

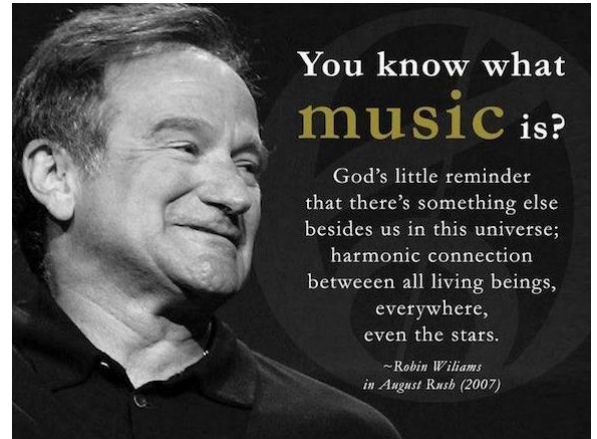


BROOMHAUGH C OF E FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 4 APRIL 2025

Dear Families,

It has been another busy week in school, full of fun and learning.

Without a doubt, the biggest highlight of this week has been the Spring Music Concert. What a talented bunch of children we have at Broomhaugh CofE First School! Music is at the heart of our school and it was lovely to celebrate all of the wonderful learning as part of the music curriculum, as well as enjoy performances from children who have peripatetic lessons in school, and those who attend the choir. For many of them, this was their first time performing to a crowd and I think we can agree they were all absolute stars! They loved looking out at all of the smiling faces of their friends and grown-ups, and seeing the joy that music can bring. Music is a wonderful thing to have in your life - it is a way to lift you up, to express yourself and share joy with others. Our children certainly did this and then some!



I would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs. Errington for organising the event and to our fantastic teachers - Mr. Reed and Miss. Hetherington - for all of their support and preparation. Thank you to everyone who was able to come along and support the event, too. Our next opportunity to come together in this way will be the Easter Service at St. James' Church on Thursday 10th April at 9am.

Finally, I would like to say a huge well done to the choir who had not one, but two performances this week! Choir performed at the village Lent Lunch this Wednesday for a crowd of local residents and really did put on a wonderful show. I have been told that they were quite the draw, attracting many people to the event and raising £230 for charity. What a brilliant outcome!

If your child has been inspired this week and would like to sign up for individual or group instrument lessons, I have included the details as attachments.

Have a lovely weekend,

S Hart & N Burton
Executive Head Teacher
Deputy Head Teacher



Attendance

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Year 2 100%	Reception 98.8%	Year 3 98.6%

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Smartphone survey

Thank you to everyone who took part in our recent survey on smartphones. Across the Hexham Partnership schools that participated in this, we received 466 responses. 72% of respondents were fully in favour of the proposal, 16% were in favour but with some reservations, 7% were not in favour due to certain reservations, and 5% were against. There are differing views as to which year groups the proposal should apply to and from when.

Headteachers across the participating schools will reflect on the findings with our governing bodies and at our next partnership meeting at the end of April, before coming back to parents with a fuller analysis and the intended next steps.

Dates for your Diary

New dates have been added in red:

Date	Event	Notes
April		
Monday 7	Parent Consultations Commence this week Email the Office to book your appointment	Appointment times have been sent out via Parentmail
Wednesday 9	Egg Decorating Competition	Information sent out
Thursday 10	Easter Service Whole School	St James Church 9am All Welcome
Friday 11 April	Non Uniform Day School Closes for Easter 3:15	
Monday 28 April	School Re-opens	
Tuesday 29	Cricket Engagement day - All year groups	More Information to follow
May		
Thursday 1	Year 4 Residential Meeting for Parents & Pupils	More Information to follow
Monday 5 May	Bank Holiday	School Closed
Friday 9	Year 4 Quad Kids @ CMS	Full Class Transition Event More Info to follow
Wednesday 14	Water Aid Workshop	Christian Aid Week
Thursday 15	Year 3 & 4 Visit Vindolanda & Roman Army Museum	Information to follow
Thursday 22	KS2 Federation Sporting Event @ Wentworth Leisure Centre Year 4 Residential to Ford Castle	Athletics More Information to follow
Friday 23 May	Year 4 Residential Return School Closed for half term 3:15	Return to school 3:30/4pm to be confirmed
June		
Monday 2	School Re-opens	
Tuesday 10	Golf in school for all years (am) New Reception Parents Meeting 5pm – 6pm	Close House Coach in school More Information to follow
Wednesday 11	Teddy Bears Picnic Lunch	
Thursday 12	Musical Theatre Club Performance at Parish Hall	4pm-5pm
Tuesday 17	Golf in school for all years (am) Reception New Starters Stay & Play 09:30 – 10:30	Close House Coach in school More Information to follow
Wednesday 18	Year 4 Leavers Service @ Newcastle Cathedral 1pm - 3pm Reception New Starters Stay & Play 09:30 – 10:30	More Info to follow More Information to follow

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Friday 20	World Music Day Sounds of the 70s Big Gig Event	
Tuesday 24	Golf in school for Receptions KS1am/ KS2 pm Federation Sporting Event @ Corbridge Cricket Club	Close House Coach in school Cricket
Friday 27	Whole School Beach Visit with Corbridge First School	More Information to follow
July		
Thursday 3	Sports Day	More Information to follow
Friday 4	Federation choir singing at St. Andrew's Church 1.30pm	More Info to follow
Tuesday 8	Transfer Day for all Year Groups	More Info to follow
Friday 11	Year 4 Multi Sports Skills Festival	More info to follow
Monday 14	Reports Sent Home	
Wednesday 16	Leavers Lunch Leavers Assembly 2:30 Glastonbroomy 5:30 – 7pm for Year 4	More Information to follow More Information to follow
Thursday 17	Leavers Service at St James' 09:30 Reception Class Graduation 2pm	More Information to follow More Information to follow
Friday 18	School Closes for Summer Holidays at 1:30	Please Note 1:30 finish
September		
Tuesday 2	School Re-Opens	