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Newsletter #2 – Summer Term

40 for 40 Update

A huge well done to my amazing running partners Yolande and Deborah, who practised leg one of our 40 for 40 run last Saturday, reaching the summit of Helvellyn!

I'm also excited to share that our t-shirts arrived earlier this week, if you would like one please come and speak to me at school.

Thank you so much to everyone who has sponsored us so far, it truly means the world and keeps us motivated every step of the way. If you are in a position to do so, please click on the link below to donate.

In next week's newsletter, I will give details of the pupil challenge linked to the 40 for 40 event. The pupil challenge will start on Tuesday 5th May and last until Saturday 13th June.

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/40for40run...>

If you'd like to find out more or get involved with the event, please join us for a meeting at school at 4.15pm on Tuesday 5th May.

Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who attended our Book Fair this week. It was wonderful to see so many of our pupils excited to buy new books across Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Your support helps to foster a real love of reading within our school community.

We also continue to enjoy sharing stories together at the end of each school day. Class Three have particularly loved listening to *Loki: A Bad God's Guide to Being Good* by Louie Stowell, which they happily finished in the sunshine this week.

After School Clubs

This week, we have also been delighted to see 50 pupils taking part in our after-school clubs, including football, netball, drama, Lego and rounders. It's fantastic to see such enthusiasm and participation across a wide range of activities. Our extra-curricular clubs play an important role in enriching pupils' experiences and it's great that they continue to be so well supported.

Flute Performance

Finally, thank you to everyone who came along to support Class Four's short flute performance on Tuesday afternoon. The pupils have made fantastic progress since beginning their flute lessons in January, it was a pleasure to share their achievements with you. I would also like to extend our sincere thanks to Patsy from Cumbria Music Service for all her hard work and dedication in supporting the pupils on their musical journey.



National Online Safety

This week's National Online Safety guide explores AI-generated videos and the dangers they pose to young people, including deepfakes, misinformation and manipulation.

To create your own free National Online Safety 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%
W/C Monday 13th April 2026	87.84%
W/C Monday 20th April 2026	97.03%

Key Dates

Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May	KS2 SATs
Thursday 11th June	Preschool Open Afternoon for New Families
Saturday 13th June	40 for 40 Run
Tuesday 23rd June – Thursday 25th June	Year 5/6 Residential to Edinburgh
Wednesday 8th July	Sports Day at 1.15pm
Friday 10th July	School Reports Out
Monday 13th July	School Open Evening at 3.20pm – 5.20pm
Thursday 16th July	Year Six Leavers Service at 1.30pm

School Year dates 2025-26

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

For all applications please

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