



**CORBRIDGE C OF E FIRST SCHOOL**  
**Newsletter: Friday 3 July 2026**

Dear Families,

It has been such an exciting week in school for all of the children! I can't believe the end of the year has come around so quickly.

On Thursday, we also held our annual Sports Day. The event was a success, not least because we avoided the downpours! Mr. Thompson asked me to pass on how proud he is of the children, and how well they apply their skills throughout the year. It really was a showcase of the high standards set in PE lessons and a celebration of their talent. Thank you for cheering them on so loudly! I was so proud to see every child in school, from Nursery to Year 4, coming together, having fun and enjoying sport.

Our Summer Fete was also so successful thanks to the hard work, hours and dedication of the PTFA. Thank you to everyone who contributed to stalls, played games and came to enjoy the event. Further to this, I would like to say thank you to you all for your continued support and encouragement throughout the year. We would not be able to achieve as much as we do without the PTFA, all of our families and our dedicated governors. We are awaiting the final total but I know it will be a huge step towards buying a new climbing frame for the children.

Finally, the week ended with a musical highlight. Our choir once again joined with the choir from Broomhaugh First School to sing at the Lunchtime Concert in St. Andrew's Church. The mega choir showcased songs enjoyed throughout the year, from worship songs to gospel, Disney to choral renditions - they covered it all. I loved watching their happy, joyful faces as they serenaded you all whilst clearly showing their love of singing.

Have a lovely weekend, everyone!

*S Hart & E Sanderson*

Executive Head Teacher & Deputy Head Teacher

**Attendance this week: 92.7%**

Our weekly goal is 97% across the whole school.

| 1st                  | 2nd               | 3rd             |
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| Reception with 97.7% | Year 1 with 92.9% | Year 4 with 92% |



## School Dinners

Week beginning Monday 6 July 2026 for Summer Term 2, will be Week 2 of our [menu](#)

### Additional Information:

- **Good News**

Huge congratulations to Aedan in Year 3 who has become a registered player for Sunderland AFC Academy with the U9 squad for the 26/27 season. We are so proud of your hard work and the way you are striving to be the best you can be. Good luck for the upcoming season!



- **Free School Meals**

If you feel that your child may be eligible for free school meals, please read the criteria and make an application as soon as you can. Find out more on the [Northumberland County Council](#) website.

To apply, please complete this form via [Northumberland County Council](#).

- **Rosie's Corner**

Please see the attached flyer for more information re: Rosie's Corner, based in Hexham, who support local families with children's clothing, uniform and baby essentials.

- **Sporting Journeys: Summer Holidays 2026**

Please see the attached flyer for details of available Summer Holiday camps with Mr Thompson.

- **Hexham Courant: Year 4 School Leavers**

Please see the attached flyer from the Hexham Courant.

On Thursday 16 July there will be a School Leavers "picture special" inside of the Hexham Courant newspaper if you would like to purchase a copy as a memento. For families who would prefer to order a copy directly, these are available for £5 (including postage and packaging) via the following link: <https://store.newsquest.co.uk/last-class-2026>

- **Forest Adventures**

Please see the attached flyer for more information on Summer Holiday clubs for 2026.

- **Wentworth: Summer Holiday Camp**

Please see the attached flyer for more information on Summer Holiday camps for 2026.

- **Epic Camps: Summer 2026**

Please see the attached flyer for more information on Summer Holiday camps for 2026.

- **Northumberland Music - September 2026**

Please see the link below for Music Tuition and details of how to register.

<https://canva.link/o5ltcb0u7sofl7y>

**The School Diary:** Please remember to check for any new dates each week.

*Dates in red are new dates which have been added*

| Date             | Event                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Notes                                                                       |
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| <b>July 2026</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                             |
| Sunday 5         | Summer Fun Roller Disco from 2pm - 4pm at Wentworth Leisure Centre                                                                                                                                                                                              | Parentmail and sign up - sent out 22.4.26 & 3.6.26                          |
| Tuesday 7        | Transfer Day                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | More information to follow                                                  |
| Wednesday 8      | Reception Graduation at 2pm<br><i>*come to school office door for 1:45pm</i>                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>Parentmail sent out 01.07.26</b>                                         |
| Friday 10        | Year 4: Leavers Show at 1:30pm                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | More information to follow                                                  |
| Monday 13        | School reports to be sent home                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                             |
| Wednesday 15     | Year 4 - Visit to Corbridge Youth Initiative (PM)                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>More information to follow</b>                                           |
| Thursday 16      | Year 4: Leavers Picnic (3:15pm)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | More information to follow                                                  |
| Friday 17        | End of Year Service at St Andrew's Church, Corbridge at 9:30am                                                                                                                                                                                                  | More information to follow                                                  |
| Friday 17        | Special Leavers Lunch<br>*menu chosen by Year 4:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Hot dog in a bun &amp; Spicy Chicken Tacos</li> <li>- Curly Fries &amp; Pasta</li> <li>- Beans &amp; Sweetcorn</li> <li>- Assorted Doughnuts</li> <li>-</li> </ul> | Invitation to Packed Lunch children sent out by Parentmail Form on 18.06.26 |

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| Friday 17 July        | Last day of term Break up for Summer<br><b>School Closes at 1:30pm</b><br><br><b>**No After School Wraparound Care**</b> | <b><i>**School re-opens for Autumn Term - Wednesday 2 September 2026</i></b> |
| Saturday 18           | Salto: School Uniform Orders - the deadline for orders is Saturday 18 July                                               | Parentmail sent out 2.04.26                                                  |
| <b>September 2026</b> |                                                                                                                          |                                                                              |
| Tuesday 1             | Teacher Training Day: School Closed to Pupils                                                                            |                                                                              |
| Wednesday 2           | School Re-opens for Autumn Term 1                                                                                        |                                                                              |