



NEWSLETTER



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Stars of the Week - Dexter, Louie, Elliott, Harry Sharp, Abbey Wrathall, Sophie Harryman - **Well Done!**

Special Mention - Benjamin Honeyborne-Sharp

EYFS Outdoor Area Update - The first phase of clearing part of the EYFS outdoor area is complete! The next stage will be the building of a supporting wall to the grassy bank and possibly adding the climbing wall. There may be further works being carried out next week. Could we ask parents of Nursery/Reception children to continue using the main door for dropping off and picking up. Thank you.

Transfers to Secondary School -Application for secondary schools is now available online and letters will be sent out soon with further details. Parents are asked to make their application online by visiting the Children's Services website: www.cumbria.gov.uk/schooladmissions The closing date for applications is Thursday 31st October 2020.

Reminder - Could we please remind parents of the below government guidance:

- The 'rule of six' was introduced on Monday 14 September; it is now illegal to meet up in a group of more than six people, including children, indoors or outdoors. You should remain socially distanced from people not in your household.
- When dropping off and picking up children please stay at least a metre away from people not in your household and please do not gather on the school grounds at the end of the day.

School Photos - We would usually have individual/sibling photos in October but due to the restrictions of Covid we are going to have Class photos taken with the hope that next May/June we will be able to have individual photos taken. Class photos will take place on Tuesday 6th October and children are to arrive at school for the usual times.

H S A - This December the H S A will not be asking the children to make Christmas cards, instead the H S A will be making a recipe book. More details will follow shortly.

Nursery to Reception - Children born between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017 are due to start school in September 2021. Could parents please ensure applications are submitted by 15th January 2021 either online or via post. If any parents would like help in completing the form, please contact the school office. Online applications can be found at www.cumbria.gov.uk/schooladmissions.

School Lunch Money - School lunch money is due every Monday. This half term the charge is £2.30 per day/£11.50 per week or £87.40 for the half term (7 weeks & 3 days). Please put your money in an envelope marked with your child's name and hand to the class teacher.

Monday
Meatballs with Pasta and Peas
Shortbread Biscuit & Milkshake

Tuesday
Mini Cheese Pie with Mashed
Potato & Beans
Raspberry Bun

Wednesday
Roast Chicken Dinner with
Roast Potatoes & Carrots
Ginger Sponge with Custard

Thursday
Wholegrain Pizza with Salad,
Coleslaw & Beans
Ice Cream Roll with Tinned
Peaches

Friday
Fish Fingers with Smileys &
Sweetcorn
Fruit Muffins

Monday
Jacket Potato or
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Jacket potatoes and sandwiches are available daily as an alternative to the above menu and need to be ordered from the kitchen. Fruit & yoghurt are always available. Children will be offered milk as part of their lunch (including packed lunch children). Meals cost £2.30 per day or £11.50 per week.

ALLERGENS

A list of allergens contained in our school meals is available from the School Office and Kitchen if needed. The information will also be put onto the school website.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY DATES

Fri 23 rd Oct	- School closes for half term
Mon 2 nd Nov	- School reopens
Fri 18 th Dec	- School closes for Christmas holidays
Tues 5 th Jan	- School reopens

DATES FOR DIARIES

Tues 6 th October (9.30am)	- Class Photos
Wed 25 th November	- Nasal Flu Vaccination, Rec – Y6

After School Clubs
ALL CLUBS START AT 3.20PM AND CHILDREN SHOULD BE COLLECTED FROM SCHOOL AT 4.20PM PROMPT – EXCEPT FOR RUNNING CLUB WHICH FINISHES AT 4.30PM

There are no afterschool clubs running this half term.

***** H S A NEWS *****

Due to social distancing the usual fundraisers will not be taking place this year. However, the H S A is working hard to provide other events so please watch this space!

Please do try to support us in our fundraising events this year. All money raised is spent on your children and also to help subsidise school trips to make it more affordable for parents. If we don't get support we can't help and therefore costs to parents will rise!!