



## Broughton Primary School: 22.04.2025

Wk 31/03/2025		
	Attendance	Unauthorised
Catbells	98.75%	0.0%
Haystacks	90.77%	0.0%
Barrow	99.52%	0.0%
Dodd	99.13%	0.0%
Blencathra	96.99%	0.0%
Skiddaw	98.33%	0.0%
Whole School	97.29%	0.0%

Friday 04/04/2025	
	Golden Sweatshirt
Reception	Henry Dixon-Bell
Year 1	Maggie Rourke
Year 2	Fletcher Anderson
Year 3	Amelie Healy
Year 4	Karter Weir
Year 5	Layla Beck
Year 6	Dasha Yarlykapova

Dear Parents/Carers

### **Welcome back:**

It seems strange to be sending out the newsletter on a Tuesday afternoon – I hope you all enjoyed a lovely Easter break, ending with Easter Monday bank holiday. This half-term is very short – it is only five weeks long with another bank holiday Monday thrown in, in two weeks' time! It will be another very busy one, so please keep up to date with the important dates/events at the end of each weekly newsletter.

### **Out-of-School Club sessions:**

It was fabulous to see so many children accessing the free breakfast session this morning – OOSC was very busy!

If your child would like to attend OOSC for the first time, please can you let Mrs Bryden know by email ([admin@broughton-pri.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:admin@broughton-pri.cumbria.sch.uk)) or telephone (01900 828971) and she will add you to the club section of SchoolMoney.

### **P.E kits:**

Please could we remind parents/carers that all items in our school P.E kit **should be unbranded:**

- Navy/black shorts/leggings/joggers
- White/red T-shirt
- Black/navy hoodie

Staff have observed that there are increasing numbers of football/rugby kits being worn and some parents have reported that it is becoming very difficult to get children to wear the correct kit. The reason for requesting children wear an unbranded P.E kit is so that all children are the same, as it is with school uniform. Unbranded P.E kit items can be ordered online in our school uniform shop, but can also be purchased in local supermarkets for a very reasonable price.

### **V.E Day anniversary:**

The 80th anniversary of VE Day (Victory in Europe Day) will be commemorated on Thursday, May 8, 2025. This day marks the formal acceptance by the Allies of World War II of Germany's unconditional surrender of its armed forces, officially ending World War II in Europe.

In school, we are planning to mark the anniversary with a whole school picnic on our astro pitch. For lunch on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May, we would therefore like to invite all of our pupils to bring along some food items to contribute to the picnic:

- Early Years and Key-Stage 1 pupils: sweet items (e.g. cakes, fruit, scones, biscuits etc)
- Key-Stage 2 pupils: Savoury items (crisps, dips, veg sticks, sausage rolls, pizza etc)

School will provide sandwiches with a range of fillings for the picnic. **As we have a number of children who have nut-allergies, please can you ensure that any items sent into school do not contain any traces of nuts. We will of course check all items, as they arrive in school.**

We will decorate the astro with some bunting and place the food on tables with special tablecloths – I am sure it will be a lovely afternoon and a great way to acknowledge this very important event.

### **After-school clubs:**

Rory's Key-Stage 2 football club will continue on Thursday afternoons throughout summer term, and if your child does not already attend, please contact Mrs Bryden so that she can add them to the register. Payment for this half-term's club will be £10 to be paid on SchoolMoney.

Choir club, led by Mrs Taylor, will re-start on Thursdays after school and is free to attend. Laura Smith's Key-Stage 2 Re-charge club will continue every Friday from 3.20-4.15pm and is free of charge. The children (and Laura) are really enjoying the club – if your child is interested in joining, please let Mrs Bryden know.

### **School lunches:**

Please could we request that school lunches are paid for in advance as we are currently up to £900 in outstanding lunch payments. Thank you in advance for your support with this.

### **Dates for your Summer 1:**

**Please note that dates for various events will be added to this list throughout the term and so please check dates weekly to keep up to date.**

- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May – School closed for Bank Holiday
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May 12-1pm – VE day whole-school picnic
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May – Year 6 SATs tests
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 3.20pm – End of half-term
- Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June 8.45am – Start of summer term 2 (PLEASE NOTE THAT OUR HALF-TERM DATES ARE DIFFERENT TO OTHER LOCAL SCHOOLS)

Kind Regards



Mrs A Bewsher – Headteacher