



NEWSLETTER

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Stars of the Week: Evie Kirkbride, Leanna Ellwood, Alfie Peart, Ruby Walker - **Well Done!**

Data Sheets

There are still a number of outstanding data sheets. Please can you check and return the data sheet to enable us to keep our records updated. If you need another form, please ask in the school office. It is essential that we have emergency contacts for all pupils.

Federation News - This week the governing bodies of John Ruskin School and Coniston Church of England Primary School have formally come together as one governing body for The Fells Federation. Each school still maintains its individual name, character, status and ethos but this process formalises the relationship between the schools and improves capacity for both schools to meet the challenges of the future. The schools have successfully collaborated for a number of years, sharing staff, resources and supporting each other to improve and achieve the very best possible outcomes for their students.

Winter Weather - In the event of severe weather which forces school to close, we will keep you informed via the school website and Radio Cumbria. The county council website also provides information about school closures and you can sign up for email alerts at https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/school_closures/.

Manchester Residential Parents Meeting, Y5/6 - A parents meeting to discuss details of the Manchester Residential trip will take place Tuesday 29th January at 3:30pm in Classroom 4.

Cyclewise, Y3/4 - Letters have been sent home regarding Bikeability Level 1 training for Years 3 and 4. This will take place on Tuesday 29th January throughout the day. Please ensure bikes and helmets are brought in that day. Please could you return the consent form as soon as possible to the school office so instructor numbers can be organised. Thank you.

JRS Bingo - John Ruskin School will be doing a Winter Blues Busting Bingo Night on Saturday 26th January at 7pm. Prizes galore!!

H S A Valentines Disco - The H S A will be hosting a Valentines Disco with DJ in the school hall on Wednesday 13th February, 3:30-5pm. There will be a tuck shop available. More details will follow nearer the time.

John Ruskin Bicentennial - To mark the bicentennial of John Ruskin, the children will be performing songs and readings at St Andrews Church at 2pm on Friday 8th February.

Reminder - Please remember to check the school Facebook and twitter sites for school updates.

PLEASE TURN OVER FOR MORE NEWS

Monday

Chicken Grills with Sautée
 Potatoes & Peas
 Flapjack

Tuesday

Sweet & Sour Chicken
 Rice & Carrots
 Chocolate Sponge/Chocolate
 Sauce

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

Jacket Potato
 Various Fillings & Salad
 Fruit or Yoghurt

Tuesday

Cheesy Pasta with Garlic Bread
 Salad
 Fruit or Yoghurt

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 15 Feb	- School closes for half-term
Mon 25 Feb	- School re-opens
Fri 5 Apr	- School Closes for Easter
Tues 23 Apr	- School re-opens

DATES FOR DIARIES

Tues 29 Jan	- C3, Cyclewise, Level 1
Thur 7 & Fri 8 Feb	- Class 3, Tower Wood residential
Fri 8 Feb	- Church Service for John Ruskin - Bicentennial
Tues 12 Feb	- NSPCC Safeguarding Visit (non-uniform day)
Wed 13 Feb	- H S A Valentines Disco

After School Clubs – Monday 14 January to Friday 15 February 2019
ALL CLUBS START AT 3.20PM AND CHILDREN SHOULD BE COLLECTED FROM SCHOOL AT 4.20PM PROMPT

Monday

Film Club with Miss Yates R-Y6

Tuesday

Lego Club R-Y6

Wednesday

Sparks! R, Y1/2

Thursday

Orienteering KS2

Friday

No Club

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

H S A Valentines Disco will take place on Wednesday 13th February!

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