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## SWJS Newsletter

June 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

The hot weather is here (finally!) In school, we remind the children to:

- drink plenty of water
- wear a hat (during playtimes)
- take off their jumpers and cardigans!

Children may bring in sun creams but must understand not to share these with other children (in case of allergies). We will encourage the children to seek out the shaded areas and we may bring the children in school earlier at lunchtime (depending on the intensity of the sun on that day).

### Terracycle

Through the company Terracycle UK, we will be collecting for recycling the following: crisp packets, confectionary wrappers, various snack packets and baby food pouches. Through the Terracycle scheme we can earn points for the waste we collect and these points can be redeemed as charitable donations for our school. The children are keen to get recycling at school and would like to encourage you to send in any of the accepted waste from home so we can earn more points, and do some good for the environment on the way! All waste should be clean and empty.

For more information please see [terracycle.com](http://terracycle.com) or email [cbates@swalneyj.cumbria.co.uk](mailto:cbates@swalneyj.cumbria.co.uk) if you have any questions.

### Date for Diary - SWJS Art Gallery/picnic

On Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July, we will be hosting our SWJS Art Gallery, Community picnic & Music performance. We will send out more information very soon. We are obviously hoping for glorious weather on the day! All are welcome!

### SWJS Freegle

As part of their Environmental Studies, Y5 have been learning about recycling & reusing. Part of their learning was looking at our local freecycle scheme which is an online 'swop Shop' (if you are old enough to remember that!). The children wanted to try something similar in school. Therefore, we have set up a noticeboard in the Y5 corridor where children can 'post' any items they have permission to get rid of and likewise they can also 'post' any items they 'want'. There will be no money exchanging hands and the children understand that they need parents' permission before they 'give away' any items. The Y5 children are keen to try this in order to reduce our waste.



### REMINDER-Books for School Offer!

**WIN £5000 FOR OUR SCHOOL LIBRARY!!**

National Book Tokens' **FREE TO ENTER**

Competition:

Enter to **WIN** a **MASSIVE £5000** worth of **NATIONAL BOOK TOKENS** for our school-enough to buy hundreds of new books for our school library. **Hills Books would absolutely love for a school in Cumbria to win this fabulous prize, so as an added incentive, if we win the prize and they will INCREASE THE VALUE TO A MASSIVE £7000!!**

**How to Enter...**Simply click on the link below and nominate our school to win:

<https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools>

The more nominations we get the better our chances are to win!

## Dates for the Diary:

### July 2019

- 1<sup>st</sup> Transition Day Y6 to secondary schools  
'Moving Up' afternoon in school
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Transition Day Y6 to secondary schools  
Y2 (SWINS) & Y3 classes swop, pm
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Y5 Transition visit to St Bernards
- 5<sup>th</sup> Walney's Got Talent, Walney School  
History Detectives Celebration event, The  
Forum 6pm
- 8<sup>th</sup> Y5/Y6 to watch We Will Rock You, Walney  
School  
'Open the Book' assembly
- 10<sup>th</sup> Y4 Hockey Team at Cumbria School Games  
Final, Carlisle
- 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> School Show: Aladdin
- 15<sup>th</sup> Whole School Golden Time
- 16<sup>th</sup> Art Gallery in school, Community picnic &  
Music performance
- 17<sup>th</sup> Y6 Leavers' party
- 18<sup>th</sup> Y6 Leavers' assembly, 1.30pm
- 19<sup>th</sup> Break up for the Summer holidays, 3.30pm



## Children return to school Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> Sept, 9am

### School Term Dates

So that you can forward plan your family holidays, so that they do not clash with the school terms, please click on the links below. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

Click on this link for the Cumbria School term dates 2019-2020

<http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/elibrary/Content/Internet/537/955/1042/4240816147.pdf?timestamp=4328310359>

Click on this link for the Cumbria School term dates 2020-2021

<https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/elibrary/Content/Internet/537/955/1042/43599144211.pdf>

### Work of the Month May 2019

Well done to the following children who achieved Work of the Month!



3HA - George Turnough & Thomas Murphy

3MH - Eden Livingstone & Elisha Atkinson

4W - Scarlett Agnew

4E - Neve Rae

5McI - Tobie Nye & Dolly Thompson

5A - Lily-Mae Lewis & Sienna Hunt



### Work of the Month June 2019

Well done to the following children who achieved Work of the Month!



3HA - Lucie Wyers & Jack Fish

3MH - Sophie Blackburn, Rowan Fox & Blake Evans

4W - Connor Cheshire

4E - Corey Stamp & Isabelle Sullivan

5McI - Evie Cheshire

5A - Toby Conaghan & Willow Nellis

6B - Zak Bamber, Charlie Corkill & Josh Robinson



### Parentmail app

This is easy and free to download to your phone from the 'App store' & a great way to keep up to date with any school notifications. At the moment only 98% of our parents are using the app.

### Reminder-School Garden - Calling all Gardeners

We are always looking for spare flowering plants/bushes or cuttings for our school garden. Also, if you have 'green fingers' and are able to spare some time to help us with our school garden or gardening club, we would really appreciate this!