



# CUMBERWORTH FIRST SCHOOL

## Newsletter 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Our Christian values: Friendship, Love, Kindness, Self-Control, Forgiveness and Respect.

**St Nicholas' Award – congratulations to:**

**William T & Carys**

**Who are the recipients this half term. Well done!**

**Today is our last Stars' Assembly of the academic year.**

**Our Year 5 Leavers' Service will be on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July in school.**

Stars of the week ★ ★

Class Hedgehog

George Emmeline Carys

Archie Henry Oliver Noah

Class Owl

Benjamin Daisy Lilia

James Vinnie

Class Caribbean

Henry H Delilah Darcey

Elijah Bella

Class Pacific

Jacob William Matilda Maisie F

Minnie Harry I Logan

Ava Heidi Georgie Maisie S Layla W

### Pre-loved uniform sale

A reminder - Helping hands will run a pre-loved uniform sale on 20<sup>th</sup> July at 3:15pm in the school gym.

### School Meal - Price Increase

A reminder - From September 2023 the price of school dinners will increase to £2.55 per day. Children in reception, Year 1 & 2 will continue to receive Universal Infant Free School Meals. Unless your family is in receipt of Statutory (means tested) Free School Meals, all children from Year 3 (in Sept) to Year 5 will need to pay for dinners and ensure that their dinner money accounts are in credit.

### Freeze Pop Fridays

Helping hands will be running a 'freeze pop' stall on the 14th July and 21st July from 3:30pm – 3:50pm in the playground. Please can parents take their children to the stall. If your child attends Sunshine club on these days and you would like them to be able to buy a freeze pop, please send money in a named envelope. Freeze pops will be 50p each.



### We currently have vacancies on our Governing Body for Foundation Governors.

Our governing board is made up of people from the school and wider community. To allow our school to operate effectively we need a board of Governors to support and challenge the senior leadership team. We currently have 3 vacancies for Foundation Governors. You don't need to have any specific skills just a desire to support our school.

Foundation governors are appointed to the governing boards of voluntary controlled and voluntary aided schools to preserve the religious character of the school.

Our current Governors are from a variety of backgrounds including Further Education, IT, Accountancy, Healthcare Sector, Facilities Management, Food and Beverage Manufacturing. They all bring different skills and experience to the Governing Body.

We need your skills and our friendly Governing Body will support you.

If you have any questions or would like to find out how to apply please contact our Chair of Governors - [keely.carleton@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk](mailto:keely.carleton@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk)



*Come and join us and make a difference!*

#### About the role

##### As a governor, what will I do?

The governing board has a strategic role with three key functions:  
Approving the budget and overseeing the financial performance of the school to make sure money is well spent  
Appointing and holding the headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils  
Ensuring clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction

As a governor you will not be involved with the day-to-day running of the school. Governors normally attend meetings in the evening, read and comment on reports and visit the schools to see first hand the impact of their work. We do support school events and help to raise money through events such as sleepovers, cinema nights, school fayres.

##### What's in it for me?

As well as being extremely rewarding, being part of a governing board will give you experience of working at a strategic level and the opportunity to learn and practice skills that have a direct relevance to employers. These include:

- strategic leadership
- budget control
- data analysis
- staff recruitment
- building relationships and networks
- effective teamworking
- communication
- problem solving
- influencing/negotiation

Just as importantly, your involvement and commitment to our school could make a massive difference to the future of young people and our community. Your input will help the school to improve and its children to get the best education possible.

##### I'm interested. What next?

Speak to the Business Manager in school or email our Chair of Governors - [keely.carleton@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk](mailto:keely.carleton@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk)

### Operation Encompass.

We are an Operation Encompass School, supporting child victims of domestic abuse.

Please visit [operationencompass.org](http://operationencompass.org) for more information.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead for this school is: Debbie Davis and the Deputy Safeguarding Lead is Karen Robinson  
Contact No: 01484 609818. Email: [head@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk](mailto:head@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk) or [office@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk](mailto:office@cumberworthfirstschool.co.uk)

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](http://www.kirkleessafeguardingchildren.co.uk)



# THE ART ROOM

## SUMMER CLUB

A WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES INCLUDING PAINTING, DRAWING, PRINTING, SCULPTURE, PHOTOGRAPHY, FILM MAKING, ANIMATION, POTTERY, STREET ART, ANIME, SCI FI, SUPER CARS AND MONSTER TRUCKS, ANIMAL ART, FASHION DESIGN, TEXTILES, COLLAGE, ART WALKS, MASK MAKING, MAKE UP ART, SPRAY PAINTING

**RUNNING MONDAY TO THURSDAY EVERY WEEK BETWEEN 24TH JULY AND 31ST AUGUST**

**9AM TILL 1PM**  
**£27.50 PER PLACE**

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**FREE PLACES WITH LUNCH INCLUDED ARE AVAILABLE FOR FAMILIES IN RECEIPT OF BENEFITS RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS. COURTESY OF DEPARTMENT FOR EDUCATION: HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AND FOOD PROGRAMME**

**WINKLES SCHOOLS OUT!**

UNIT 1A, SPRINGFIELD MILL, NORMAN ROAD, DENBY DALE, HUDDERSFIELD, WEST YORKSHIRE, HD8 8TH

# PRE-SEASON FRIENDLIES JULY

**LIVERSEEDGE FC**  
TUES (H)  
18 JULY  
7.30PM KO

**1986**  
FRI (H)  
21 JULY  
7.30PM KO

**Ticket prices for July:**  
Adult £4, Concessions £2  
U13s Free

**FANTASTIC MEDIA WELFARE GROUND, HD8 9RE**

## SPONSOR A SEAT

Help boost our ground redevelopment plans this summer by sponsoring a seat for £50

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# Free Family Days Out with BARNSELY MUSEUMS this SUMMER

**Brilliant Birds**  
Monday, 31 July and Thursday, 24 August  
Fly along to the walled garden this summer to have a go at making a bird at this free family workshop.  
**Free, drop-in, 10am-2pm**

**Rowland Rook and Friends bodacious bird trail**  
Throughout summer  
Can you find Rowland and all his feathered friends in the walled garden and Hall?  
**Free, drop-in during Museum opening times. Saturday 22 July - Saturday 3 September**  
**All events are free and drop-ins**

**Pear Day**  
Sunday, September 24th  
Celebrate Cannon Hall's world-renowned pear collection on this family fun day packed with FREE activities. Meet the cook in the Victorian Kitchens, hunt for the Pear Guardians on our Pear Trail, and try your hand at some pear-inspired crafts. There will also be an artisan market its the perfect weekend trip.  
**Free drop-in, 11am to 3pm**

**Animal Trail**  
Throughout Summer  
In the Wagonway glade you will discover a whole host of wonderful wildlife. Spot all the amazing animals and pick up your sticker from the gift shop.

**Worsbrough's Wonderful Wildlife Creations**  
Tuesday 1 and Wednesday 16 August  
Find us in the learning hut in the mill yard and have a go at making some awesome art inspired by the wildlife found around the country park.  
**Free, drop-in. 10am-12pm and 1pm-3pm**

**Worsbrough History Day**  
Friday 15 and Saturday 16 September  
Join us for Worsbrough History Day, there will be activities, family trails and lots of opportunities to explore the Mill and Country Park. **Check website for further details**  
**All events are free and drop-ins**

**Marvellous Machines Trail**  
Until Friday 18 August  
Can you find all the awesome inventions and cool constructions hidden around Elsecar Heritage Centre?

**Elsecar by the Sea Trail - Summer Trail**  
Saturday 19 August-3 September  
Inspired by the incredible story of the 'seaside resort at the heart of the Yorkshire coalfield', search out hidden seaside objects and collect words to make a popular summer song. **Free, drop-in during museum opening hours. 19 August-3 September.**

# Free Family Days Out with BARNSELY MUSEUMS this SUMMER

**The Marvellous McLintock Mouse trail**  
Until Saturday 16 September  
McLintock the mouse is curious and wants to explore the museum. There are some surprising spots for a mouse to discover! Find all the hiding places in the museum and Tailor Made exhibition and collect your sticker from the gift shop and wear it with pride. Don't forget to check out the free family activities in the Tailor Made exhibition.  
**Free, drop-in during museum opening times** **Free, Drop-in**

**Dig This! Archaeology Day**  
Friday 28 July  
Ever wondered what it would be like to be an archaeologist? Come along and roll your sleeves up and join us making ancient clay pots, digging for treasure and creating your own roman hoard.  
**Free, drop-in. 11am-2pm** **Free, Drop-in**

**Reds Day:**  
**A day of football fun**  
Tuesday 8 August  
Calling all football fans! Join us for a day of free family fun celebrating Barnsley FC with crafts, games, football facts and much, much more.  
**A must for all reds supporters COYR.**  
**Free, drop-in. 11am-2pm** **Free, Drop-in**

**SENSational**  
Monday 14 August  
Book on this multisensory experience for families with PMLD, autism and who are neurodiverse. Experience Barnsley's signature museum in a way you never have before. **Free, places are limited so booking is essential. 11am-12noon and 1pm-2pm. Book via Eventbrite**

**The Forest of Fontainebleau**  
Throughout summer  
A magical forest has sprung up in the gallery: a place to rest, play and use your imagination. Come along and meet our woodland friends, read a book or draw a picture. **Free, drop-in during gallery opening hours**

**Greta's Glorious Garden**  
Thursday 10 August  
Join us for a magical interactive performance featuring puppetry and shadow puppets.  
**Aimed at 3-7 years and lasts for around 30 minutes. Free. Booking is essential via Eventbrite. 10.30am, 11.30am, 1.30pm and 2.30pm**

**Lost Words in the Forest**  
Wednesday 2 August  
Take a journey with dance artist Tara Baker as she journeys through the forest and meets the creatures that live there in this unique workshop inspired by Macfarlane and Morris's book "The Lost Words".  
**Ages 5-7, 11am and ages 7 plus 1pm. Places are limited so please book via Art tickets. £3 per child**

**A Woodland Tale**  
Monday 21 and Friday 25 August  
Join our storyteller Julia in the forest as she shares an interactive story, and make your own woodland friend to take home.  
**Suitable for children aged 3-7 years. 10.30am, 11.30am, 1pm, 2pm and 3pm. Free but places are limited so please book via Eventbrite**

For more details on activities visit **www.barnsley-museums.com** or check out our social media **@Barnsley Museums**