



'Let your light shine!'

Our Christian Value this half term is Friendship

Friday 5th July 2019

Sports Day was once again a great event in school and perfect weather for the occasion. Well done to all the children for their great sportsmanship throughout the event.

Things are getting busy in school as we draw towards the end of term. Our play for year 5 and 6 is on Monday afternoon and Monday evening.

Wednesday is our Bags to School day. Please support us with this as it helps raise much needed funds for school.

Thursday our leavers service will be held in school for year 6 children and their families with Prom in the evening.

Friday is our Bog Eyed Jog.

Clay tiles

If your child made a clay tile as part of the old display in the library area then we are happy for you to come into school to collect their tile to keep. Please pass on to anyone who may have a tile in school they would like to collect.

SATS results

On Tuesday the SATS results will come into school for the year six children. These will be shared on the day by Mrs Higham and Mrs Adams with individual children. They will bring home their results that evening. Regardless of the result we will ensure the children know we are proud of them and the effort they put into their tests. Please reinforce this message at home.

Tempest Photograph Order

Please can you ensure that all orders for class photographs are handed into the office by Monday morning please, ready for collection.

Swimming

From April this year we have made changes to our swimming offer in school. Each class will now have one term of swimming whilst at Middleforth. Our current year three have had their term this Summer so no classes will be swimming next term. At the end of each session of swimming we will keep records of anyone who is unable to swim the 25 metres required and they will be given booster sessions at a later date to enable them to complete this level of swimming.

Have a lovely Weekend

Mrs Adams

Our stars of the week this week are;

Minis	Isabella & Harriet
Reception	Edie & Joe
Year 1	Alfie & Nicole
Year 2	Queenie & Matthew
Year 3	Jasmine & Wren
Year 4	Lily & Harvey
Year 5	Christopher & Finlay
Year 6	Archie & Molly



KS2 Merit Badge Winners

Class	Red – Ruby	Blue – Sapphire	Green - Emerald	Yellow – Amber
Y3	Isla	Micah	Theo	Harry
Y4	Sophie	Summer	Archie	William
Y5	Lexi	Lucy	Zane	Charlie Ga
Y6	Molly	Archie	Devon	Issac

Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds Fortnight – Monday 1st July – Friday 12th July 2019

During these two weeks children’s activities and learning will focus around ‘Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds’. They are invited to come to school in their own shorts/leggings/tracksuit bottoms and trainers but wearing their school uniform top.

Year 5 and 6 Show

Year 6 and Year 5 will be putting on a performance of Robin Hood and The Sherwood Hoodies on Monday the 8th July at approx 1:30 and 5:45 (exact times to follow). All are welcome to watch. The children in the other classes will have a special performance earlier. We look forward to seeing you.

Cricket

On Monday, some of the Y6 children attended the mixed cricket competition at Vernons. It was a great day with excellent behaviour both on and off the pitch. Out of 6 games, Middleforth won 3 with some superb bowling, batting and catching skills. Well done to all the children - Mrs Craig and Mrs **Higham** were very proud of you all!

School Grounds

We are currently trying to set up a group of volunteers to help with the maintenance of the school grounds. If this is something you feel you would like to be involved in could you please pop your name down on the clipboard in the office foyer or let any member of staff know. The group is planning to meet on a Tuesday afternoon from 1:15 - 3:00pm. Many thanks.

End of Year Accounts

Please ensure that your accounts are paid up to date before we finish for the summer break. There are a number of food tech and guest lunch payments still outstanding. Menus for Autumn term will be published before we finish, please ensure that meals are booked ready for when we return in September. We have had the ParentPay ordering system in place for well over a year now, thank you to everyone who keeps their lunch orders up to date. From September, any children who do have meals pre-ordered will only be given the sandwich choice of that day or a jacket potato depending on what we have spare. It is proving far too difficult to estimate meals numbers for the school kitchen for the children who have not had lunches ordered for them.

The same will also apply for before and after school club bookings, you must ensure that your bookings are made in advance, (available to do online up until midnight of the day before you need it). Whilst we appreciate that there are emergency situations, we need to reduce the amount of last minute additions.

SAFEGUARDING - A reminder to parents of how you can support children if you believe they are at risk of harm outside of school hours and in the holiday.

During term time the safeguarding leads in school are Mrs Adams and Mr Swindells. They are happy to offer advice on how to act on your concerns.

If you think a child is at immediate risk of harm ring the police on 999

If you think a child is at risk of harm ring Children’s social care on 0300 1236720 to report your concerns.

If you want further advice ring NSPCC on 0808 8005000 or visit their website for information.

BAGS2SCHOOL

As requested we have arranged another BAGS2SCHOOL Collection. Our last collection raised just over £150 towards school funds. Bags are going out this week and will be collection on **Wednesday, 10 July**. Please feel free to send your bag in from Monday, 8 July. You can place items in black bags if you run out of a labelled bag to school bag.

Updated items list:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

We **DO NOT** accept:

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing
- School uniforms with and without logo
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

Dates for your Diary 2018 – 2019

Friday 5th & Monday 8th July	Life Bus in school
Week commencing 8th July	Healthy bodies, Healthy minds week
Wednesday 10th July	Bags to school collection
Thursday 11th July morning	Leavers service in school for year 6
Thursday 11th July evening	Year six prom
Friday 12th July	Reports out
Tuesday 16th July	EYFS Trip, 'Imagine That!'
Thursday 18th July	End of year church service

Term Dates 2019 - SUMMER TERM 2019

School closes on

Friday 19th July 2019 at 2.00pm