

Corbridge Church of England First School

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Friday 15 June 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Wednesday next week we will welcome our new nursery parents into school to hear all about joining us. The following Wednesday, it will be the turn of parents with children due to start in Reception to come along and we are welcoming a few new families and children in Reception Class next year. Exciting times for all!

It's only two weeks to the school fete and there is a lot to do. Please sign up with class teachers next week to help your child on their class stall if you can next week as 30 minute slots will be available to fill! The school does rely on your support for events like these.

This year we will again sell wrist bands for children for £5. This will give them entry and unlimited access to both the bouncy castle and slide. Children with a band will have access to free juice, throughout the fete, and will be able to select a free piece of fruit! We hope you will see the value for money in this option, and it will keep the children busy with access to the inflatables if their money runs out.

I have my fingers crossed for a sunny day and look forward to seeing you all and having a really good time with the children.

J. Ainsley
Head Teacher



School Dinners: Week beginning 4 June will be Week 3 of [our menu](#).

Don't forget it's the Summer Fete on 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, tray-bakes, cupcakes etc. (please drop off on Friday 29 June or on the morning of the fete)

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'.



Follow us at: <https://twitter.com/CorbridgeFirst>

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



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
Wednesday 20 June	Parents Meeting for our New starters for Nursery September 2018 6pm	If you are aware of any families needing a nursery place please encourage them to book a visit.
Thursday 21 June	Mid Summer's Evening in Corbridge	Come and visit or help fundraise at our school stall on this wonderful evening.
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. Families are invited to attend – 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
Saturday 30 June	Summer Fete	Thank you to all who have returned raffle tickets. If you are able to sell more to family, friends or around the village – please get in touch!
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.