

CORBRIDGE C OF E FIRST SCHOOL Newsletter: Friday 5 May 2023

Dear Families,

We have had quite a week of big events at Corbridge First School!

The children started the Coronation celebrations early on Thursday with a fabulous picnic lunch and garden party. They enjoyed sandwiches, sausage rolls, crisps, salad and Union Flag cupcakes whilst sat outside with their friends on trestle style tables under bunting. Huge thanks to Mrs. Dobson, Mrs. Tulip, Lisa and Mr. Gardner for all their hard work and preparation and for making the event so special.



Our newly appointed playground buddies completed their training this

week with Mrs. Carruthers. They are all a credit to our school and are raring to get started and support their friends across all year groups.



Excitement built as the week progressed and, finally, the long awaited residential trip began! Year 4 were in high spirits and couldn't wait to set off. Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Burton both popped in at various times and the children were all so happy and smiling and full of stories. The zip wire has been a particular highlight and the children were so proud to tell me that they had managed to light a fire by themselves. The only thing they haven't had is much sleep so it's a good job we have another long weekend ahead! Many thanks to Miss. Florek, Mrs. Orrick and Mrs. Forsyth for organising the trip and accompanying the children. It has been wonderful to see the children thrive, being the best they can be!

Have a lovely long weekend (fingers crossed the sun shines!) Long live the King!

S Hart & E Florek

Executive Head Teacher Executive Deputy Head Teacher

Attendance this week:

Our weekly goal is 97% across the whole school.

1st	2nd	3rd
Year 3 with 98.8 %	Year 2 with 96.9 %	Reception with 96.3%



The School Diary: The term dates are in the grid this week but we will be filling the diary with all of our events for the term soon. Please remember to check for any new dates in each week. *Dates in red are new dates which have been added*

Date	Event	Notes
May 2023		
Monday 8	Bank Holiday - HM Coronation Day	School Closed
Tuesday 9	Year 2 - Visit to Newcastle Central Mosque (AM)	Parentmail issued
Tuesday 9	Year 1 & Year 2 - Skipping event at Wentworth (PM)	Parentmail issued
Monday 15	Reception - Heights & Weights	
Friday 19	Year 4 – Tynedale Schools Quad Kids Transition/Competition - Athletics Events at Corbridge Middle School (PM)	More information to follow
Tuesday 23	KS2 Tag Rugby tournament rescheduled (12 students)	Parentmail issued.
Wednesday 24	Year 3 - Parents invited to a special learning session - 9am - 10.30am	Parentmail issued.
Friday 26	Last day of school before half term	
June 2023		
Monday 5	School Re-opens	
Tuesday 6	Year 4 Newcastle Cathedral Leaver Service	
Tuesday 13	Cricket Tournament at CFS with Broomhaugh First School KS1 - morning KS2 - afternoon	
Wednesday 14	Reception (Sept 23) Welcome Meeting 5pm - 6pm	
Thursday 15	Year 4 Visit to Beamish	More information to follow
Wednesday 21	Nursery (Sept 23) Welcome Meeting 5pm-6pm	
July 2023		
Tuesday 4	Transfer Day	
Thursday 13	Year 4 Leavers' Assembly - 2pm	More information to follow
Friday 14	Whole school beach trip - Tynemouth	More information to follow
Monday 17	Reports sent home	
Tuesday 18	Sports Day Y1-Yr4 - 1.30pm Fundraising stalls - all classes welcome Bouncy Castle	More information to follow
Wednesday 19	Reception Graduation - 9.15am	More information to follow
Wednesday 19	EYFS Sports Day - 10.15am	More information to follow
Friday 21	Last day of school before Summer holidays	School closes at 1.30pm in line with the Hexham Partnership of schools.