



Cumberworth First School Newsletter

23rd October 2019

Recent Letters:

14 Sept: Harvest Appeal -
Non-uniform Day - All

14 Oct: Remembrance Day
Service - Yr 5

23 Oct: Operation Christmas
Child Leaflets - All

Please check book bags
regularly for letters

Please think before you park

There have been numerous
complaints raised with
regards to unsafe parking
outside of the school.

Please be mindful when
parking for school drop off
and pick up. The Police and
Kirklees Council constantly
monitor the situation.

Please share this with
friends, family and carers
who may drive to school.

**We break up for
half term on Friday
25th October and
re-open to the
children on Tuesday
5th November.**

Harvest Service

Friday 25th October at 14:30

Our Harvest Service is on Friday 25th October at 14:30 in St Nicholas' Church. You are all most welcome to attend and all the children will be involved in the service. There will be no Stars' Assembly that day.

Following the service Helping Hands will have a Cake Stall in the gym at school. We would be very grateful for your donations of goods for the stall - either homemade or shop bought. Your contributions should be sent in to school on the Friday morning please. We thank you in advance for your support.

NSPCC

Volunteers from the NSPCC visited school last week and held assemblies for the children. They also lead a workshop for the Yr 5 children. Unfortunately they were not able to go ahead with the Parents' Workshop as planned, but hopefully this will be rearranged for a future date.

Thank you for your understanding with regard to the last minute cancellation of the Parents' event, which was completely beyond our control.

Family Group Day - Keeping Safe

Our Family Group Day is on Thursday 24th October. The children may come to school in non-uniform and will be split into their family groups. They will rotate around five different activities remaining in their family groups for the whole day. These activities will include firework safety, road safety, household substance safety, electrical safety and stranger danger.

Applications to School Admissions

All applications for a place at school, whether it be for Reception, Middle or Junior School for next September must be made online.

Please don't miss the deadline of 15th January 2020.

<https://enrol.kirklees.gov.uk>

Please note that Football and Computing Club both finish at the end of this half term.

Dinner Money

Dinner Money is £2.25 per day for children in KS2 and is payable through ParentPay. Please make payment in advance and ensure your account remains in credit. Thank you.

Dates for your diary:

24th Oct - Family Day

25th Oct - Harvest Service 14:30 at St Nicholas Church followed by Helping Hands Cake Stall in the Gym.

25th Oct - Break up

5th Nov - School re-opens to children

18th Nov - All shoeboxes in please

Parents' Evenings:

12th Nov - 17:00 - 19:00

13th Nov - 16:00 - 18:00

20th Nov - 18:00 - 20:00

Christmas Performances (details to follow):

12 Dec - 14:00 All children needed

12 Dec - 18:15 All children needed

13 Dec - 09:30 All children needed

Sporting Heroes

Congratulations to our KS2 Girls' football team who won the football tournament at Scissett Middle School this week. What a fantastic achievement. Well done!



Also a massive well done to Paige who recently took part in the Kirklees School Games Cross Country Finals. Her brilliant 10th place has resulted in her progressing to the West Yorkshire Level 3 Finals.

Our Yr 5 children will be representing the school at a Remembrance Day Service in Birdsedge on 11th November.

Helping Hands Christmas Fayre

Friday 6th December
3:40pm - 5:15pm

More details to follow
soon



Operation Christmas Child - Shoebox Appeal

A special assembly was held this week to explain to the children about Operation Christmas Child. Leaflets have been sent out in book bags. Please ensure that all boxes are in school by Monday 18th November.

Stay & Play for Reception

Families and friends of Reception children are welcome to join them in class for a Stay & Play session from 14:30 on Friday 22nd November.

Upholding Christian values, together we ENJOY our learning, ENRICH our lives and EXCEL by making the most of our talents and gifts.