CHURCH WALK CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please find attached details of some activities taking place at half term.

Parking Around School.

Please could I remind parents to park considerately in the area around school. No one should be parking on the zig zags as this is dangerous for children when coming to and from school. We all know that Church Walk is very busy at the beginning and end of the day; please try to ensure the safety of the children by slowing down and parking appropriately.

Children's Mental Health Week

The theme for this is My Voice Matters. There are some resources attached for families

Christian Value

Our Christian Value for next half term is Service and we will look at what it means to serve others.

After School Clubs

HP activities will be running a multiskills club for Hoad class on Wednesdays after half term. Letters will be sent out next week.

World Book Day

This year World Book Day will be on Thursday 7th March. Children can dress up as their favourite book character or wear non uniform and bring their favourite book to school.

Science Week

Science week starts on 8th March until 15th March and the theme is Time.

On Monday 11th March, it will be non uniform and children can come to school dressed as something linked to Science. This could be a traditional lab coat (old white shirt) and goggles look. Or they might want to research some famous scientists and bring in a 'prop' that gives a clue as to who they are – perhaps an apple or a picture of a lightbulb, for example. A palaeontologist might wear something dinosaur related! Remember astronauts and doctors are also scientists! They can also come dressed up as something scientific – a black hole, the solar system, a rainbow, an x-ray. There's lots of scope for imagination and creativity.

'Teach children how they should live and they will remember it all their lives'









Swimming

Springfield will go swimming on Thursdays after half term.

Illness

There are some nasty viruses doing the rounds, including Covid. Although there is no obligation to test anymore, please be aware that there have been some reported cases in school.

Birkrigg and their Buddies

Reception children have invited their Year 5 buddies to their class, for a tea party next week. It is lovely to see how well the children get on and enjoy spending time together.

Students

Four students from UVHS will be doing their work experience placement with us for a week in March.

Year 5 Taster Day

Year 5 children have been invited to UVHS for a Taster Day on Monday 4th March. Letters will be sent out from UVHS, nearer the time.

Safer Internet Day

Please follow the link to access resources https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/home-activity-worksheets/? utm_source=Thinkuknow&utm_campaign=f0ee90f464-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_9_26_2022_Network_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_0b5 4505554-f0ee90f464-55420273

Dates for this term Week beginning 5th February **Children's Mental Health Week Tuesday 6th February** Safer Internet Day Tuesday 6th February **UVHS Dance Platform for some of Springfield Class** Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February Half Term Thursday 22nd February Church Assembly for Lent 9.10am Monday 4th March Year 5 Taster Day at UVHS Thursday 7th March Eco Fair at The Coronation Hall Thursday 7th March World Book Day Friday 8th March **Key Steps Gymnastics Competition** Friday 8th—15th March Science week Monday 11th March Non uniform day with science theme. Friday 15th March **Comic Relief** Monday 18th March Walk to school week Thursday 28th March Last day of Spring term

Monday 15th AprilStaff INSETTuesday 16th AprilFirst day of Summer termWednesday 17th AprilYear 6 Junior Citizen event at Ulverston Blue Light HubMonday 6th MayBank HolidayMonday 27th May– Friday 31st MayHalf termFriday 19th JulyLast day of summer term

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