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Dear Parents, Families and Children,

A warm welcome back to everyone; I hope you managed to relax over the half-term holiday.

It has been a lovely start to the half-term despite the very changeable weather! A huge well done to our Year 2 children who had a great time at the Multi-skills competition on Wednesday – they had a really enjoyed themselves, even though the hall was, ‘massive’!

Just a quick note to say, we are seeing a rise in sickness across the school as well as coughs and colds – it seems to be the time of year but, just to make you aware.

As always, take care and stay safe,

Gill

Headteacher Award

Our weekly Headteacher Award is always linked to our Christian Value; this half-term we are learning all about **Forgiveness**.

Our Headteacher Award’s this week have been awarded to;

Hill Top Class: Teddy

Dove Class: Sadie

Bluebird Class: Charlotte

Wainwright Class: Madison



BOOK OF THE WEEK

Alice Éclair Spy Extraordinaire



By day, 13-year-old Alice Éclair is a skilled baker, but by night, she is a spy. In this thrilling adventure, set in 1930s France, she must combine her skills as she embarks on a dangerous mission aboard a luxury steam train.



Breakfast Club; with Mrs Shaw and Mrs Pett. 8:00am – 8:45am

Attendance Week Ending:
21st October 2022

Hill Top Class –

Dove Class –

Bluebird –

Wainwright –

Whole School:

School lunches - if you are wanting your child to have school meals, please ensure menu selections are made via ParentPay no later than 10pm on a Thursday evening for the following week.

CLASS CHAMPIONS

HUGE Congratulations to this week’s Class Champions:

Hill Top Class: Alfie, thank you for always being so kind and helpful. You are a wonderful friend to everyone in Hill Top Class

Dove Class: You’ve come back this half term with a BANG! You’ve been full of kindness, positivity, thoughtfulness and hard-working attitude.

Bluebird Class: Elliott Hine-Morland for being so passionate and sharing his learning and knowledge about our history topic.

Wainwright Class: Billy Joe- You’re a joy to have in the classroom and it’s always a pleasure to see your big smile.

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Multi-Skills



Year 2 enjoyed an afternoon at Cartmel Priory School to take part in a Multi-Skills afternoon with other schools in our cluster group. Children loved their afternoon out of school learning new sports skills and came back with bundles of excitement and positive words about their afternoon.

Remembrance Service



Please join us at **10:15am** in the School Hall for our Remembrance Service followed by at 2 minutes silence at 11am.

Chat Play Share is a collection of wonderful resources that Cumbria County Council provide and add to frequently. Each Chat Play Share is based on a popular song or rhyme and includes the lyrics, links to the songs and ideas for activities.

The Second Nursery Rhyme in the collection is...1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Once I caught a fish alive

<https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/elibrary/Content/Internet/537/1459/7037/18068/44337144559.pdf>

READING AWARD

Hill Top Class: Hector

Dove Class: Annie

Bluebird Class: Imogen

Wainwright Class: Millie



TIME TABLES ROCKSTARS

Awards this week go to;

Daniel

Deon



Every Life Matters: <https://cumbriasafeguardingchildren.co.uk/training/parentalmentalhealthadditionalonlinetraining.asp>

SEN and Disability Information: <https://www.flookburgh.cumbria.sch.uk/sen-disability-information/>

Mental Health and Wellbeing - Useful Links: <https://www.flookburgh.cumbria.sch.uk/mental-health-and-wellbeing/>

Internet Safety Links

<https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre>



National Online Safety Details:

- www.nationalonlinesafety.com
- Twitter - @natonlinesafety
- Facebook - /NationalOnlineSafety
- Phone - 0800 368 8061

Adverse Weather School Closure Procedure: We shall send a text message to notify you of a school closure as early as possible on the day; further information about school closures can also be found on the Cumbria County Council website: https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/school_closures

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UPCOMING EVENTS AND CELEBRATIONS

WC 31st October

- Wednesday 2nd Nov – Multi Skills Y2 Cartmel Priory School
- Thursday 3rd November- Boxes of Hope to be brought into school

WC 7th November 2022

- Tuesday 8th November- Wizard of Oz Production for Years 4-6
- Wednesday 9th November – Boxes of Hope final day to be brought into school
- Wednesday 9th November- FOFS Meeting at 3.15pm - All Welcome
- Friday 11th November - Remembrance Service **in school** at **10:15am**

WC 14th November 2022

- Friday 18th November- Children in Need

WC 12th December 2022

- Monday 12th December - Stories Around the Christmas Tree at 6.00pm until 7.00pm with mulled wine and mince-pies for accompanying adults
- **Wednesday 14th December – Christmas Dinner Day**
- Wednesday 14th December - Nursery, Reception, Years 1 and 2 Nativity in church at 5.00pm **(Details to follow)**
- Thursday 15th December - Years 3-6 Christmas Production in school **(Details to follow)**
 - Afternoon performance at 2.00pm
 - Evening performance at 6pm

WC Monday 19th December 2022

- Monday 19th December - Christmas Parties for all classes
- Tuesday 20th December - School closes at 2pm for the Christmas Holidays

WC Monday 2nd January 2023

- Wednesday 4th January 2023 - Spring Term begins

WC 16th January 2023

- Parents' Meetings **(Details to follow)**