



NEWSLETTER

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Stars of the Week: All Year 6s- Well Done!

Thank You

We would like to thank Mrs Taylor for all the enthusiasm and commitment she has shown during her time as Head Teacher at Coniston Primary School. We would all like to wish her all the best for the future and being able to spend more time with her family.

Staffing for September - Miss Danielle Fitzsimons will begin her position as Head of School from 1st September. Staffing for classes will be the same as this year with two small changes. Miss Yates will now be teaching in Class 2 on a Friday morning in addition to the other four days a week. Mrs Blackburn will now be teaching every morning in Class 3. Miss Tapper will sadly be leaving us at the end of term as she has secured a teaching job closer to home.

Swimming - We would like to say a huge thank you to Sue Walker for providing swim sessions during school time and at the after school clubs. The children have had a fantastic time this term.

South Korean Visit, KS2 - Letters have been sent home to children in KS2 with an invite to join the South Korean pen pals at school on Monday 12th August. Children are asked to come to school for 12pm with lunch at 12:30pm. Everyone will then head to the lake for a trip on the launch at 2:30pm before the South Korean students return to their accommodation at 4:30pm.

Copper Bombing Workshops at Coniston Institute - This summer why not come along and learn about the ancient and endangered art of copper gilding and get creative with copper and stone. Create your own sculpture with local artists Jessica Elleray and Siobhan Miles-Moore. Learn about local copper heritage whilst becoming part of the Coniston Coppermines story and a public work of art. Summer workshop dates 21 July, 27 July, 28 August. Sessions 10am, 12noon, 2pm, 4pm. All materials are provided and light refreshments available. Suitable for all ages 5+. For more information visit facebook.com/copperinourveins or contact the Ruskin Museum. Spaces are limited so booking is advisable.

As no grant funding is available for the workshops a small charge is asked to cover costs: £10 adult, £5 under 16, £25 family (2 adults, 2 children). However through private fundraising Coniston Institute would like to offer free places for local children, vouchers included in the newsletter. We hope you all have a lovely Summer.

Helen Glaister - Education at the Ruskin Museum and Coniston Institute.
07583371275

PE - Tennis will begin the first week back after the summer holidays. The children will be doing Tennis on a Thursday. Please ensure PE kits are in this week.

Library Challenge - This year's Summer Reading Challenge is Space Chase; an out-of-this-world adventure celebrating the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing. Your child can help our super space family, the Rockets, on a special mission - and have tons of fun along the way!

At the heart of the Challenge is children choosing and sharing any books - in any format - that they like. Novels, fact books, joke books, e-books and audio books all count and your library has staff and volunteers to help your child choose books they will really enjoy. Teachers tell us that children return to school with a new enthusiasm for reading too. Sign up for the Challenge at your local library.

Thank you - We had an emotional Year 6 Leavers Service this morning to round off an amazing half term! Good luck to all Year 6 in your move to secondary school! We would also like to say thank you to all our helpers who have been in school this year. Your help and support is very much appreciated.

Monday
Closed

Tuesday
Closed

Wednesday
Cottage Pie
with Broccoli
Rice Pudding with Fruit

Thursday
Burger in Bun with Sweetcorn &
Salad
Jelly Whip with Tinned Fruit

Friday
Fishcakes (Salmon) Mashed
Potato and Baked Beans
Fruit Muffins

Monday
Closed

Tuesday
Closed

Wednesday
Savoury Platter
Coleslaw and Salad
Fruit or Yoghurt

Thursday
Jacket Potato
Various Fillings & Salad
Fruit or Yoghurt

Friday
Filled Roll with Salad & Coleslaw
Fruit or Yoghurt

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 are £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.

Toast and orange available from 8:45 – 8:55 am

Toast 20p per slice or 30p for 2 slices, Juice 20p
If parents have any queries or problems related to school meals please feel free to contact Mrs Warne from 8:30 am – 2:00 pm, Mon – Fri.
The kitchen phone number is 41548

HOLIDAY DATES

Fri 19 July	- School closes for summer Holidays
Wed 4 Sept	- School opens
Fri 18 Oct	- School Closes for Half Term
Mon 28 Oct	- School re-opens

DATES FOR DIARIES

Mon 12 Aug (12pm)	- South Korean Visit
Mon 9 Sept (all week)	- Cyclewise, Class 4
Tues 24 Sept (am)	- School Photos

ALL CLUBS START AT 3.20PM AND CHILDREN SHOULD BE COLLECTED FROM SCHOOL AT 4.20PM PROMPT

After school clubs will begin the second week back after the summer holidays.
Letters will be sent out during the first week back.

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Thank you to everyone who has given support to fundraising events throughout the year.

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!!

LET'S DANCE with Hayley Payton – The **NEW LET'S DANCE** class is up and running and proving very popular. The class is a relaxed one and children should wear comfy clothes that they are able to move in. If your child would like to try one of these classes there is a drop-in session available for £3.50. They are held at the Primary School on Thursday 6.30 – 7.30pm for Reception to Year 6.

LET'S DANCE for Adults with Hayley Payton

Hayley lives in Windermere and has a degree in dance and drama and likes to bring fun and enjoyment into her classes. There is no competition in her classes as it's all about each individual being able to come through and help with confidence and be able to be themselves. This class is held straight after the children's class from 7.30 – 8.30pm and. The cost is £4.75 for drop-in sessions. New members are always welcome!

If you would like to join any of the above classes then please contact Toni Whirity on 0788 619 3557