



## HIGH HESKET C of E SCHOOL (VC)

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Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Dear Parents & Carers,

With only four weeks to go until the end of the academic year, the days feel as though they are flying by! We have already been busy with sleepovers, school trips, sporting events and much more! Not to mention all of the activities that are still to come! Thank you so much for all your patience with the different dates and for the many letters & reminders we have sent out.

### PTA Fun Run

Thank you so much for everyone's support and fundraising for our PTA fun run which took place a couple of weeks ago. Despite the promise of bad weather, we managed to go ahead and our Year 6 children did a brilliant job of getting the children warmed up and supervising the different obstacles. A huge thank you to our fabulous PTA for organising the event and we were amazed by the generosity of everyone who sponsored the children. We raised an unbelievable £920!

### Year 3 Bright Stars

Another massive thank you has to go to everyone who has supported our Year 3 enterprise business as part of the Bright Stars project. We really appreciated everyone who bought ice-creams, purchased our hats and supported the movie night. The children did a wonderful job of creating, managing and leading all of the different fundraising opportunities and I am delighted to announce that they have raised over £1200! They are calculating the final totals and the money will be split between High Hesket CE School and the North West Air Ambulance service.

### Sports Day / Wellbeing week reminders

A reminder that the children will be taking part in sporting activities all this week so PE kits / suitable sport wear is required each day wherever possible. In addition, the following key dates might be useful to highlight:

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Reception 'Pedal and Scoot' sessions

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Reception 'Pedal and Scoot' sessions

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Sports Day (clothing or accessories in team colours optional)

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Whole School Project Day (clothing or accessories in team colours optional)

### Menu amendment – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024

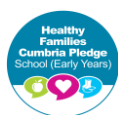
As the children will be having a school packed lunch on Wednesday for Sports Day, the Thursday meal will be chicken wraps.

### Trikidz – Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Our Year 1 – 6 children will be taking part in a Trikidz triathlon project where each class will have the chance to participate in a school based, adapted triathlon session where the children will replicate swimming by using resistance bands, cycle on static racing bikes and complete a short run. To be able to take part, the children must have suitable footwear to participate so we do ask that the children either wear a pair of trainers to school or bring them in a bag. It would also be welcome if the children could wear PE kits on this day. More information about Trikidz can be found at [trikidz.co.uk](http://trikidz.co.uk).

### Mother's Union coffee morning – Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024

You may be aware that we are currently in the process of developing an outdoor reading area following the success of our involvement in the Tesco Stronger Starts project. We are looking forward to being able to share this area with you in September! In addition to the Tesco funding, we have also received a very generous donation from the Mother's Union and are excited to be able to provide some outdoor seating, books and resources as a result. To continue this support, the Mother's Union are holding a coffee morning at Low Hesket Village Hall on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024 at 10.30am and a proportion of the money raised at the coffee morning will be used to further support our reading project. If anyone is free, please pop along and enjoy a selection of refreshments!



### Dates for the diary:

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Wellbeing Week (*PE kits / sports wear all week*)

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June & Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Reception ‘Pedal and Scoot’ sessions

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024** – Sports Day (*clothing/accessories in team colours are optional*)

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2023** – Whole School Project Day (*clothing/accessories in team colours are optional*)

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2024** – Moving up day

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July & Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – Year 4 & Year 5 Outreach performances at Carlisle Cathedral

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2024** – Reserve day for Sports Day

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – Y1-6 Trikidz activities (*PE kits & trainers required*)

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – Year 2 trip to Beatrix Potter World

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – Year 6 Leavers Celebration Evening (families of Year 6 welcome)

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – Year 6 Leavers service at St Mary’s Church 9.15am (families of Year 6 welcome)

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – PTA School disco

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – School closes (normal finish time but NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB)

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024** – Year 6 farewell at 3.30pm (for families of Year 6 children)

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024** – School reopens

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Harvey

Headteacher