



NEWSLETTER

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Friday 6th March 2020

Stars of the Week - Arthur Durrant, Amelia Hill, Georgie Lunn, May Tomes - **Well Done!!**

Hand Sanitiser - We now have hand sanitiser in school and children will be encouraged to use this after washing their hands. If you do not wish your child to use this i.e. irritation or allergy, please let the school office know.

Australia Day - The school council are doing an Australia Day on Thursday 12th March to raise money for animals and people affected by the fire and floods.

World Book Day - What a fabulous day everyone had!! The children looked amazing dressed up as Wizard of Oz characters and threw themselves into the many activities organised throughout the day. Miss Yates has produced a book with pictures and text from the day which can be found in the school hall for parents and children to look through.

Parents Evening - Parents evening will take place on Tuesday 24th March 2020, beginning at 2.30pm. Letters will be sent out next week for booking your places.

JRS Taster Days - This year, Year 6 will have a taster day at John Ruskin School on Tuesday 23rd June and Year 5 will have their taster day on Thursday 2nd July 2020.

Poetry Competition - The descendants of William Wordsworth invite entries from children for the annual Rydal Mount Wordsworth prize for young poets. The theme this year is *Milestones* which can be interpreted as the writer wishes. The winning poem will be framed and displayed alongside the work of the great poet in his former home, for thousands of visitors to see.

Entries should be typed in 12 or 14 point font, double spaced, and no longer than one side of A4 paper. Each entry should carry at the top of the page the name and age of the writer, and the school they attend. Entries which do not have these details cannot be put forward for judging. They should be saved as individual Word documents and emailed to admin@coniston.cumbria.sch.uk. The deadline for poems to be sent to school is Wednesday 25th March 2020.

Ranger Boat Competition - Children have been invited to take part in the Ranger Boat Competition to name one of their new boats which will be based on Coniston Water. If you would like to take part, the name should connect to the Lake District and celebrate the hard work the lake rangers do and names that are unique to the area. The winner will be invited to visit their named boat and take part in publicity photos which will be shared with the local media. Please send in your entry to the school office by Wednesday 18th March.

Elleray Cross Country, KS2 - Children in KS2 have been asked to represent the school at the Elleray Cross Country Event on Wednesday 11th March. Letters have been sent home today. Please return consent forms as soon as possible. Thank you.

H S A Meeting - The next H S A meeting will take place on Tuesday 10th March at 7pm in The Crown. **We would love to see some new faces so please come along and find out what we do!**

Monday
Pizza with Potato Waffles and Sweetcorn
Shortbread & Milkshake

Tuesday
Sweet & Sour Chicken with Whole Grain Rice & Carrots
Raspberry Buns

Wednesday
Roast Chicken in Gravy
Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli & Yorkshire Pudding
Ginger Sponge with White Sauce

Monday
Jacket Potato with Various Fillings
Fruit or Yoghurt

Tuesday
Filled Roll with Salad
Fruit or Yoghurt

Wednesday
Ploughman's Platter
Fruit or Yoghurt

Thursday - Australia Day
Burger or Sausage Bun
Blueberry Crumble Cake & Cream

Friday
Fish, Chips & Peas
Jelly & Ice Cream with Tinned Fruit

Friday
Jacket Potato with Various Fillings
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 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.

Toast and juice 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

SCHOOL HOLIDAY DATES

Fri 27 Mar	- School closes for Easter
Tues 14 Apr	- School re-opens
Fri 8 May	- Bank holiday
Fri 22 May	- School closes for half term
Mon 1 Jun	- School re-opens

DATES FOR DIARIES

Wed 11 Mar (12:45pm)	- Elleray Cross Country
Thur 12 Mar	- Australia Day
Mon 16 Mar (8am-1pm)	- South Cumbria Music Festival, poetry
Mon 16 Mar (after school)	- Football Match, Y6
Thurs 19 Mar (3.45-7.15pm)	- South Cumbria Music Festival, choir
Tues 24 Mar (2.30pm start)	- Parents evening
Wed 25 Mar	- Brewery Arts Dance Platform, C2

After School Clubs – Monday 24th January to Friday 27 March 2020

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

<u>Monday</u>	Running Club
<u>Tuesday</u> No Clubs	
<u>Wednesday</u>	Sparks! Reception to Year 2
<u>Thursday</u>	Tosh Farrell, Sports Cooridin8tion Y1/2/3
<u>Friday</u> No Clubs	

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

The next H S A meeting will take place on Tuesday 10th March at 7pm in The Crown.

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

Are you ready to get fit for the summer sun? Move to the beat of the music to improve your cardio fitness and dance skills. Come and get your whole body moving with our dance fitness class led by Georgia Broomhead.

Classes are held at Coniston Primary School. Children's classes begin at 6:30pm and adult classes at 7:30pm. Everyone welcome!!

Adult classes cost £4.75 per week (£3.75 if half term paid in advance).

For more information please contact Toni Whirity on 07886 193 557 or 015394 41302

No previous experience necessary, all abilities welcome!