

Copeland Road Primary School Newsletter

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FRIDAY 5th MAY

	<u>Achievers</u>	<u>Good to be Green</u>
Class R	Chloe B	Isabel
Class 1	Millie L	Evie
Class 2	Jack	Oliver
Class 3	Grace	Robbie
Class 4	Rosi	Oliver
Class 5	Andrew	Jessica
Class 6	Morgan T	Jamie

Best Attendance: **Class 5 100 % Whole School 97.4%**
Team Cup Winners: **RED**

Writer of the Week

Class R	Willow
Class 1	Harvey M
Class 2	Freya
Class 3	Adam
Class 4	Peter
Class 5	Bethany
Class 6	Shaye



FRIDAY 28th APRIL

	<u>Achievers</u>	<u>Good to be Green</u>
Class R	Sophie	Chloe H
Class 1	Thomas	Jay
Class 2	Eilidh	Grace
Class 3	Ruth	Alexis
Class 4	Owen	Grace
Class 5	Bradley	Owen
Class 6	Cruz	Kiera

Best Attendance: **Class R & 2 100% Whole School 97.6%**
Team Cup Winners: **RED**

WELL DONE EVERYONE

Writer of the Week

Class R	Archie
Class 1	Macey
Class 2	Jack
Class 3	Jamie
Class 4	Megan
Class 5	Jack
Class 6	Lewis



SCHOOL NEWS

Welcome back to school for the summer term. It's great to see that the weather has improved and the days are warmer. Hopefully it will continue throughout the summer term so the children can enjoy their lunchtimes and playtimes running around in the sun.

This term we have a number of children who will be taking part in national tests and many others working towards their end of term assessments. We wish them all well over the next few weeks as we know they have all worked very hard and will do their best.

On a safety note we have a few children who are being dropped off at school and left by parents before 8.45am. There are no school staff on duty at the door at this time so these children are still their parent's responsibility. Please either wait with your child until 8.45, bring them to school at 8.45am or alternatively book them into breakfast club where they are supervised by school staff. Thank you.

School Holiday Dates

SPRING & SUMMER TERM 17

Mon 29th May - Tues 6th June half term
Mon 5th June - **SCHOOL CLOSED**
Fri 21st July last day of term **2017**

SEPT 2017 TO JULY 18

Tues 5th September - return to school
Mon 23rd to Fri 27th Oct - half term
Mon 30th Oct - school closed
Mon 25th Dec to Fri 5th Jan - Christmas
Mon 12th Feb to 16th Feb - half term
Fri 30th March to Fri 13th April - Easter
Mon 7th May - Bank Holiday
Mon May 28th to Fri 1st June - half term
Mon June 4th - school closed
Fri 20th July - last day of term **2018**

Pupil Absence

Reminder to parents and carers

Since the government changed the rules regarding pupil attendance, we cannot authorise pupil absences during term time where the reason given is family holiday. We can only authorise pupil absence from school where there are exceptional circumstances. This is particularly important where children are already below the government's required attendance levels. Unauthorised time off school may lead to involvement by the local authority enforcement team and could lead to fines.



Reception visit to Bowes Museum

Reception Class had a really good visit to Bowes Museum last week. This was part of the national 'Take One Picture Project'. At the museum the children learned about the Italian artist Canaletto and they took part in a range of fun activities including drawing, singing and mask making. They even had the opportunity to see the Silver Swan working and play with some vintage toys. They really enjoyed their visit to the museum.



Tennis Competition

A team from our school took part in a tennis competition this week against other local primary schools at Bishop Barrington School. They had been training hard in school and played very well on the day, eventually winning the competition. Well done to Alexis, Charlie, Dylan, Grace, Holly, Jamie, Matthew and Raven.

