

CUMBERWORTH FIRST SCHOOL Newsletter 26th November 2021

Supporting the Wider Community

We are delighted that in these difficult times our parents, children and staff are showing their support for the wider community and those less fortunate. During this term we have already:

made a huge donation of non-perishable food items to The Welcome Centre;

collected 38 shoeboxes for children overseas;

raised money for the Poppy Appeal (we don't know the amount yet);

raised £288.00 for Children in Need

This is an exceptional effort in difficult times. Thank you all.

Head Teacher's Award

Congratulations to Louie who is this week's recipient of the Head Teacher's Award.



If you think a child or young person in Kirklees is experiencing abuse or neglect please contact:

Children's Social Care - Duty and Advice Team: 01484 456848

For more information about safeguarding children visit: www.kirkleessafeguardingchildren.co.uk

The Safeguarding Leads for this school are: Maggie Walker and Marina Davis Contact No: 01484 609818

Email: head@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk
or office@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk

Applications to School Admissions

A reminder that 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 2022.

www.kirklees.gov.uk/addmissions

<u>Please think before you park</u>

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.

Christmas Cards

Our Post Box will be in the corridor from Wednesday 1st
December for the children to use to send their Christmas
cards to people in school. As the children in Class Penguin &
Class Puffin are not currently coming into school through
the main entrance there will be a tray / box in their rooms
for their cards. ALL cards for school should be put into the
trays or post box please - children are encouraged not to
hand them out. Cards can be brought in until Wednesday
15th December. No cards please after this date as there
will be no time to sort and distribute them. Thank you for
your support.



School Christmas Dinner

Don't forget that our
Christmas Dinner this year will
be on

Wednesday 15th December.

Children are welcome to wear their Christmas jumpers or come in non-uniform that day.

Thank you.

Library Books

All library books are being collected in prior to Christmas. If your child has not yet brought theirs back please return it as soon as possible. Thank you.

Please note that if school was to close, due to either snow or an emergency ie boiler failure, a text message will be sent to advise.

These events are, fortunately, not very frequent but I'm sure you will recall the difficult weather conditions that we had in January & February this year. They proved challenging for many of us.

Christmas Holidays

We break up on Friday 17th December 2021
We re-open to children on Wednesday 5th January 2022