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Friday 23rd March 2018

SPRING TERM 2 – NEWSLETTER 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

Easter Worship

On Thursday 29th March we will be holding our Easter Worship in school at 9 am. We will be taking this opportunity to bid a fond farewell to Alison, as well as singing some Easter songs. You are all more than welcome to attend.

Easter Egg Competition

As last year we will be running a 'Decorate an Egg' competition. The theme this year is 'springtime'. Your child will need to bring their entry in to school on the morning of Thursday 29th March. I have asked Alison to do the judging. Please remember that it is a competition for the children!!

Beach School

From next term the whole school (Nursery to Year 5) will be taking part in weekly beach school sessions every Friday, supported by local specialists, Mudlarks. We plan on spending the whole day on the beach, whatever the weather. Children will need to wear tracksuit bottoms, t-shirt and hoodie/sweatshirt. They will need wellies, waterproof trousers, waterproof tops, hats and gloves. All children from Reception upwards will be responsible for carrying their own kit, so will need a backpack to do so (we will carry things for the nursery children!) Children who do not have the appropriate clothing will not be able to come down to the beach with us.

Football with Newcastle United Foundation

Football with Jordan, from NUF, will continue for the whole of next term. All children from Reception upwards need PE kit in school every Thursday.

Staff changes

Although we are incredibly sad to see Alison go, and we wish her well in her retirement, we are also excited to welcome Mr Artur Cybulski as the new caretaker after Easter. Many of you will know him, as he lives in the village and is also the caretaker at the Creighton Hall.

We are also delighted that we will be welcoming Mrs Carol Hunter to the team after the Easter holidays. Mrs Hunter will be working across the school as a teaching assistant on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. She will also be using her previous experience of teaching and supporting outdoor learning by working all day on a Friday for our Beach School sessions.

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Many of you may also be aware that we have advertised for an additional teacher post to start part time in September. This post will be used to further strengthen the teaching team. As soon as we have appointed someone I will let you know.

Kind regards

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