



CARTMEL CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter February 12th

2016

Great news to finish the half term!

I am thrilled to announce that I have heard today that we have secured the additional funding from the grants company to make the alterations to our MUGA! I immediately called the installers (!) and they are diarising the alterations as soon as possible after half term. I think we will have a grand opening once we get to that stage! Thank you to parents and children for their continued patience and a very happy half term holiday to you all.

Mrs Battersby

Gymnastics Competition

A huge well done to all the children who took part in the Gymnastics competition on Thursday. Class 1 came 2nd, Class 2 came 4th and Classes 3 and 4 came 4th. This means we will be progressing to the next stage of the competition.

Sponsored bounce

A great time was had by all today. Thank you for your efforts to raise money and thank you to all those who helped.

Sporting Calendar

Preparations are under way for our next cluster events. We have football on the 9th March and Quick sticks on 17th March.

World Book Day

World Book Day will be held in March after we return from the half term holidays. Please start to think which character your child/children would like to dress up as for the day.

Payments to School

Please can all outstanding bills be paid to school as soon as possible as we are coming to the end of our financial year and need to balance the books. Invoices will be coming out soon with any monies owing. All cheques should be made payable to Cumbria County Council unless stated otherwise. Thanking you in advance for your

Worship Cloths Project

The whole school will be working with Mrs Gillian Slater, starting after half term, on a long-term project to create coloured worship cloths in line with the liturgical calendar. We will be starting the project with a visit to The Priory, where Reverend Nick will be showing us the different vestments. The children will then have a homework task to work with parents on a design for the first cloth and then, Mrs Slater, a retired teacher who has a passion for crafts, will work from these with the School Council to choose the overall design. The children and hopefully parents, will also be instrumental in creating parts of each cloth. This project will run for some time, as the process for each cloth will be lengthy! However, I hope that it will be an opportunity for the children, parents, community and church to work together. The Parochial Church Council have kindly offered to fund this project with us.

Snacks in School

Please can we remind you that sweets and biscuits are not allowed in school for children to eat as their snack at break time. We have a healthy eating policy in school. Sweets and fizzy drinks are not allowed in packed lunches.

Cheddars Breakfast Club – open daily 8.00am to 8.30am and After School Club - open daily 3.00pm to 5.30pm.

These are 'pay as you' go clubs unless arranged otherwise with a member of staff.

Litter Picking

On the afternoon of Thursday 25th February, Class 2 will be litter picking in the village to further enhance links with the community and Cartmel in Bloom. Please can you let the school office know if you are able to help on the day

Diary Dates

Event	Time	Date
Laurens football	3.00pm to 4.00pm	Every Monday
Multi Skills with Keith	3.00pm to 4.00pm	Every Wednesday
Swimming Class 3	12.30pm	Every Wednesday
Half Term		15 th February
Celebration Assembly	2.15pm Cartmel Priory	26 th February
Y6 Robotics workshop	TBA	16 th March
Bike ability Y5 and Y6	TBA	21 st – 24 th March 2016

School Angels

Please remember to use this website when ordering items over the internet. It doesn't cost you anything and the school will receive a donation. Thank you. **Total raised so far £144.63.** Please keep using this site. The web address is www.schoolangel.org.uk/cartmel-ce-primary-school Sites include Amazon, John Lewis, M&S, Argos, Joules, Asda Direct, Boden. Please take a look.