

## SPORTS DAY – THANK YOU

Thank you to all parents, staff, family and friends who made Sports Day so special. Also to all our wonderful children for their hard work and participation. A big thank you also to the PTA for their cake and refreshment stall.

## FOOTBALL RESULTS

Well done to all children (Max, Sam, Jack, Monty, Evan, Jake and Joseph) who played in the Rural School competition yesterday. A fantastic afternoon of hard work and brilliant team work saw our boys coming 2<sup>nd</sup> in their group (of 5) overall and then a very close 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the play offs. The final game against Bolton Le Sands was very intense as we narrowly lost 2-1. The boys made us very proud – well done.

## FAMILY WORSHIP – FRIDAY 26 JUNE

Julie Kates will be leading us through family worship tomorrow. All families are very welcome to come and along and join our worship.

## CHRISTIAN AID

Thank you! Together we raised over £1,750 for Christian Aid in Caton, Brookhouse and Littledale.

## MUSICAL INSTRUMENT AUDIT

If your child has music lessons in school you should have received a letter regarding instruments. If you have not done so already please can you complete and return the form to the school office. If your child has had music lessons at school in the past and you have a Lancashire Music Service or school instrument at home please could you return it to school. Many thanks.

## CRICKET TEAM

Good luck to our cricket team today as they travel to Liverpool for the Lancashire County Kwik Cricket finals – a great honour to be representing the Lancaster and Morecambe District.

## ROUNDERS TEAM

Our school rounders team will be competing in the Lune Valley competition on Friday morning, 9am to 12noon, at Hornby School – good luck.

## STUDENT TEACHERS

We would like to thank Mr Edmonds, Miss Seddon and Miss Hepburn for their hard work and superb enthusiasm over the last eight weeks. They have been a great asset to our school. We wish them good luck in the future as they enter the world of full time teaching! Thank you.

## PARKING ON ROADS OUTSIDE SCHOOL

As you may be aware the school had an unexpected 'slot' on Lancashire Radio last week. The radio team were 'investigating' parking and traffic outside several local schools in our area – we were lucky enough to have them live on the road interviewing parents! As we know drop-off and pick up times are very very busy and are always a safety concern for school. As a polite reminder please could I recap a few things that help us:-

- Please park respectfully outside residents houses – do not block drives or dropped kerbs
- **DO NOT** park (even for dropping off) on the yellow zig-zag lines
- Walk/cycle/scooter to school whenever possible to reduce the levels of traffic
- Do not allow children to come down the side path at great speed on to the pavement or road – supervise at all times.

Thank you for helping us to keep children safe and live peacefully with our neighbours.



## WIND IN THE WILLOWS

### THURSDAY 2 JULY

**1.30pm and 5.30pm**

- Please note the earlier start time of **5.30pm** (this has been re-arranged to accommodate children who need to attend Ripley Open Evening on this night).
- Children should return to school for 5pm to prepare costumes and make-up.
- This year we will be selling tickets for our performances in order to raise much needed funds for a lighting system, improved PA system and costumes. The enormous amount of work the children put into these productions deserves first class equipment! Tickets are priced at **£1.50 each** (primary aged children free of charge) and can be obtained via the school office or on the day of the performance. Money/cheques may be sent in to school via a sealed envelope with your child's name, class, number of tickets required and payment.

## OPEN EVENING AND SUMMER TEA PARTY

### FRIDAY 10 JULY

Caton St Paul's will be opening its doors to all families in the local area for an exciting Open Evening and Summer Tea Party next month. The theme for this year is 'Mad Hatters Tea Party' in recognition of the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Lewis Carroll's story (and linked to our Gala float theme!) The school will be open from **5pm onwards**, with a grand opening of the **brand new Early Years outdoor area** at 5.30pm. **There will be a fantastic summer buffet – tickets available from the school office prior to the event £3.00 per person.** There will be many activities, games, bouncy castle, face painting and stalls for both children and adults, including a fancy dress competition (Alice In Wonderland theme) and wacky hat competition (same theme!) During the week children will be taking part in a range of activities centred around having fun and creating fabulous designs and ideas to show on the open evening.

Tickets will be available from Monday 22 June. Please send payment in a clearly labelled envelope. Sponsor forms for the children's sponsored 'Mad Survival Run' will be sent out next week. Our target is £1,000.

## DIARY DATES

### JUNE 2015

Fri 26		Rounders Tournament at Hornby
Mon 29	1.30pm	End of year show dress rehearsal
29 June	6pm-8pm	Governors Main Meeting
30 June		QES new starters – Induction morning

### JULY

Thurs 2	1.30pm & 5.30pm	End of year show – Wind in the Willows
Mon 6 – Wed 8		Year 5 Outdoor Educational Visit to Robinwood
Fri 10	5pm onwards	Open Day and Mad Hatters Summer Tea Party (children's sponsored event and fun activities during the week)
Wed 15		Year 6 Cycle Ride
Wed 15	6.00pm	Governors end of year meeting
Fri 17	2pm	Year 6 leavers presentation assembly