



# Arnside National Primary School

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Dear Parents / Carers

The summer term is in full swing and the diary is packed full of exciting events and activities. I have attached the key dates overleaf and this is also available from the school website.

As you will be aware, we have had some members of staff signed off due to illness. Mrs Shipperd is recovering from pneumonia and we hope to welcome her back soon. The Year 3 / 4 class is currently covered by Mr Sharp and Miss Denby (supply teacher). Ms Piper will also be absent this week and Mrs Topping will be teaching the Year 5 class. Mrs Deane is due an operation on Thursday and we wish her a speedy recovery and return to school. Mrs Brough will be covering the Year 2 class in her absence. As with all of the class cover, we try our hardest to ensure there is as little disruption as possible and routines continue as normal. We always endeavour to provide the best possible education for your child, in every circumstance. Thank you for your help and understanding during this period.

I am extremely happy to announce we have gained CIF (condition improvement funding) to replace the flat roof and carry out repairs to additional areas. The majority of the work will take place during the summer holidays and cause as little disruption as possible.

We are pleased to welcome Jonathan Osborne, Cricket Coach, into school to work with all classes throughout the half term. Steve Hoare continues to provide specialist PE lessons on a Monday.

As the weather warms up for summer, please can you ensure your child continues to wear the appropriate uniform. Girls may wear gingham dresses (preferably blue) and all pupils may wear sandals (with socks) if preferred. Pupils must not wear jewellery / bangles to school and ear piercings should be small studs only.

The next 2 weeks is 'The Big Pedal' so dust off the bikes and scooters and enjoy a ride in to school – we count and log our score daily.

Thank you for your help and support and I look forward to seeing you at the Spring Fair on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Sharp  
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Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Year 3 / 4 rounders competition, Dallam School, 1.00 – 3.00pm
Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Class photos
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA NON UNIFORM 'SWEETIE' DAY
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday
Sat 12 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA Spring Fair, 11.00am – 1.00pm
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> May	SATs week (Mon – Thurs)
	Walk to school week
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Football Club starts (more details to follow)
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Break up for half term, 3.15pm
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Pupils start back
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 London Residential
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Dance sessions start (more details to follow)
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonics Test Week
	Ulverston Music Festival 'Carnival of the animals'
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5 Camping Residential
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Week
	Sports Day
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Nursery Induction evening (new starters), 5.00 – 5.45pm
	Reception Induction evening, 6.00 – 6.45pm
	KS1 orienteering, Dallam School, 1.00 – 3.00pm
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Pupil Parliament
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Sponsored marathon event
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Reserve sports day
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 transition Day, Dallam School
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 5 swift project
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Pupil reports out
Tues 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 SATs results released
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Production, 1.30pm
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Production, 7.00pm
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Whole School PE fun day
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers' service, 2.30pm
	Year 6 afternoon tea, 3.15 – 4.15pm
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Break up for summer, 2.00pm



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