



Crosby Ravensworth CE Primary School

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Friday Bulletin

Friday 8th September 2017

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to a new school year at Crosby Ravensworth, we hope you have all had restful and enjoyable summer holidays. It's been lovely to see all the children back at school ready and enthusiastic to learn. We have lots of exciting events and trips to look forward to this term and as always we appreciate your continued support for these.

Roald Dahl Day

Next Wednesday the 13th of September is World Roald Dahl Day. Class 2 are reading both *Fantastic Mr Fox* and *the BFG* this term and so these children are invited to come dressed as any character from a Roald Dahl book for the day.

Pop in and Play

We will be running our regular pop in and play session next Wednesday the 13th from 9:00 till 10:30 am. The doors between class 1 and nursery will be open during this time and there will be fun activities on offer. This session is open to any nursery aged children so please recommend to anyone you think will be interested.

PE uniform

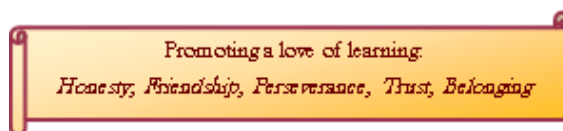
Please remember pumps are not required in school. Children use bare feet inside; outside they will need trainers that are suitably robust for damp weather. Jogging bottoms, a fleecy top and a warm hat are also recommended for the colder weather.

School National Trust Membership

We would like to purchase a National Trust membership for the school which will significantly reduce the cost of school trips to National Trust properties. We are planning trips for both classes this year so we are asking for a voluntary donation of £2 per pupil to purchase this. If you could enclose this in your child's plastic wallet next week then we can purchase this for the year.

Talk Homework

We will be sending home talk homework the first Friday of every month where we will set a topic for you to discuss as a family. This is a great tool to develop communication and debate skills. The topic this weekend is "Is a six week summer holiday too long?" We look forward to hearing the children's opinions on Monday.



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Phonics and Reading Scheme Meeting

Next Wednesday Mrs Pattinson and Mrs Corrie will be holding a meeting for the parents of our new reception children to discuss the teaching of phonics and a tutorial for our online reading scheme. This will start at 3:00pm and end at 3:30pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to find out what we do in school and how you can help your child at home. Any other class 1 parents who feel like they need a refresher are also welcome to come along.

After School Clubs

Thank you to all parents for your continued support of our after school club provision. We have had a great week and the children have really enjoyed trying out our new clubs: Active Ants (archery) and lacrosse. If our new parents want any information on our wrap around care, please pop into the office or ask one of the members of staff. Do remember that in addition to full breakfast club from 8am, a 50p drop-off club is also available from 8.30am (no breakfast provided).



School Council

Our 2017-2018 school council was elected this week – we're really excited to hear what ideas they will come up with to improve the school. The first council meeting will be held on the 20th of September so pupils should put any thoughts in the suggestion box before then.

Parent Questionnaire

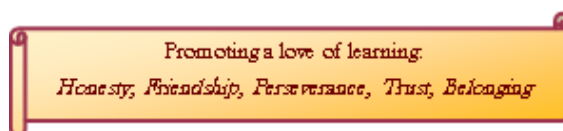
Included in the plastic wallet this week is a parent questionnaire. We would be grateful if you could fill this in over the weekend and hand it back in on Monday. Your answers to these questionnaires are really valuable to us and help make improvements which benefit both pupils and parents.

Parents' evening

Parents evening will be held on the 18th of October, requests for appointment times will be sent out shortly so please look out for these in your child's plastic wallet.

Lost uniform

Please can you check that your child hasn't taken home a school fleece with the name 'Sam Dooley' on the label. If found please return to the school office. Thank you.



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Message from Jillian:

Lyvennet Nursery AGM will be held in nursery on Monday 11th September at 7.30pm. All welcome.

We would like to thank everyone for their support at our bingo in July, we raised £269 for Lyvennet Nursery. We will be holding a bingo this Friday 8th of September at Orton Market Hall 7:30pm for Scleroderma and Raynauds UK. All welcome, good prizes, come along and support us. Raffle prizes gratefully received.

Thanks,
Jillian and Sharon

Message from Nicola:

An invitation to join Crosby Ravensworth School 100 Club

The Friends of Crosby Ravensworth School raise valuable funds every year. Money raised buys 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. The first Draw will be on 21st September 2017.

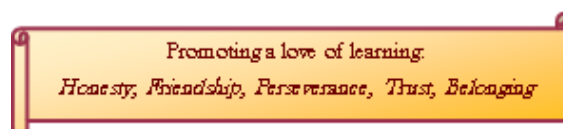
Interested?

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.**

Application forms are available from MM/CR bus shelters, the School Office, or from Nicola Simpson 715440



Mr D Priestley
Headteacher



Summary of dates for your diary:

Friday 8th September	Orton Bingo
Thursday 21 st September	Kings Meaburn Cup
Monday 25 th September	Tag Rugby Tournament
Wednesday 4 th October	Nasal Flu Vaccinations R, Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4
Wednesday 18 th October	Parents Evening

After school club - Week beginning: 11th September 2017

£4 a session or 5 for £16 (this can be split across siblings)

Please tick which sessions you would like your child to attend:

Monday Cooking Club	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thursday Lacrosse	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tuesday Action Ants	<input type="checkbox"/>	Friday Construction Club	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wednesday Film Club	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Child's Name

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