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Newsletter #2 – Summer Term

Dear Parents and Carers,

Wednesday 21st Plans

Just a reminder that on Wednesday 21st May we will not have access to the hall or kitchen as we have a funeral party using the village hall all day. Therefore lunches will be in school and children will need to have a packed lunch.

For all children in Rec - Year 2 and FSM children, we will be providing a packed lunch for your child based on the sandwich choice you made for when trips occur. **For everyone else, your child will need to bring in a packed lunch from home.**

To help accommodate the extra cars expected for the event, please avoid parking in the church car park at pick-up time. To ease the traffic outside school at pick up, Classes One and Two, along with any siblings from Classes Three and Four, will be dismissed at the earlier time of 3pm. The rest of our pupils from Classes Three and Four will leave at the usual time. All after school clubs will continue as planned.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Menu changes from after May 1/2 term

Helen (our cook) would like to make some changes to the menu from the May half term until the end of the Summer term. As we are part way through a menu, we can't change it in Arbor, so we've listed the changes below. If, based on these changes, you need to change your child's lunch options, then please do so within the 7 day deadline in order to not be charged for the meal.

Week commencing 2nd, 16th & 30th June, 14th July

Thursday - Chilli con carne (both meat and veg option) **will now be** Chicken or Vegetable Korma both with rice a naan bread.

Week commencing 9th & 23rd June, 7th July

Tuesday - Cottage pie (both meat and veg option) **will now be** Salmon & broccoli quiche or cheese and onion quiche both with coleslaw & new potatoes

Thursday - Sausage & mash (both meat and veg option) **will now be** Sausages or veg sausages in a bun both with beans and corn on cob

Key Dates to Remember

Don't forget to check the dates section of the newsletter for some important upcoming events. Please make sure you've noted down the date for Sports Day, the Key Stage Two performance of The Wizard of Oz and the Year Six Leavers Service. We're looking forward to these exciting events.

Class Updates

Class Two is having a fantastic time learning the ukulele with Patsy from Cumbria Music Hub. They've made incredible progress in just two weeks!

The whole school has been enjoying the lovely sunny weather this week. Class Three has been busy in the wildlife area, classifying leaves, while Class Four had an amazing time kayaking on Lake Windermere. A group of Key Stage Two pupils also had a great time at Netball Club.



A Big Congratulations

Lastly, a huge well done to our Year Six pupils for completing their SATs this week! We are so proud of all the pupils for giving their very best. A special thank you to Mrs. Hadwin and the Year Six staff team for making the week so special for the pupils.

National Online Safety

This week's free guide from National Online Safety is about the popular online game Minecraft.

<https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/old-hutton-cofe-school>

Thanks for your continued support,
Nick

Attendance in School

Whole School Attendance	95.9%
W/C Monday 5th May	98.24%
W/C Monday 12th May	97.51%

Key Dates

Saturday 17th May	Plant Sale at Levens Village Hall
Friday 23rd May	Break Up for Half Term
Monday 2nd June	Return to School
Tuesday 10th June – Friday 13rd June	Class Four Residential
Tuesday 17th June at 1.15pm	Sports Day
Thursday 10th July at 6.30pm	Key Stage Two's Performance of Wizard of Oz
Thursday 17th July at 1pm	Year Six Leavers Service

School Year dates 2024-25

Summer Term 2025

Half Term Holiday: Monday 26th May – Friday 30th May

School Year dates 2025-26

Autumn Term 2025

Staff training day Monday 1st & Tuesday 2nd September

Wednesday 3rd September – Friday 19th December (2pm finish)

Half Term Holiday: Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October

Spring Term 2026

Staff training day Tuesday 6th January

Wednesday 7th January – Friday 27th March (2pm finish)

Half Term Holiday: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February

Summer Term 2026

Monday 13th April – Friday 17th July (2pm finish)

Early May Bank Holiday: Monday 4th May

Half Term Holiday: Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May

2025/2026 Nursery Application Dates

When your child turns 3	Recommended time to apply	When your child would start nursery
1 April to 31 August 2025	7 January to 4 April 2025	3 September 2025
1 September to 31 December 2025	22 April to 18 July 2025	7 January 2026
1 January 2026 to 31 March 2026	3 September to 19 December 2026	13 April 2026

2025/2026 Secondary School Application Dates

The closing date for applications for September 2026 is 31 October 2025

2025/2026 Reception Primary School Application Dates

The closing date for applications for September 2026 is 15 January 2026

For all applications please

visit <https://legacy.westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk/childrensservices/schoolsandlearning/lss/schooladmissions.asp> for further information on how to apply.