

BROOMHAUGH C OF E FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 20 MAY 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

Our term is flying by and the week has been full of things that have made us smile. Enjoying the amazing fundraising effort at our Christian Aid Big Brunch, having great reports from Mr Thompson about the PE achievements, hearing Reception Class' children so proud of their reading, seeing the children work hard, be positive and give new things a go! Seeing the result of some amazing artwork in top class... the list really could go on and on! This week is was also lovely to learn about anniversary of Norway's constitution **Gratulerer med dagen!**

Sadly we did receive some very unexpected news that our governor, Mr Rob Archer, peacefully passed away in hospital. His loving family were able to be with him, but his passing was very sudden and we hold them in our thoughts and prayers at this difficult time. Rob has been an advocate for Broomhaugh School serving for over 4 years and then became an active member of our Federated Governing Body. I am thankful for all he did to support and champion our schools and we will remember him with great fondness.

I ask this week that you will hold all those who are suffering sadness, loss or worries about loved ones in your hearts and prayers.

We look forward to ending our half term next week with a Jubilee lunch on Thursday. Further Jubilee celebrations will take place after the half term!

Have a lovely weekend,

J Ainsley & S Hart

Executive Head Teacher Executive Deputy Head Teacher



Northumberland Day Sunday 29 May 2022 - Scarecrow Competition: Northumberland County Council are holding a Scarecrow competition for Northumberland Day. If you would like to get involved then please bring your completed scarecrow to school on Friday 27 May, for us to photograph and display on the field.

Scarecrows should be made to one of the following themes:

- 1. Saints people with a rich association with Northumberland, and of course, Holy Island/Lindisfarne
- 2. Seafarers those who have worked in the county's fishing trade, ferried tourists on boat trips, and of course, made Northumberland famous for kippers
- 3. Awesome Others they'd like to see a Northumberland connection, whether you create a Northumbrian hero, a sporting legend, a Roman soldier, a miner, farmer, or someone else connected to the Northumberland landscape

Scarecrows need to be given a name and shared on social media with @northumberlandday tagged. If you would rather submit your photograph than bring in your scarecrow, that would be fine too - just don't forget to tag us on twitter so we can share your entry too!

If you have time to get involved we hope you enjoy the challenge! Scarecrows should be either linked to Northumberland through their theming or be bearing the county colours – we'd love to see lots of red and yellow everywhere.

Christian Aid - Big Brunch: What a fantastic event!





Thank you to our School Council for the planning and preparation and also to each member of our fantastic staff who made sure everything ran smoothly.

The event was sponsored by **Emmerald Associates in Corbridge** and we send a great big THANK YOU for the generous donation to such a worthy cause. We would like to thank you all for your donations which we received on the day which have totalled over £130! Once costs have been deducted from the sponsorship of the event we can confirm we have collected a fantastic total of £267!

Uniform Supplier Salto UK: Last date to order uniform Friday 15 July. Please click on link for new uniform orders: <u>Broomhaugh School Uniform</u>

Remember PTA recycle preloved good quality uniform so don't forget you can contact them to see what they can help with too - **broomhaugh.pta@outlook.com**

PTA NEWS

CAN YOU HELP? Donations requested are for the Broomhaugh PTA Stall at the Riding Mill Jubilee Event Bottles of any tipple for the grown-up's tombola, new or preloved small toys, books or treats for the kid's tombola - Please bring to school, or pass to one of the PTA ladies before Friday 27th May 2022 THANK YOU!

SPONSORED SKIP:

The children had great fun – smashed the target and we want to thank you for the fantastic sponsorship money you have raised which has totalled **£710**, plus we should be able to claim gift aid on £582 of these donations. Funds raised will be used to purchase upgraded technology equipment for the school hall. THANK YOU!

BINGO DISCO!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who supported, donated and especially those who attended Bingo Disco Night on Saturday. Together we raised **over £500 for our school.**

VILLAGE JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

We still very much need your help with the upcoming Jubilee picnic. If anyone is able to help run a stall, even for 30 minutes, that would be amazing! Ultimately, we hope you can come along on the day to support our school and enjoy all the activities being arranged by the Parish Council and all the volunteers from the village!

You can contact the PTA by emailing : broomhaugh.pta@outlook.com

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Summer Term 1			Payments
Monday 3:15 – 4:00	9 May – 4 July	Dance Club x 8 wks	Set up on Parentmail
Wednesday 3:15 – 4:00	27 April – 6 July	Tennis Club x 10 wks	Set up on Parentmail
Thursday 3:15 – 4:15	28 April – 7 July	Athletics Club x 10 wks	Chqs/cash to Magpie Sports
Thursday 3:15 – 4:00	5 May – 16 June	Handicrafts Club x 6 wks	Set up on Parentmail

SWIMMING

Wednesdays	Swimming	Don't forget your swimming kit!	
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MUSIC LESSONS

Wednesdays	Violin	Don't forget your Violin!
Thursdays	Guitar	Don't forget your Guitar!

Dates in red are new dates which have been added:

Date	Event	Notes
May 2022		
Tuesday 24 May	Year 3 & 4 Tag Rugby Tournament @ CFS	Parentmail to be sent out soon
Thursday 26 May	Jubilee Lunch	
Friday 27 May	School closes for half term	
June 2022		
Sunday 5 June	Jubilee Celebration to be held in the village sports	Information sent via parentmail
	ground	
Monday 6 June	School re-opens following half-term	
Friday 10 June	Jubilee Day Garden Party	More info to follow
Thursday 16 June	Teddy Bears Picnic	
July 2022		
Friday 8 July	Whole School Beach Visit	More info to follow
Friday 15 July	Reception Class Graduation	More info to follow
	Sports Day	More info to follow
Wednesday 20 July	Leavers Lunch	
Friday 22 July	Last Day of School	School Closes for Summer Break



