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Dear Parents,

The swallows are back, so it must be Spring! We hope you had a wonderful holiday. It was lovely to see all our children on Monday and hear all their news.

We have lots of exciting learning planned for this half term. We also have statutory testing and assessment across school, so it is an important time and is crucial that children don't miss any school. Dates are as follows: -

Year 6 SATs tests are on Tuesday May 9th to Friday May 12th inclusive.

Year 4 times tables checks are between Monday June 5th and Friday June 16th.

Year 2 SATs tests will take place throughout May.

Year 1 Phonic screen check will take place in the week beginning June 12th.

Year Reception Foundation Stage Profile assessments will take place in June 2023.

Other dates for your diary: -

Swimming lessons begin on Monday May 22nd and will continue every Monday (except the half term break) until Monday July 17th.

For families who haven't been before, the whole school goes swimming. We come to school as usual and have lessons until break time. Then we catch the train from Armathwaite to Lazonby and have our lessons in the outdoor pool, catching the 3.35pm train back to Armathwaite, returning to school at about 3.45pm. As well as fantastic swimming lessons, we all have great fun! More information to follow.

Year 6 transition camp will be on June 22nd and 23rd. We will be camping on Lazonby School field. More information to follow.

After School Clubs

All clubs remain the same other than Zumba which has now finished. Miss Price will run a free Year 4 times table club each Friday from 3.30pm to 4.30pm.

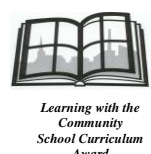
So, clubs are as follows: -

Monday ~ drawing club for all year groups ~ £2 per child 3 children for £5
transition club Year 6 only ~ no charge

Tuesday ~ wrap around (new club to be arranged soon) all year groups ~ £2 per child 3 children for £5

Wednesday ~ craft club all year groups ~ £2 per child 3 children for £5

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Thursday ~ healthy living club all year groups ~ £2 per child 3 children for £5

Friday ~ netball club at lunchtime ~ Year 3 to 6 ~ no charge

Football club after school ~ Year 3 to 6 ~ no charge

Games club ~ all year groups ~ £2 per child 3 children for £5

Times table club ~ Year 4 only ~ no charge

Lunch Shop

Lunch Shop is being rebranded as School Hub. This should cause no disruption and you don't need to do anything different. Please see the attached leaflet. Please remember to order dinners in advance ~ for the week ahead, so Anne can complete her food orders.

Yours sincerely,

Helen Hepworth

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