

**Newsletter June 2019**

With only a few weeks to go until the end of this school academic year, school is a busy place to be. We are very proud of all our children who have been working very hard throughout the school year. Children in Year1 , 2 and 6 have completed the statutory assessments—you will be notified of the outcomes of these with your child's report.

We have been involved in lots of activities and trips :-

- Our pre-school children thoroughly enjoyed their school outing , they had a great time on the play equipment at Bay-cliff park and Playzone. They especially enjoyed the ice-creams at the end of the day!
- Reception Class had a great day at Old Hall Farm where they helped feed the chickens and lambs as well as having a great time in the barn play area and a ride on the pony and carriage.
- Year 1 have been to South Lakes Safari Zoo where they learned lots of things about different animals.
- Year 2 and Year 5 had a great time at Brantwood; the house being part of a museum dedicated to John Ruskin
- Year 3 have had their residential visit to Rampside. They visited various places during their stay.
- Years 4, 5 and 6 have completed their 3 half day sessions at Waterpark. They participated in many adventurous outdoor activities which everyone thoroughly enjoyed.
- Year 5 will be going to Eskdale next week on their residential visit.



**Conversion of school bus**  
As you are aware, we have been fundraising to convert our school bus into a disabled friendly bus to ensure that everyone can go on trips together. Year 6 children have sent out hand-written letters to various companies throughout the town explaining what we are aiming to achieve. Other children and families have been busy baking cakes to sell, having hair shaved and various other events. The generosity of local individuals and business has been overwhelming. **A BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who has helped us.  
**Hindpool Tigers are holding a Family Fun day on Saturday 29th June to help us raise funds. why not come along!**

**Dates for diary**

Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd July	Whole school transition days
Tuesday 2nd—Friday 5th July	Year 5 Eskdale residential
Monday 8th July (morning)	KS1 and KS2 sports day at Cavendish Park
Tuesday 9th July (afternoon)	Pre-school sports day in play ground.
Tuesday 9th July	Year 1 going to Conishead Priory, Priory woods and beach.
Tuesday 16th July	Year 6 Leavers meal (after school)
Wednesday 17th July, 11 am	Memorial Day in hall
Friday 19th July	Leavers Assembly School closes 2.00 pm
Wednesday 4th September	School re-opens, 8.50 am

**School Dinner Money**

Reminder - dinner money must be paid for in advance. You can pay on-line or your child may bring their money into school in an envelope with their name, class and amount clearly written on the envelope. Being in arrears may result in your child being refused a meal.

**Furness Voices**

Well done to our KS1 and KS2 children who recently took part in the annual Furness Voices performance at The Forum. Both sets of children sang amazingly well and got the biggest cheer of the night.

**Headlice**



We have had lots of cases of headlice in school recently. Headlice are small insects up to 3mm long. They can be difficult to spot in your hair. They are very common and can make your head feel itchy. Headlice must be treated as soon as you spot them. There are medicated lotions and sprays available for pharmacies and supermarkets which kill the head lice. Everyone in the household should be checked and treated. All towels and bedding should be washed on a 60 degree wash and soft toys should be sealed in a plastic bag for 48 hours or washed and tumble dried. Some Chemists run a community pharmacy minor ailment scheme which you can sign up to. By doing this you can get advice from the pharmacist about various ailments/illnesses including headlice. If appropriate the pharmacist will supply you with medicine/lotions to treat the condition.