is a one off payment for all the swimming sessions your child will have. Please could you arrange to pay your £2.00 at the school office. Many thanks.

SATs - Years 2 and 6

A detailed letter will be sent out to all parents and carers in Years 2 and 6 regarding the new way in which their children are to be tested and assessed at the end of Year 2 and Year 6. If any other parents or carers wish to know what changes have been made, the letter will be available to view on our website.

Please go to <http://www.stgeorges.cumbria.sch.uk> click on News and Events - Letters to Parents. Thank you.

Key Steps Gym Competitions

Good luck to all the gymnasts taking part in the Key Steps competitions on 11th and 12th February. We are sure that you will all do amazingly well!

Outstanding Monies

Please could any money still owing for dinners or swimming please be paid before the half-term break (by Friday, 12th February). Thank you.

Attendance

We are very pleased to announce that the class with the highest attendance in January was Reception with 97.41%

Diary Dates

Wednesday, 3 rd February -	Reception trip to Dock Museum and Slag Bank
Thursday, 4 th February	Year 2 trip to Hay Bridge Nature Reserve
Tuesday, 9 th February	Year 4 trip to Hoad Hill, Ulverston (letter to follow)
Thursday, 11 th February	Key Steps 1 Gymnastics Competition at Furness Academy (letter to follow)
Friday, 12 th February	Key Steps 2 Gymnastics Competition at Furness Academy (letter to follow)
Monday, 15 th February -	
Friday, 19 th February -	Half-term break
Tuesday, 23 rd February	Assembly - talk from a Re-cycling Officer from Barrow Borough Council about a new re-cycling scheme
Thursday, 25 th February	Snuggle Night (letter to follow)

Mrs E Kent & Staff