



# NEWSLETTER

THURSDAY 17<sup>th</sup> JULY 2025



## **SUMMER HOLIDAYS - SCHOOL CLOSSES FRIDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JULY @1:30PM**

On behalf of everyone at Bookwell, I would like to wish everyone a happy (and sunny!) summer holiday. Goodbye and best wishes to all our Year 6 children (and congratulations on those wonderful SATs results). I hope you all continue to show the resilience and drive to succeed which you have shown at Bookwell. I also hope that you remember all the wonderful memories once you have left.

We are also sorry to be 'losing' several families who have sent children to Bookwell over the years, as their youngest children leave the school.

Thank you all for your support.

## **DINNER MONEY**

**PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL DINNER MONEY ACCOUNTS ARE UP TO DATE BEFORE LUNCHTIME ON FRIDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025.**

**Thank you.**

### **LOTTERY**

Congratulations to last week's lottery winner, Ms McAllister for more information and to play through our page, [please follow this link](#). The next draw takes place on 19th July. Please don't forget to renew your numbers when you get a reminder.

### **YORK RESIDENTIAL JUNE 2026**

If you would like to continue to make payments throughout the summer holiday, you can do so through Arbor.

### **EARRINGS**

Please be aware that children are not allowed to do PE if they are wearing earrings. If ears are to be pierced this summer, please get them done at the start of the holiday so that there is time for them to heal before September.

### **SUMMER FAIR**

Thank you for supporting our summer fair, we raised an amazing **£1100**

## SEPTEMBER UNIFORM

In September, children are required to wear their winter uniforms when they return after the summer break. After the Easter break, the option to switch to the summer uniform will become available. This hopes to eliminate any confusion. Thank you for your cooperation in maintaining our school's uniform standards.



## SCHOOL REPORTS

Thank you for the reply slips which many of you have returned to school. If you have not done so please could you do this before we break up.

## BACK TO SCHOOL

**SCHOOL BEGINS – WEDNESDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER 2025 @ Gates open between 8.30 – 8.45am**

## Summer Reading Challenge 2025 – *Story Garden*

The Summer Library Reading Challenge 2025 is happening again – and this year's theme is *Story Garden*!

Children are invited to visit their nearest library to take part in this fun, free activity that encourages a love of reading over the summer holidays.

- It's completely FREE!
- All you need is a Cumberland Libraries membership – which is also free to join.

## FINALLY...

As we come to the end of this academic year, I want to like to a big thank you to everyone who makes Bookwell such a wonderful school community—our amazing children, dedicated staff, supportive governors, the FOBS members, and of course, our committed parents.

Your ongoing support and enthusiasm for the children's learning is what helps make our school OUTSTANDING. It's been another year to be proud of, and it wouldn't be possible without the whole Bookwell community.

Wishing you all a relaxing and enjoyable summer break.

  
**Mr Hardy**

PLEASE RECYCLE

TAKE A PHOTO



## OPEN-AIR PICNIC THEATRE

A FAMILY-FRIENDLY ADAPTATION OF THE CLASSIC SHAKESPEARE WITH COMEDY, PUPPETRY & LIVE MUSIC

# The Tempest

JULY 10<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>

12 pm - 12th, 13th, 19th, 20th

6 pm - 10th, 11th, 12th, 17th, 18th, 19th

General Admission: £12

Under 16: £6

Kids 0-3: FREE!

BRING A PICNIC AND SOMETHING TO SIT ON!

WAYFARERS THEATRE  
LORTON RD COCKERMOUTH CA13 9EB

only accesible via 180 yard pathway including steep slope

TICKETS HERE! <https://bit.ly/wayfarersticket>



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### INDOOR PERFORMANCE

Kirkgate Arts & Heritage

July 15th - 2pm

Please visit the [KIRKGATE WEBSITE](#) to book

PS: Struggling with ticket costs? Get in touch at [wayfarerstheatre@gmail.com](mailto:wayfarerstheatre@gmail.com) and we can work some magic!

We don't want anyone to miss out.



19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>  
July

Drigg YFC is pushing to new heights by wellying a 1-tonne replica helicopter, affectionately dubbed "Welly the Heli," a whopping 77 miles from Drigg to Langwathby. All this sweat and muscle is aimed at raising £20,000 for the Great North Air Ambulance—a superhero service that swoops in to save lives!

Want to join the fun? You can help by spreading the word on social media, tossing in a donation, joining one of our fundraising events or even standing on the sidelines with your best cheerleading moves. Every little bit helps to fuel this fundraising frenzy and keep those air ambulances flying high.

For more laughs and to find out more, email [wellytheheli@gmail.com](mailto:wellytheheli@gmail.com) or follow their antics on



Your support could be the wind beneath Wellytheheli's wings!



# #wellytheheli



THE  
READING  
AGENCY

Summer Reading Challenge

Delivered in partnership with libraries

2025

Join **FREE** at  
your library!

# Story Garden

Adventures in Nature and the Great Outdoors

Get rewards  
for reading!



[summerreadingchallenge.org.uk](http://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk)

## Starting on Saturday 12 July!



Supported using public funding by  
**ARTS COUNCIL  
ENGLAND**





# family FUN DAY

AT ST BENEDICT'S RUFC

**SATURDAY 26TH JULY 2025**  
**12:30PM – 18.00PM**

Bring the whole family for a day filled with laughter, excitement, and unforgettable memories

## *Event Highlights*

**BOUNCY CASTLE**  
**ACTIVITIES**  
**FOOD & REFRESHMENTS**  
**ENTERTAINMENT**  
**CRAFTS**  
**BAR IS OPEN**

Join Us for a Spectacular Family Fun Day!



**FOR MORE INFORMATION: MESSAGE ME ON – 07359528145**



The Institution of  
Engineering and Technology



# Engineering Open House Day

We're taking part in  
the Engineering Open  
House Day

For ages 5 - 13, join us  
22 August 2025  
and find out how  
you could engineer  
a better world!



[education.theiet.org](https://education.theiet.org)

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**Scouts**  1st Egremont Scout  
Group

Has places in

**BEAVERS**

6-8 year olds Fridays

5.00-6.15 p.m.

8-10 year olds

Thursdays

**cubs**

5.45-7.00 p.m.

**SCOUTS**

10-14 year olds

Thursdays 7.00- 8.30

Why don't you get in touch, come along  
and join in the fun.

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Lead Group Volunteer