

NEWSLETTER 28th FEBRUARY 2025



FOBS – SMARTIE TUBE FUNDRAISER

Today the children have been given a tube of Smarties in the hope that once they have been eaten, the children will fill the tube with coins. Each child who returns their tube will be entered into a prize draw.

Once filled with coins please remember to put your child's name and class on the tube for entry in the draw. Please return filled tube by the 7th March 2025.

Thank you for your support.



LOTTERY

Congratulations to last week's lottery winner Mrs Bewsher for more information and to play through our page, [please follow this link](#). The next draw takes place on Saturday 1st March. Please don't forget to renew your numbers when you get a reminder.

FUNDRAISING TEA TOWEL

We still have our Fundraising self-portrait tea towel available to order through the Arbor Shop. The cost is £5 and they make fantastic gift. Please help support and buy a tea-towel.

ATTENDANCE

In September, we advised that Government policy on attendance changed on August 19th and is much stricter than previous.

New Government guidance expects schools to take a firm stance on term time absence, including term-time holiday. One full school day is classed as two sessions. If a child is absent for a block of 10 sessions or more, or 10 sessions or more missed over a 10-week period, schools now have to report this to their Access and Inclusion Officer.

As required by the DFE, we will be sending letters to families whose children's attendance is less than 90%, as this is termed as persistent absence.

HUT NAME – COMPETITION

Thank you to all the children who have given a name for the new hut. We have had so many ideas, we now have the difficult job of choosing the winning name! We will announce the winner very soon!

SCHOOL CLOSURES DUE TO WEATHER OR EMERGENCY

If school needs to close due to an emergency such as loss of power, or severe weather, parents will be informed as soon as possible by text and email. Notice will also be placed on the school website, Cumbria County Council website and BBC Radio Cumbria. We will use the same channels of communication to advise parents when school is able to re-open.

Egremont Rangers Youth - Girls

**Egremont Rangers currently have spaces within their Girls teams :
U12's, U14's, U16's (Years 6 – 11)**

**Egremont Rangers Girls have been accepted into the North West
Girls League for the 2025 Season**

Training starts end of February 2025 Mondays – 6.00 – 7.00 at Gillfoot Park, Egremont.

Come along to one of our training sessions to try out.

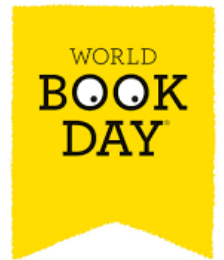


If your interested in joining, or just to try out please contact :
Sandra Lee – sandralee124@btinternet.com or
Helen Caton – helenb1911@gmail.com or message



WORLD BOOK DAY 2025

World Book Day is 6th March 2025. We would like the children to come dressed up as their favourite book character. There are so many different possibilities to choose from.



JUNIOR CONCERT SUPERSTAN

The KS2 concert takes place at 1.30pm and 6.00pm on Tuesday April 1st 2025 in Egremont Market Hall. Please make a note of this date, as all children in Year 3 to 6 are expected to take part. Children in the chorus, which is Y3, Y4 and some Y5, will just need to wear black trousers/leggings and either a red, blue or yellow top.

You will be able to purchase 2 tickets for each show from Monday 10th until 21st March. On Monday 24th March any unsold tickets will be offered for sale on a first come first served basis.

To comply with fire regulation you will need to purchase a ticket for each person attending, including any children.

Test dates this year are:
KS2 SATs – Week beg. 12th May 2025
Y4 Times Table Check – 2 weeks from Monday 2nd June
Taking time off at the statutory testing time needs to be avoided completely.

BOOKWELL SCHOOL MENU

WEEK 2

Monday

Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza (EF)
Tuna Pasta (EF)
Gingerbread & White Sauce



Tuesday

Chicken Korma, Rice & Naan (GF & EF)
Veggie Korma, Rice & Naan (GF & EF)
Rice Pudding

Wednesday

Cumberland Sausage & Mash (GF & EF)
Veggie Sausage & Mash (GF & EF)
Muffins



Thursday

Roast Turkey (GF & EF)
Quorn Fillet, Mash & Veg
Chocolate Crunch & Chocolate Sauce

Friday

Chicken Chunks & Chips
Quorn Nuggets & Chips
Ice Cream & Fresh Fruit



Available Daily

Meal choice: Jacket Potato (GF, V), Sandwich/Wrap, Fresh Veg/Salad
Dessert: Hot Pudding/Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt

CURRICULUM IN ACTION

