



BLACKFORD C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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The Little School with a Big Heart

8th September 2015

Dear Parents/Carers

Please find below some important information along with some diary dates for this half-term. Should you need any further information please ask any member of staff.

School Meals: As stated in the newsletter in July, school meal prices have increased to £2.25 per day (£11.25 per week).

Gardening Project: We would really appreciate your help with our raised flower beds at the back of the infant classroom. While you may be getting your own gardens tidied for winter or planting bulbs for Spring, would you please bear us in mind if you have any plants or bulbs that you could donate to us. We hope to get the children involved with the planting and maintaining of these flower beds. We hope to start this project as soon as possible (before the weeds come back!) with your kind donations.

School Clubs: Clubs will begin from next Monday and are as follows:

Monday: Gymnastics Club

Tuesday: Carlisle Utd – Dance Club (see below)

Wednesday: Art Club

Friday: Computer/Film Club. Running alternate weeks beginning with Computer Club.

Clubs run from **3.30pm – 4.30pm** and cost **£2** per night and have spaces for 14 children, **EXCEPT** Tuesdays Club run by Carlisle United. The price structure for this club depends on the amount of attendees, as follows: 10+ children £4.00, 12+ children £3.40, 14+ children £3.85 and 16+ children £2.50. This club must be prepaid and for this half term the price is **£4 per child (£24 up to half-term)**.

If you wish your child to attend any clubs, please inform me by Friday 11th September.

Yours sincerely

Mrs R Palmer
Administrator

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Diary Dates

- Friday 11th September** **The Knitted Bible** – Longtown Methodist Church.
Yrs 1 – 6 from 9.30am – 11.30am.
- Monday 14th September** **Reception photo** for Cumberland News
- Friday 25th September** **Harvest Festival**, in St. John's church, 2.45pm.
Parents are invited to attend.
Please bring any Harvest gifts into school in the morning.
- Monday 28th September** **Harvest Supper**, 7pm in School Hall.
- Friday 2nd October** **Tempest Photography**. Family groups can have
their photos taken from 8.45am.
- Thursday 15th October** **Open day** for 2016 new starters, 2.00pm –
3.00pm.
- Tuesday 20th October** **Reception Parents' evening** – 3.30pm – 6.00pm
(details to follow)
- Wednesday 21st October** **Yrs 1 – 6 Parents' evening** – 3.30pm – 6.30pm.
(details to follow)
Club is cancelled

Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October Half-Term

School Uniform

Please ensure all items of your child's school clothing are clearly named, including book bags, PE kit, shoes and coats.

PE KIT

Can all children bring their PE kits into school on Monday's.

