

# CALTHWAITE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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## **Newsletter for 11<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

We hope everyone has had a great Easter and we're looking forward to seeing the children on Tuesday (apologies for not sharing this on the last newsletter) Monday is a training day in schools across the county.

<https://cumbria.gov.uk/elibrary/content/internet/537/955/1042/44707135639.pdf>

We are excited to welcome back Miss Boustead to Class 3 as her very successful role as acting headteacher of Lanercost Primary School has come to an end. A huge thank you to Mrs McCallum who did a tremendous job as class teacher for the Spring term who will resume her valuable small group work.

### **Swimming: (Classes 1 & 2)**

Swimming at Woggle Goggle will resume for the Tues-Fri of the first week back. Children will eat an early lunch on this week and will return to school before the end of the day. Swimming kit including goggles will be needed every day. As before, clothes that can easily be changed out of/ into such as P.E kits please.

### **P.E/ Clubs: (Message [admin@calthwaite.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:admin@calthwaite.cumbria.sch.uk))**

Tuesdays- Playdough club with Mrs Lawden (Classes 1 & 2) starts Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Wednesdays- Cricket club with Ben (Classes 2 & 3)

Thursday- Gymnastics club with Lucy (Classes 2 & 3) £12 charge

Karate-Fridays TBC (chargeable)

P.E lessons-Wednesdays/ Thursdays for the whole school (except when swimming)



### **Forest School:**

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April-Class 3

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April-Class 2

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May- Class 1

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May- Class 2

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May- Class 3

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May-Class 1 (if sports day is postponed)

### **Future dates:**

Swimming gala-23<sup>rd</sup> April (KS2)

Dodgeball Tournament-24<sup>th</sup> April

'Funky hair/ non-uniform Day'-Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April (in aid of The Little Princess Trust)

Library Bus-Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May

Bank Holiday-6<sup>th</sup> May

KS2 SATs week-Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May

Science and sport week-W/C 20<sup>th</sup> May

**Sports Day-24<sup>th</sup> May**

Half term-Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May

### **Free school meals and clothing vouchers**

Apply online to see if your child or children can get free school meals and clothing vouchers. In certain circumstances free school meals are available to families with no recourse to public funds.

[Free school meals and clothing vouchers | Westmorland and Furness Council](#)

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## CALTHWAITE SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP

**WHO ARE WE AND HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED?**

We are a group of parent/carer volunteers who give their time to raise much needed funds to improve our school and create a better learning experience for our Children.

**WHY GET INVOLVED?**

- Having a Child in this school means you are part of us
- We have Parents who work full time and part time, any time you can give is welcome
- Being involved is a great way to get to know the school and other parents

**IT'S GOOD FOR THE SCHOOL!**

- Schools are becoming more dependent on Parent volunteer groups for fundraising to supplement the School budgets
- You will play an important role in helping the School to acquire key resources, as well as reward the children with some well-earned treats

**IT'S GOOD FOR YOU!**

- At meetings you can have your say
- You can suggest ideas and have an input into how funds are spent
- Whether you want to organise an event or simply help out on the day, you can utilise your existing skills and hobbies and may acquire some new ones too!

Please visit the School Web site to keep up with the latest meetings, news and events. Next meeting is: **25<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

You can contact Dawn (Chairperson) at [dawnmedd85@gmail.com](mailto:dawnmedd85@gmail.com) or Rachel (Secretary) at 07930 964459 for more information.

