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16<sup>th</sup> September 2016

Dear Parents

### **Beamish Trip**

The excitement is building for our trip to Beamish on Wednesday. If you have not already completed the reply slip, please can you check your child's bag for the letter that was sent out on Wednesday and return asap.

Details to remember:

- Children to be in school by 8.30am and to be collected at 5pm. The bus will collect at 5pm.
- Clothing to include a waterproof coat and sturdy shoes.
- Packed lunch and bottle of water. Your child can also include a healthy snack for the journey home.
- A rucksack. The museum is not near the coach drop off point, so the children will need to carry their own lunch, water bottle, coat etc during the day.
- Pocket money to a maximum of £3.

### **Class 2**

This term in art Class 2 will be building models of volcanoes. We would appreciate donations of small – medium plastic bottles, newspapers and large cereal boxes for next week. Thank you.

### **Chess**

Long Marton School will be holding their annual Rotary Club of Appleby Chess Shield event on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October at Long Marton School in the afternoon – 1-3pm. The event is aimed at those who have never played competitive chess, as well as those who have played before. Children as young as Y1 have entered in the past, although Y2/3 up is more usual. The school would like to enter a team of 4; pupils should tell their teacher if they would like to be considered.

### **Harvest Festival**

This year we will celebrate with a community thanksgiving on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2.30 pm at Crosby Ravensworth Village Hall. The children will be attending to help with the celebrations. Parents will be able to take their children home straight afterwards if this is more convenient. A collection of non-perishable produce is being received in school to support a foodbank in Carlisle and the Salvation Army. Your donations are very much appreciated and are being displayed in school.

### **New term paperwork**

Today your plastic wallet will contain a letter for parental consent for trips, Images and Pain Relief. Please read and return consent forms to the school office.

### **Pet show**

Next Friday the school will hold a 'pet show' for fluffy toy animals. Children of all ages will be able to parade their pets on the playground at break and certificates will be given for 'best in class'. Please note that this is a special event, and we'd be grateful for 'pets' to be looked after at home in future to avoid toys getting damaged. Thank you.

### **Wrap around Care**

Crosby Ravensworth School and Lyvenett Nursery are planning for the future. Part of this is investing in wrap around care to help working families. Please let school know if breakfast club or after school club might be of future or present interest to you. We'd also love to hear from any parents in the catchment area who have a child or children due to start nursery or school within the next four years.

### **Message from Friends**

#### ***An invitation to join Crosby Ravensworth School 100 Club***

*The Friends of Crosby Ravensworth School raise valuable funds every year. Money raised buys valuable equipment for the School as well as subsidising trips and treats. Many Charities have found 100 Clubs to be a popular way of raising funds while providing cash prizes for lucky winners. By joining the 100 club you can help our School as well as having a chance to win prizes every month! Each Month there is a Draw for 50% of the Fund. The amount is divided between 3 lucky winners. First Draw 22nd September 2016. Interested? Fill in the application form with your details and you will be allocated a number. You can have more than one number EACH NUMBER WILL BE £12 PER YEAR. The application form is available from the School Office, Crosby Ravensworth & Maulds Meaburn bus shelters. Thank you for your support. The Friends committee.*

Yours sincerely



Mr D Priestley

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### **Summary of dates for your diary:**

Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> September	Beamish Trip – Whole School
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest festival – 2.30 at CRVH
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents' evening
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Play session for Nursery and Class 1



