

Summer Term 24 Newsletter 2

It continues to be very mixed weather. Please make sure your child always has a warm, waterproof coat in school plus sun cream, or applied sun cream, if the sun ever reappears.



We will continue to update you on our Facebook page. Please look out for the posts. We use our school PTA Facebook page as one of the quickest ways to relay information to parents. The more you interact with the page, the more likely you are to get the alerts in your feed.

We have lots of events planned for this half of term so please read this carefully.



After School club on a Monday for Y1-Y6 has now changed to cricket with Tom. If anyone is not doing this club currently, and would like to, please speak to Kathy.

After School Club on a Friday will now be Fun club instead of Film club and will be outside – weather permitting.

The rest of the after-school provision will remain the same.

Providing an after-school solution every day until 4.15pm has proved very popular. A letter will go out soon to confirm that you would like to continue in September.



Earth Works will continue to swim for the rest of this term.

Time Zone, Earth Works and Space Base have started rehearsing for their end of term play, Gladis Baker Gladiator. This will be held at Lucker Village Hall on Monday July 8th. There will be 2 performances at 1pm and 5pm. The children will stay at the hall all day and will not be returning

for school pick up. We will give them tea before the evening performance. Further details about buying tickets will be sent out shortly.

The children will need white shorts to go under their costumes. Please let us know as soon as possible if you **can't** provide these.

The school finances need to be balanced for the end of the school year. You will shortly receive a bill for anything outstanding on your accounts. Text payment links will be sent on a Tuesday. The texts come from CSD and reference a payment to Northumberland County Council. Please could anything outstanding be paid as soon as possible, so that your accounts can be closed. If you would prefer to pay by cheque, please make it payable to N.C.C. (Northumberland County Council)

We still have some second-hand uniform, mainly the larger sizes. If you are looking for anything specific, please ask Kathy. New uniform can be ordered from Border Embroideries. It is worth checking out their website for last order dates and offers.

<https://www.border-embroideries.co.uk/schools/ellingham-c-of-e-primary-school.html>

Don't forget to check the correct school web site if you are looking for holiday dates. The dates for next school year are on the web site.

A number of parents have googled the school and chosen what they think is the right school and got the wrong dates! Make sure you google Ellingham CE Primary Northumberland, as there are two other Ellinghams elsewhere with schools. Not all Northumberland schools have the same teacher training dates.

We are looking for raffle prizes for Sports Day. These can be sent in at any time.

In September your current Y2 child, moving up to Y3, will lose their free Government lunches.

Please let us know now, if you will not be taking up paid for lunches, in the new school year.
Dates for the rest of the term

Thursday 20 th June	Splash and Wellies&Wonder Beach Day.
Friday 5 th July	Time Zone camping – details next week.
Monday 8 th July	Performance at Lucker Village Hall (Y1-6).
Tuesday 9 th July	1.00pm Sports Day – there will be no School transport that afternoon.
Wednesday 10 th July	2.30pm Meeting in school for parents of children starting in Reception in September 2024.
Tuesday 16 th July	Inter school cross country for chosen KS2 pupils.
Friday 19 th July	Break up for the Summer holidays.

