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## Birtley East School Times Weekly Newsletter

2023-24 | 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Well done to all of year 6  
– you have been amazing  
this week completing your  
SATs assessments, we are  
so proud of you!

Here's a sneak peek at today's cricket  
action..

### Sports Day

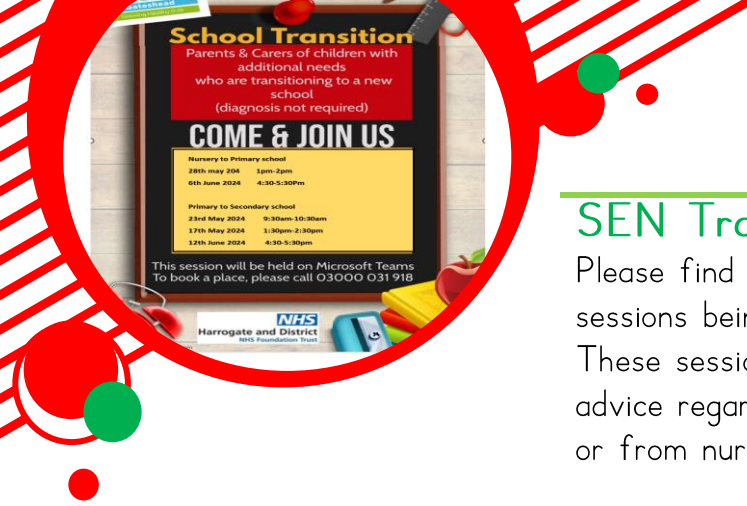
Weather permitting, gates will open at both ends of the site at 12.45pm on Thursday. There will be marshals to tell you where to go to spectate. At 1pm, gates will be locked and there will then only be access to and from school at the north/Highfield end of the site. Please do not come to the south gates if you are late, you will be asked to walk round.

Children can come in a t-shirt of their house colour OR wear their red PE t-shirt. Children attending the run at Saltwell Park on Friday will need their red PE top for this.



Ready  
Respectful  
Safe

To ensure safety on sports day, please follow the instructions of the marshals as to where to go and spectate. Please do not go to your child/encourage your child to go to you; staff will be supervising them and doing regular head counts.



## SEN Transition Support Sessions

Please find attached an information leaflet about some sessions being run for children by the school nursing team. These sessions are intended to support you with help and advice regarding moving from primary to secondary school or from nursery into primary school.

### Dates for your Diary

Please note, we include as much information as possible about upcoming events on this newsletter but please also look out for separate communications from your child's teacher.

New or changed dates are highlighted in a different colour.

Date	Event
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 SATs (Monday to Thursday)
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 multi-sports event at LLOBA
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 cricket event, Low Fell
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Reception height and weight monitoring (NHS)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5 cycling skills day
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Sports Day (weather permitting) - PM. Gates open 12.45pm. Gates will be locked at 1pm so make sure you arrive in plenty of time. Gates will remain locked for safety throughout the afternoon and so all access in and out will be via the main entrance once they are locked.
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Football match (after school)
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Saltwell Park 'Go Run for Fun' (Y2-6)
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> May	HALF TERM

During June, *statutory assessment* will take place in the following year groups:

Phonic Screen; all of year 1 and some of year 2: WB 10-6-24
Multiplication Tables Check; Year 4: WB 3-6-24 (and the following week if needed)
EYFS Profile Assessment; reception class

**REMINDER:** School is closed to pupils for our occasional day on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July



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