



## Headteacher Newsletter 2



Week Commencing: Monday 11th June

Value of the Month: Responsibility

### Father's Day

A letter was sent home last week regarding our special Father's Day BBQ which always proves very popular. This will take place on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 12:00pm and will cost £3.00 per adult. Children should order online as usual. **Please return reply slips by Wednesday.** We will be holding a raffle and would appreciate any prize donations. Thank you.

### Paralympic Athlete

On Thursday, Miss Jackson has arranged for a very special visitor – a Paralympic athlete from Team GB!! The children were sent home with Sponsor Forms last week as they will participate in a sponsored event during the morning. If you have any questions or would like another sponsor form, please see Miss Jackson.

### Furness Voices

On Wednesday evening a group of nearly 20 children performed in a special concert at Forum 28 with Cumbria Music Hub. What a fantastic performance they gave, making everyone at ISP incredibly proud! A big thank you to the adults, who without them the children would not have experienced this fantastic opportunity.

### Star of the Week

Dolphin Class – Alexander Lawrence  
Whale Class – Erin Morrison  
Shark Class – Mazie Scales

Well done children!

Please hand yellow jumpers in at the end of the day on Friday to be washed.



### NSPCC

NSPCC Day at ISP was a great success and I am sure you will recall that a pupil in Year 6 went that extra mile to raise funds for the NSPCC. We now have the final figure in and I am pleased to say that Olivia Burton raised £29.65 by selling her handmade green loomband bracelets. A very big well done to Olivia and thank you to everyone who supported Olivia with this.

### Year 6 ~ Emotional Health

Dowdales Secondary School are offering Y6 transition workshops covering a variety of subjects from Science to Dance. The sessions will run every Thursday after school from 3:45-4:45pm. Please contact Dowdales for further information.

### Mini Olympics

This Friday, Year 2 will participate in a Mini Olympics event at Dowdales. The event begins at 1:00pm and is due to finish at 3:00pm therefore children will be back for hometime.

### The School Day

8:45-8:55	Door Open
8:55	Registration
9:00	Collective Worship
9:15	Session 1
10:15	Break
10:30	Session 2
11:00	Session 3
11:55	Lunch EY
12:00	Lunch KS1
12:10	Lunch KS2
1:00	Session 4
2:00	Break (EY/KS1 only)
2:00	Session 5
2:15	Session 5 for EY/KS1
3:15	Home time

### All welcome...

On Thursday, there is opportunity for you to pop into school at the end of the day and take a look at the work completed during Family Group Day. Each group has made a book to showcase the wonderful activities they took part in during the course of the day. There will also be a PowerPoint Slideshow of photographs. This event will take place in Shark Class where refreshments will be available.

## Transition Afternoons

This week, our new reception children will join us for their very first transition afternoon. These will take place throughout June and will provide the opportunity for the children to get used to the classroom environment. We do still have 3 places available in our reception intake therefore if you know of anyone seeking a place, please point them in the direction of ISP.

Visits to School are always welcome.

### Dates for your diary...

Wednesday 13th June ~ WOW group Collective Worship

Reception Transitions begin

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June ~ Team GB Paralympian

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June ~ Father's Day BBQ

Year 2 Mini Olympics at Dowdales

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June ~ Year 6 Junior Citizen Scheme all morning

Year 6 Transition Day at St Bernard's

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June ~ Year 5 Taster Day at St Bernard's

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June ~ Year 6 Leavers Service at Carlisle Cathedral

Reception and Year 1 Fun Run at Dowdales

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June ~ J4J Transition Assembly

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June ~ Year 5/6 Residential to Eskdale

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June ~ St Peter's Day lunch

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July ~ Year 6 Transition Days at Dowdales

Whole School Transition Day

Work experience student to start for a week

School reports sent home

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July ~ Sports Afternoon

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July ~ Year 5/6 Performance of Joseph, 1:30pm

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July ~ Year 5/6 Performance of Joseph, 6:00pm

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July ~ Leavers themed lunch

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July ~ Leavers service at St Peter's Church, 2pm

End of term

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me, in person or via email, with any queries.

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*Dear God,*

*Thank you for all the amazing Dads in the world who are there for us every step of the way in our education and learning schedule. Thanks again for these amazing Dads.*

*Amen.*

*Zoe Wright, Year 4*

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