



NEWSLETTER

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This has been a busy term as always with a residential visit to Liverpool dominating the month for the older pupils. There have been numerous sporting events including gymnastics, swimming, tennis, football, netball and climbing which have involved well over half of our pupils. In school, pupils from Y1 to Y6 have been completing their NFER tests which help us to track pupils' progress. We will round off our term with a Y1/2 assembly on Friday afternoon.

STAFF NEWS

The school are pleased to announce that Miss Karolina Gerda has been appointed as school cleaner and starts on April 22nd. Although, her hours may well mean that she is not seen around school so much, we would all like to welcome her to Cummersdale.

With Mrs Scott being off school at the moment, any SEN queries should go to Mr Jones.

TROPHIES

We seemed to have mislaid both our Pupil of the Week Trophy and our Kindness Cup Trophies. If any of the recent recipients could check at home to see if they are hidden anywhere, we would be very grateful.

CHESS

Just over a week ago, the chess team took on Kirkbampton. Each team played three matches in a round robin and the final scores were as follows:

Cummersdale A	8.5
Kirkbampton A	7
Cummersdale B	6
Kirkbampton B	2.5

This week saw chess being played each lunchtime with House matches taking places. The final scores were as follows:

Skiddaw	10.5
Cat Bells	9
Helvellyn	7
Blencathra	3.5

NETBALL

The netball team were in action again at a tournament at Trinity School on Thursday. The rapidly improving team managed two draws against Burgh-by-Sands and Stoneraise and a 2 – 0 win against Blackford.

House netball matches will take place on Tuesday afternoon next week, with House football taking place after Easter.

FOOTBALL

The U11 boys played two further league matches on Monday 24th March. Facing strong opposition, they lost 0 – 5 to Rockcliffe but put up a spirited display against league leaders St Michael's losing 2 – 4.

The U9 (Y3/4) girls played a tournament on Wednesday 19th March. They came 4th overall winning 4, drawing three and losing just 1 of their 8 games which is very promising for the future.

CARLISLE UNITED v BROMLEY

Cummersdale's attendance at the recent Carlisle match obviously brought them luck as they recorded a much-needed win. Thanks to all the pupils and the parents who braved a couple of hours in the noisy family stand who made it an enjoyable afternoon.

EDEN ROCK

Good luck to the boys' bouldering team who take part in the super final at Eden Rock on April 2nd.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

We will issue our timetable for After School Clubs for next term just after Easter. These will not start until the first **full** week back on **Monday 28th April**.

ATTENDANCE

It has been another good week for Y5 with 99.33% attendance, they are the best attenders this half term this term and this year. However, Reception were the only year group to manage 100% attendance this week. Well done!

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

This week's **Pupil of the Week** is **Sadie Lucock (Y4)** for helping Mrs Barratt with her whiteboard.

The **Mrs Vickers Kindness Cup** goes to **Lucy Rome (Y1)** for rushing to clean up some spilt water in the hall.

The **Enjoy-a-ball Trophy** goes to **Rania Shah (Y6)** for a commanding performance in defence at netball.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

1/4/25	CSSA Swimming Gala - The Sands (am)
1/4/25	House Netball (pm)
2/4/25	Eden Rock Super Final (Boys)
4/4/25	Y1/2 Class Assembly (2.30pm)
4/4/25	End of Term
22/4/25	Return to school