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Newsletter #3 – Spring Term

Minotaur the Musical

A huge thank you to everyone who supported yesterday's performances of Minotaur the Musical. The Class Three and Four pupils did an amazing job, their singing, dancing and acting were absolutely brilliant. It was wonderful to see their confidence and teamwork shine on stage and the effort they put into rehearsals really paid off. We are incredibly proud of all the pupils for their hard work and enthusiasm in making the performances such a success.

Thank you to Miss Harrison, Miss Brown and to all the school staff for leading the production!

Reading Books

We seem to be missing quite a few school reading books, please can you look at home and return them, no matter how long you've had them.

Nursery Rhymes

Attached to this week's newsletter, you'll find some lovely information from Westmorland Council to enjoy with your children. It includes nursery rhymes you can sing together, ideas for stories to share during the winter months and simple activities to enjoy outdoors as a family. We hope these resources inspire some cosy moments and fun time spent learning and playing together.

National Online Safety

This week's National Online Safety guide is about the computer game Roblox. The guide highlights risks around the online chat aspect of the game and the dangers of excessive play.

These weekly guides are from National Online Safety, to create your own free account, please click on the link below.

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

Thanks for your continued support.

Nick

Attendance in School

Whole School Attendance	96.3%
Attendance W/C 7 th January	98.32%
Attendance W/C 12 th January	96.81%
Attendance W/C 19 th January	96.64%



Key Dates

Friday 6 th February	Crazy Hair Day for the PTA
Wednesday 11 th March – Thursday 12 th March	Class Three Residential Visit to York
Wednesday 11 th March	Year Five Day Visit to London
Monday 23 rd March	Deadline for the PTA's Easter Egg Competition
Friday 27 th March	Break Up for Easter Holiday at 2pm
Wednesday 1 st July	Sports Day at 1.15pm
Thursday 16 th July	Year Six Leavers Service at 1.30pm

School Year dates 2025-26

Spring Term 2026

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

School Year dates 2026-27

Autumn Term 2026

Wednesday 2nd September – Friday 18th December (2pm finish)

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

Spring Term 2027

Tuesday 5th January – Thursday 25th March (2pm finish)

Half Term Holiday: Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February

Summer Term 2028

Monday 12th April – Friday 16th July (2pm finish)

Half Term Holiday: Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June

2025/2026 Nursery Applications – We now accept nursery pupils from the day after they turn 3. Please contact school for the application process