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Swimming

Swimming at Shap has gone really well this week. It has been amazing to see how happy our children have been in the water and watching how quickly some of our children have progressed by going each day. They should be very proud of themselves. I wish our parents could have been a fly on the wall. Fortunately, the weather has been on our side which has been very helpful. Thank you for your support in providing clean dry swimming things each day

Next week!

Next week is extremely busy in school but promises to be great fun. We have the following happening each day:

Monday School Photos
Tuesday 9.30-11.30am Stay and Play
KS2 Ceilidh dancing with Chris and Olive Bland in school. This is in preparation for the Jubilee Ceilidh on 3rd June—see attached
Classes 1 & 2 Wildlife tour of Tebay services & estate—see separate letter.



Wednesday 1950's Morning—We will be welcoming into school, guests who attended or were connections of Orton School in the 1950's to share their experiences of school with our current pupils. We will also be sharing the recording of Orton School on the BBC in 1954 with our invited guests. We will share this more widely after this special event.

Thursday Young Voices for Years 4, 5 & 6
Friday Platinum Jubilee lunch / Party.
Children invited to come dressed in red, White and blue or as a member of the Royal family (past or present)
2.50pm Stars
3.30pm Break Up—Have a great holiday and platinum Jubilee celebration.



School Photographs

Tempest will be in school on Monday to take school photographs. Please make sure your child comes to school in smart uniform that day. Younger and older siblings can join us from 8.30am for family groups.



Stars

Our next Stars is Friday 27th May at 2.50pm. Visitors are welcome to join us in school for our Stars Celebration! We hope you can join us.

We have also set up a zoom for anyone who finds that more convenient.

<https://uso4web.zoom.us/j/74996457778?pwd=IHbvHwHwZEUZcYA7TvtcTxYnNCZUt.1>

Cakes for Wednesday

We have around 30 former pupils or connections of Orton school in the 1950's joining us on Wednesday morning to share memories of Orton school in 1950's with the children and each other and also to hear the recording of 'Orton School on the BBC' from 1954.

Many of our guests are travelling quite a distance to be with us for this special occasion. FOOS are providing refreshments but would love some homemade cakes to share with our VIPS. If you could provide a cake for our guests it would be much appreciated. They can be dropped off in school on Tuesday or Wed morning.



Thank you to Adam at edenedenrecycling.co.uk for taking away the old library shelving and play house. You have really helped us out and we really appreciate it.

Next weekend, Saturday 28 May, sees the first of the events celebrating the Queen's Jubilee. Join us at 2pm for a family-friendly walk starting at the Market Hall, taking in the Scar and the Stone circle, with a quiz and treasure hunt along the way.

Summer Holiday Club

We are please to let you know that following last years success we are planning to run a holiday club again this year for 1 week W/c 25th July 2022.

Further details to follow.



Diary Dates



All diary dates are subject to last minute change. More details will follow near the time.

23.5.22	Tempest School Photos
24.5.22	Class 1 & 2 Tebay Services Wildlife tour
25.5.22	1950's reunion & Memories — invited guests
26.5.22	Young Voices
27.5.22	Platinum Jubilee Party & Lunch
27.6.22	2.50pm Stars—All welcome
27.5.22	End of half term—break up
3-5.6.22	Platinum Jubilee Weekend
6.6.22	Queens Jubilee Extra holiday
7.6.22 (Tues)	9am Term Starts
7.6.22	9.30-11.30am 1st Stay and Play of the half term
8.6.22	Open Morning for Prospective Families
9.6.22	SCARF Workshops instead of Life Bus
11.6.22	Greenholme Show
W/c 13.6.22	The Rewilding Project on the School Field
15.6.22	Big Sing Appleby —Class 3
15.6.22	Wilding Theatre Workshops
15.6.22	6.30pm KSGS Yr6 Open Evening
17.6.22	Year 6 Leavers Service at Carlisle Cathedral
17.6.22	The Wilding Theatre Project—Show
19.6.22	FOOS Big Breakfast
20.6.22—24.6.22	Class 4 Residential to IOM
W/c 27.6.22	School Swimming—Every afternoon Shap Pool
28.6.22	Class 4 Science visit to Ulswater CC
29.6.22	Yr4 & 5 Rugby Festival Settlebeck
30.6.22	Sports Day
1.7.22	9.15am Stars
4.7.22	2pm Music Concert—All welcome
5.7.22	Wheelchair Basketball
7.7.22	Moving Up Day
12.7.22	Reserve Sports Day
15.7.22	2.50pm Stars
18.7.22	End of Year Show
20.7.22	9.30am End of Term Service
20.7.22	Break Up for Summer