



Newsletter #11 – Summer Term

Bikeability

Well done to our Year 3 pupils for completing their Level 1 Bikeability training and to our Year 5 pupils for completing their Level 1 and Level 2 training. Both year groups learnt how to start and stop safely on the playground and how to observe over their shoulder. The Year 5 pupils, as part of their Level 2 training, then had the opportunity to ride on the roads around the village. Thank you to the Bikeability instructors for spending three days in school working with our pupils.





Parking

We have had a number of concerned members of the public, in and out of our Old Hutton village community, raise concerns regarding parked vehicles where the red crosses are. This is proving a hazard for people turning out of the road (to the right of the crosses) as it obstructs their view when exiting that road to traffic coming down the hill from the right. Please do not park there.

When dropping off and picking up, please park considerately making sure that you don't block or turn in anyone's driveway.

Paddleboarding and Climbing

On Tuesday, a group of our Year 5/6 pupils went paddleboarding on Lake Windermere. The weather conditions finally allowed the pupils to stand up on their paddleboards! It was amazing to see how much balance and coordination the pupils had.

On Wednesday, our Year Four had their final climbing session of the year. It has been brilliant to see the progress the pupils have made over the nine hours of lessons. During the session, the pupils had the opportunity to visit the brand new bouldering room!

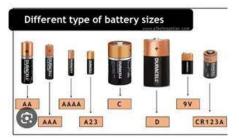


Tennis Courts

Please find attached to the newsletter email a consultation letter from Helm Youth Club. The letter explains that they are looking to refurbish the existing tennis courts that our pupils use every day. I believe that a refurbished tennis court will not only benefit our pupils but the whole community. If you would like to share your thoughts, please click on the link in the attached letter.

Battery Recycling - Now In School

We are now part of a battery recycling scheme. If you have any dead batteries at home, please bring them in. We accept the below as well as button (or cell), mobile phone, laptop and power tool batteries. Please pop them in Angela's office. All lithium batteries should have both terminals taped over.



National College

National Online Safety and The National College have recently joined forces to create an amazing website full of brilliant resources. If you would like a free membership to the platform, please click on the link below. https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/old-hutton-cofe-school

This week's guide is about how you can help promote a love of early writing with your child.

Thanks for your continued support. Nick

Attendance in School

Whole School Attendance	94.3%
Attendance for W/C 16.4.24	90.62%
Attendance for W/C 22.4.24	91.83%
Attendance for W/C 29.4.24	95.16%
Attendance for W/C 6.5.24	97.38%
Attendance for W/C 13.5.24	95.91%
Attendance for W/C 20.5.24	92.42%
Attendance for W/C 3.6.24	94.24%
Attendance for W/C 10.6.24	95.07%
Attendance for W/C 17.6.24	94.66%
Attendance for W/C 24.6.24	93.82%
Attendance for W/C 1.7.24	94.

Key Dates

Event	Date
Open Night	Monday 8 th July 3.30pm – 5.20pm
Class Three Ukulele Concert	Wednesday 10 th July 1pm – 2pm
Adult vs Pupils Rounders Match	Wednesday 10 th July 3.30pm – 4.30pm
Leavers' Service	Wednesday 17 th July 1pm – 2pm
Leavers' Tea	Wednesday 17 th July 2pm – 3pm
Last day of term	Friday 19 th July (2pm finish)

School Year dates 2023-24

Summer Term 2024

Tuesday 16th April – Friday 19th July (2pm finish)

School Year dates 2024-25

<u>Autumn Term 2024</u> Staff training day Monday 2nd & Tuesday 3rd September Wednesday 4th September – Friday 20th December (2pm finish)

Half Term Holiday: Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November

Spring Term 2025

Staff training day Monday 6th January Tuesday 7th January – Friday 4th April (2pm finish) **Half Term Holiday:** Monday 17th February – Friday 21st February

Summer Term 2025

Tuesday 22nd April – Friday 18th July (2pm finish) Early May Bank Holiday: Monday 5th May **Half Term Holiday:** Monday 26th May – Friday 30th May

2024/2025 Nursery Application Dates

When your child turns 3	Recommended time to apply	When your child would start nursery
1 September to 31 December 2024	16 April to 19 July 2024	7 January 2025
1 January to 31 March 2025	4 September to 20 December 2024	22 April 2025

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 2025 is 31 October 2024

2025/2026 Reception Primary School Application Dates

The closing date for applications for September 2025 is 15 January 2025

For all applications please

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