

BROOMHAUGH C OF E FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 30 APRIL 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another week has passed full of learning, enjoyment and fun! The children impressed us this week with their calm and sensible management of the fire drill and we know our systems and procedures continue to work well.

This week in school we have held our Pupil Progress Meetings, and the staff have shared progress for all the children in their classes with myself and Mrs Gray along with sharing any areas of focus for summer term. Staff liaise with me, Mrs Gray and Miss Storey, our SENDCo, continually through the term to ensure we have the best provision in place where any additional advice or services are required. I am so proud of the children and staff for all that they have achieved this year to date with all the challenges and interruptions that have been faced. The staff have all once again demonstrated the fantastic knowledge they have of each and every individual child in their care. The commitment we have as a school is to nurture all to reach their academic potential while ensuring they are supported emotionally, socially and physically to enable them to thrive in every way and in our meetings this week the fulfilment of this commitment was fully evident.

My final news this week brings mixed emotions for us all. Mrs Gray, our fantastic Deputy Head, is moving to Dubai in the summer as her husband secured a job there earlier this year. Now Mrs Gray has found a fantastic Management role in Dubai and the school will be so lucky to have her! She and the children will be making the move at the end of the academic year to reunite her family and begin a new chapter in their lives. We are so excited for Mrs Gray, her family and the new adventure they are going to begin. I hope you will join me in sending congratulations.

Mrs Gray has made a huge impact in our schools over the past two years and we will miss her terribly. She shares the mixed emotions as she took the step of giving us her notice this week. She has loved working in our schools and we still have the summer term to enjoy, benefitting from all Mrs Gray brings to us.

Both Corbridge and Broomhaugh Governing Bodies are in agreement that the post will be replaced like for like so the advert for the post of Executive Deputy Head Teacher will be released tomorrow and no changes will be made that impact on our school's consultation process on federation.

We are expecting to attract a good field of applicants, as we did when we appointed Mrs Gray, and we will be ensuring our newest leadership member will be a fantastic asset to the team. We are excited to appoint a new Deputy to join our family and continue on our positive journey.

JAinsley & S Gray Executive Head Teacher Executive Deputy Head Teacher





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REMINDER: COVID SAFETY MEASURES:

All of our safety measures will remain in place. Please remember not to arrive before 08:50am as we hope to avoid families having to wait in a crowd. Doors and gates will continue to open at 8:50am and close at 9am giving a 10 minute window for children to all arrive safely. Use of adult face coverings will continue at this time unless you are exempt. Many thanks for your support.

Diary Dates: Dates in red are new dates which have been added

Date	Event	Notes
Мау		
Friday 7 May	School Photographer Class & Individual Photos	Bring in your smile!
3 May	Bank Holiday Monday	
Friday 28 May – 13 June	Great British Clean Up	More information to follow
Friday 28 May	School closes 3:15 for May Half Term Break	
June		
Monday 7 June	School Reopens following May Half Term Break	
	Reception Multi-skills After School Club Week 1 of 6	To those who have signed up Last session 12 July
	Yr 1 & 2 Forest School After School Club Week 1 of 6	To those who have signed up Last session 12 July
Wednesday 9 June	Yr 3 & 4 Tennis After School Club Week 1 of 6	To those who have signed up Last session 14 July
Thursday 10 June	Year 1 & 2 Multi Skills After School Club Week 1 of 6	Letters have been sent out/spaces still available
Monday 28 June	Year 4 Leavers Visit to Kingswood	Information sent out
July 2021		
16 July	School Closes for Summer Break	
September		
Tuesday 7 September	School Re-opens following Summer Break	

Every Wednesday for Years 1 & 2 Recorder Lessons Remember to bring in your recorder!

After School Sports Clubs

To those who have signed up -spaces are still available, contact the office if would like to join!

Summer Term 1		
Monday's	12 April – 24 May	Forest School Years 3 &4
Wednesday's	14 April – 26 May	Tennis Club Years 1 &2
Thursday's	22 April – 27 May	Multi Skills Sports Year 3 &4
		(£3 per session for remainder weeks)
Summer Term 2		
Monday's	7 June – 12 July	Forest School Year 1 &2
Monday's	7 June – 12 July	Multi Skills Sports Reception Class
Wednesday's	9 June – 14 July	Tennis Club Year 3 & 4
Thursday's	10 June – 15 July	Multi Skills Sports Years 1 & 2 (£18)



