



Newsletter



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Spring Term - April 7th, 2017

Easter Parade **WOW!**

Well Eastern Primary... you certainly win the best prize for you Easter parade! What a wonderful event! It was great to see so many parents at the school and it most certainly had a community feel. There was a great atmosphere and the afternoon oozed with happiness, smiles and laughter. Can't fault that at all! Very impressed! Mr Manley is in trouble though for not letting me know how big this event was!! I was in total shock - but a very pleasant surprise indeed. Thank you to all the parents, grandparents, carers and friends who attended the event. Thank you also for resisting the temptation to take photographs. As soon as I have checked

all the photographs taken that day I will upload them onto our school Twitter page for you to see.



Happy Easter Everyone!

Have a great holiday everyone! The weather forecast is good so plenty of things to do outdoors for a change. Plenty of outdoor activities for fresh air and off the technology for a change. Lots of places to go that are free now - beach, parks, swimming, mountain. Looking forward to hearing all the news when we get back to school. Happy holiday everyone and happy Easter!



Just a reminder - keep checking your child's hair for headlice. Make sure you check the whole family too. They are sometimes reoccurring because family members have been infected.

Uniform

Just a reminder following on

from the letter sent out. School colours after the Easter holidays. The Eastern team is getting bigger and bigger!

Tests

Please take note of the date of the tests in school. We will prepare your children for the tests the first week back at school. We do not want them to get anxious or worried about them. We obviously all want them to do well but please reassure your child at home also. If you have any concerns about your child taking the tests please let us know.

Dyffryn Uniform

Please take note of the date in the diary for year 6 pupils to get their uniform fitted and ordered for September.

Diary Dates

April 24th	Back to school !! Yeyyy!
April 24th	Year 4 class swimming for two weeks
April 26th & 27th	Estyn inspectors at school to look at plans for improvements
May 1st	Bank holiday - no school
May 2nd	Class photographs
May 3rd	National tests start in school years 2,3,4,5 & 6 (One week)
May 8th	Dyffryn Uniform fittings 3.30 til 7pm Dyffryn lower school
May 9th	Dyffryn Uniform fittings 3.30 til 7pm Dyffryn lower school
May 10th	Beep beep day - whole school focus on road safety
May 11th	Photographer in school - a day at Eastern Primary
May 26th	Last day of school (one week off)
June 5th	Back to school.
June 6th	Mountain biking with years 4, 5, & 6
June 7th	Year 6 puberty talk
June 8th	Year 5 puberty talk
June 16th	Year 6 transition day with Dyffryn - Margam Park
June 3rd	One day this week - sports day - to be confirmed.
July 4th	Year 6 tranistion day at Dyffryn lower All children visit new classes.
July 10th	Summer fete
July 14th	End of year reports sent out to parents
July 17th	Year 6 leavers assembly, concert & disco
July 21st	Last day of school
July 24th - Aug 10th	School holiday programme - food & fun theme. More information to follow. First come first served basis.