

May Newsletter 2018

Dear Parents

I hope you all had a wonderful long weekend. There seemed to be plenty going on!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT DATA PROTECTION

We didn't really succeed with this after the newsletter, so I'll have another go! **Please put any money sent into school in a clearly labelled envelope with: the amount, the name of the child/ren and what it is for. If Mandy is not in the office, then please hand it in to myself or Nicola. We would ask you not to put it on the desk in the office please.**

You will notice various other changes over the next few months and a new Privacy Notice will be coming out once the Governing Body have agreed it this week.

SATS Week

Year 6 children will be undertaking Standard Attainment Tests during the week beginning the 14th May. Please be aware that there will be quiet places around school all week, especially the CDC teaching room, but also the junior classroom.

Year 6 children need lots of sleep and food. Big breakfasts feed the brain! And dare I say it- no screen two hours before bed!!

Barbecue-Friday 18th May

This is fast approaching!! Please sign up for salads. Tickets can be purchased on the evening at the gate. Do encourage friends and family to come and spread the word far and wide. It has been suggested that people bring their own pot plates and knives and forks to save on the use of plastic. I know several people do this anyway, but it sounds like a great idea. There will be others available if you can't manage to bring your own. There is also a cake competition- this will hopefully provide the puddings for the evening, so please do enter!! If you need any further details, please ask the year 6 parents.

Fellside

For those of you whose children have never been to Fellside on the Key Stage 2 residential trip, there will be a meeting this Thursday at 3:30pm (ish!), to explain what we do, where we stay etc and to answer any questions you may have.

I would also like to give a gentle reminder to those of you that have not returned forms or paid yet. If you would like to pay in small chunks still, that is absolutely fine- as long as we have it before July.

Clothes Recycling

Well done everyone, we raised £99.20 for the school and the same amount for the air ambulance.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Wednesday 9 th May	Cricket Club Full Governors 3:45pm
Thursday 10 th May	Fellside meeting for year 3 and new parents 3:30pm
Monday 14 th May	SATs week (sorry I think I said it was the week before)
Wednesday 16 th May	Cricket Club
FRIDAY 18 th MAY	School BBQ
Monday 21 st May	Year 5 to UCC for Science morning
Wednesday 23 rd May	Cricket Club
Friday 25 th May	School Cross Country Run 2pm
Monday 28 th May	HALF-TERM
Sunday 3 rd June	Epic Swim Fund raiser
Wednesday 6 th June	Safeguarding committee walk round
Week beginning 11 th June	Year 1 Phonics Checks
Tuesday 12 th June	Kwik Cricket Competition
Thursday 14 th June	Stainton Sports
Friday 15 th June	Inter-school School Council Meeting at the Royal Hotel, Dockray
Wednesday 20 th June	Year 5 Science day ay UCC
Thursday 21 st June	Key Stage 1 Multi-sports morning
FRIDAY 22 nd JUNE	SUMMER CONCERT St Patrick's Church 6pm
Sunday 24 th June	Country Fayre
Thursday 28 th June	Key Stage 2 trip to the Sands Centre to see Gangster Granny
Friday 29 th June	Rounders tournament at Penruddock
Monday 2 nd -Wednesday 4 th July	FELLSIDE
Thursday 5 th July	TRANSFER DAY Reception Parents' Consultation Evening
Saturday 7 th July	Boundary Walk
Thursday 12 th July	Open Afternoon for pre-school, nursery, babies! Sports Day 2pm Liverpool (residential trip) meeting for parents of year 4 and 5 children 3:30pm)
Wednesday 18 th July	Leavers' Party (year 5 and 6)
Thursday 19 th July	Leavers' Service 2pm
Friday 20 th July	Last day of term.