

Corbridge Church of England First School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Another very busy week in school this week but so much good news and many reasons to be proud. This week's celebration assembly recognised amazing reading, super writers, excellent effort in Maths along with fabulous artwork, great attitudes and effort, excellent manners, wonderful partner work and last but not least, children being kind and caring. Each Friday it is a joy to read out the great attributes spotted in the children that week.

The support and commitment from our "garden heroes" this week has also been phenomenal. The work initiative was just for a day but I know Mr Greenley has plans to come and help finish off some of the work. If you have any time to spare next week and you think you can lend a hand please let us know! We have some heavy lifting and the final stages of putting together the Poly tunnel, which could really do with a few pairs of hands.

We had a really successful stall at the Corbridge Midsummer Evening last night! A huge thank you goes to Ethan and his mum for their amazing selling in our first hour and a half of trading. Many thanks to Alice and her mum and also the children who spent some of their time helping to sell the products the children prepared. The lovely dog was won by Michael in class 3 and he has named his Cuddles.

When we have deducted costs we have raised an amazing £200 which will be used to hire super inflatables for our fete next week!

Finally the fete is next week and we really hope to see you there. The stalls at the fete will only run if we can encourage enough of you to help by covering a 30 minute slot with your children. The children are really enthusiastic, so we hope you will be able to support us with this. Please catch the class teachers for more information.

Thank you to everyone for your support – we have all got their fingers crossed for a dry day and we hope you and the children will be able to come along to enjoy the day with us.

J. Ainsley

Head Teacher



School Dinners: Week beginning 25 June will be Week 1 of [our menu](#).

Don't forget it's the Summer Fete **NEXT SATURDAY, 30 June 2018**

If you or anyone you know would like to take a stall at the fete please contact the office on 01434 632534 or email admin@corbridgefirst.northumberland.sch.uk

Summer Fete – Saturday 30 June 2018 – Can you help with a donation?

All donations will be gratefully received and can be dropped at the school office or taken by the class teacher.

We are hoping for...

- Plants / seedlings / cuttings for our plant stall (please drop off the day before the fete)
- Good conditions toys, books and teddies
- Tombola prizes – chocolates, wine, toiletries...
- Outgrown school uniforms (to be available for donations rather than for sale)
- Cakes, trav-bakes, cupcakes etc. (please drop off on Friday 29 June or on the morning of the fete)



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Don't forget to visit the School Website: www.corbridgefirst.northumberland.sch.uk



School Uniform...no longer fits, need extra items or new uniform.

Place your order at schooltrends.co.uk for delivery to your chosen address, allowing 21 days for delivery during their peak summer season. The only items we will continue to sell from school are printed reading folders and printed PE/Swimming bags. These items each cost £3.60 and can be purchased from the school office. Payment can be made in cash or by cheque payable to 'Corbridge Church of England School Fund'.

Nut Free School – a reminder that we are a NUT FREE zone so please support us by ensuring your child's packed lunch or snacks are 'nut free'

Year 3 Monday swimming dates for the summer term 2018

Monday 16 April	Monday 14 May	Monday 4 June	Monday 25 June
Monday 23 April	Monday 21 May	Monday 11 June	Monday 2 July
Monday 30 April		Monday 18 June	

Diary dates are printed on the next page....new dates will be added regularly (in red) so please check each week for any events/activities involving your child's year group.

Corbridge Church of England First School – Diary Dates 2017-2018

Date	Event	Notes
Monday 25 June	Safer Internet Workshop in school Led by Big Foot Company	This event is being paid for using money raised in the Christmas raffles.
Monday 25 June	Swimming Gala	A group of Y3 and 4 pupils will compete – individual letters have been sent.
Wednesday 27 June	Year Four Leavers Service and the Cathedral	Service starts at 11am. Letters have now been sent.
Wednesday 27 June	Year Four visit to the Great North Museum following the service	Late arrival back to school (3:30pm) Please return permission slip and payment no later than Wednesday 20 June 2018.
Wednesday 27 June	Reception Parents Welcome Meeting	6.00pm
Friday 29 June	Pupil voice conference – 4 pupils	4 pupils will represent school with Miss Ainsley at our partnership conference at QEHS.
Friday 29 June	Non Uniform Day	Please donate a bottle / some bottles for our tombola. From water to juice, alcohol to fizzy pop, tomato sauce to vinegar or shampoo to washing up liquid... any bottles welcome! ☺
Saturday 30 June	Summer Fete	Green Bands being sold this week!
Tuesday 3 July	Transfer Day	Details will be shared before the event
Thursday 5 July	Hexham Partnership Sports event for Year 4 Class at Wentworth.	More information to follow.
Friday 6 July	Year 3 Class Visit Vindolanda and Roman Army Museum	Letters have now been sent, please return permission slip and payment no later than Wednesday 27 June.
Thursday 12 July	Special Lunch. Teddy Bears' Picnic	Further details to be shared nearer the date.
Friday 13 July	Year 2 Class Visit St Mary's Lighthouse	Letters have now been sent, please return permission slip and payment no later than Monday 2 July.
Friday 13 July	EYFS visit to the Sill	Letters have now been sent, please return permission slip and payment no later than Monday 2 July.
Monday 16 July	Sports' Day (afternoon)	
Tuesday 17 July	Nursery Graduation and Sports Morning	
Wednesday 18 July	Parent Open Door – opportunity for parents to drop in to see their child's teacher between 3.00 and 4.00pm if there are any concerns arising from your child's school report.	
Thursday 19 July	Year 4 Leavers' Concert	
School closes at 3.00pm on Friday 20 July 2018 for the summer break. School will reassemble on Tuesday 4 September 2018.		

Please contact the school office if you require large type formats of any school produced documentation. School can also provide help with reading any documentation.