

20<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Dear Families,

I was looking through the diary and as usual there are lots of dates in the last half term. I have included those I know so far in the future diary dates so you can be prepared.

### **Clubs for Next Half Term**

Monday - Rounder's/cricket club £7 for the half term

Tuesday - Sewing club - £12 for the half term to cover the cost of the materials

Wednesday - Gymnastics club £7 for the 7 week half term

Please fill in the attached slip and return it with the money if your child would like to participate.

### **Reception/KS1 sports - Hornby Primary School**

The infant children will be taking part in a sports afternoon at Hornby Primary school. They will return to school for the end of the school day. Please could they all have their full PE kit in school.

### **Kid's Club**

There will be no Kid's Club this Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May and no Kid's club next half term.

### **Diddidance Wednesdays from 7<sup>th</sup> June**

After half term the reception children will no longer be going to Diddidance which means that we can open it up to toddlers from 18 months accompanied by their parents/carers. If you have or know of a toddler who would like to come please pass on the message and fill in the attached slip.

### **Field Day**

Field day will be held on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June

1:30pm Field day opens

2:00pm Fancy dress parade including judging

2:30pm Primary and Secondary Races

4:30pm Tea in the Village Hall

6:00pm Family Games

All are welcome the buffet is £5 for adults £2 for children and the local children eat for free.

Remember there are cash prizes for children taking part in the fancy dress and races.

Races will be run in year groups as usual.

**Donations of puddings/savoury items would be gratefully received and can be brought to the village hall on the end.**

## **Y6 Assemblies**

Every year the Y6 children prepare their own Assembly to talk to the school on a subject of their choice. The children have a small amount of time in school to prepare their assembly but may need to do extra preparation at home. All are welcome to come and watch the assemblies. The dates are as follows Wed 29<sup>th</sup> June- Joshua, Wed 6<sup>th</sup> July - Grace, Tues 12<sup>th</sup> July - Ellie, Wed 13<sup>th</sup> July - Jonathan.

## **Open Evenings for Secondary Schools - Y4/5 children**

It is time for children in Y4 and 5 to start making choices about secondary schools. If you are considering applying for a Grammar School it is important that you look in Y4 to give your child time to prepare for the test. If you need any advice please come and see Mr Corbett or myself.

Ripley St Thomas - Thurs July 7<sup>th</sup>

Lancaster Girl's Grammar - Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> June 5:30-8:00pm

Lancaster Royal Grammar - Sat 18<sup>th</sup> June 9am-1pm

Central High, Lancaster - Tues 5<sup>th</sup> July

Garstang High - September (Date to be arranged)

Dallam - Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> Sept

QES - September (Date to be arranged)

## **Cross Country - 1 mile run at Lancaster University**

Well done to our Y5/6 children who gave fantastic runs in the cross country race on Saturday. There were around 200 runners in each race. Thanks to Mr Corbett for giving up his time to help.

Yr 5 Boys Race: Jake 18<sup>th</sup>, Thomas 51<sup>st</sup>

Yr 6 Boys Race: Jonathan 24<sup>th</sup>.

Well done to them all and keep training for next year.

## **PE Kit**

Please could all children keep their PE Kit in school as where possible we will take advantage of the nice weather for extra PE.

Mrs Fiona Ip  
Headteacher

## **Diary Dates**

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> May - Running Club - 4:30pm

Tues 24<sup>th</sup> May - Cookie club - 4:30pm

Wed 25<sup>th</sup> May - Gymnastics club- 4:30pm  
Fri 27<sup>th</sup> May - Family Assembly Y3 celebration of work - 3:15pm All welcome  
Fri 27<sup>th</sup> May- School finishes for half term  
Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June - Field day

### **Future Diary Dates**

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> June- School re-opens  
Mon 6<sup>th</sup> June - Rounder's club-4:30pm  
Tues 7<sup>th</sup> June - club- 4:30pm  
Wed 8<sup>th</sup> June - Gymnastics Club- 4:30pm  
Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> June- Ripley Induction Evening Y6  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> June - KS1 sports at Hornby  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> June - NO Family Assembly due to sports for KS1 at Hornby  
Tues 14<sup>th</sup> June- Whole school photograph (weather permitting)  
Fri 17<sup>th</sup> June- Sponsored walk -Clougha Pike to raise money for the new classroom.  
Mon 20<sup>th</sup> June - New Reception in all day  
Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> June- Ripley Transition Day  
Mon 27<sup>th</sup> June - New Reception in all day + New parents meeting 3:30pm  
Wed 29<sup>th</sup> June - Joshua's Assembly 3:10pm  
Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> June - Reports out  
Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> June - New Reception Swimming  
Fri 1<sup>st</sup> July - KS2 Olympics Festival- LRGS  
Mon 4<sup>th</sup> July - New Reception in all day  
Wed 6<sup>th</sup> July - Grace's Assembly  
Fri 8<sup>th</sup> July - Trip to West End school and Morecambe Beach  
Mon 11<sup>th</sup> July - New Reception in all day  
Tues 12<sup>th</sup> July - Ellie's Assembly  
Wed 13<sup>th</sup> July - Jonathan's Assembly  
Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> July - Parents afternoon/ evening to discuss reports  
Wed 20<sup>th</sup> July - Awards Assembly 2:30pm  
Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> July - Leavers' Ball 6:30-8:30pm  
Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> July - Leavers' Assembly 12- 1pm  
Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> July - School closes for summer 1pm

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I would like my child/children.....to attend  
Diddance on Wednesdays.

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