



“With exploring minds, and faith; we grow and learn together”

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Newsletter

Well Done

PUPILS OF THE WEEK

The children have all been working extremely hard this week. Here are our Pupils of the Week

- Windermere – Rory W
- Ullswater – Clara C
- Derwentwater – India H
- Bassenthwaite – Koby B
- Ennerdale – Thomas K
- Buttermere – Piper M



The St. James' Way

- ✓ Be Kind
- ✓ Be Respectful
- ✓ Give Your All

CHRISTIAN VALUE AWARD

- Windermere – Sam G
- Ullswater – Halle W
- Derwentwater – Muaz Z
- Bassenthwaite – Leo M
- Ennerdale – Ciara C
- Buttermere – Georgina H



HEADTEACHERS LOTTERY

Each week Mr Beattie pops into class and asks teachers who has gone above and beyond with their class expectations. Those winners are put into a lottery draw every Friday. This week's winner was Aaron H.



ATTENDANCE WINNERS:
ENNERDALE
Had top attendance this week



Overall School attendance this week is **97.97%**



Each week, all of the children gaining 100% in a reading quiz are placed into a prize draw to win a book of their choice. This week's winners were Muaz Z & Lewis C.



Here are links to some activities which have been happening in school this week (click on pictures)
 Check out all of the other [galleries](#) showing the children learning and exploring a range of different topics.
 Check out your child's [class page](#) here.



Forest School



Year 3 & 4 visit to Manjushri Kadampa Meditation Centre



Ullswater Air Resistance



Ennerdale Place value of grammar & punctuation

Hello and welcome to our weekly newsletter. This week has been another busy week in school and I continue to be impressed during my visits to the classrooms to see how hard children are working on their learning. Our Year 3 & 4 children, despite the long journey, enjoyed their time listening to speakers at the Manjushri Kadampa Meditation centre on Tuesday. This will serve as a great launch into our topic on Buddhism in October. We have also seen a return to a wide variety of groups and clubs, during and after school: Adventure Club, Judo Club, Forest School, Dodgeball Club and reports are that children are really enjoying these sessions. We have also welcomed two brand-new music tutors to school: Mr Hendra for guitars and Mrs Wright for keyboards. It has been great to hear the children rehearse with their instruments with Queen's 'We will rock you' starting to sound great. There are still spaces to join our music groups if your child is interested. Children don't need their own instruments, we have school kit that can be loaned out. Next week we restart Stix Drumming Club with Mr Kelly's of Stix Percussion and Mrs Maiden's new Zumba dance club to complete our programme. We hope you are continuing to find ClassDojo useful, with us able to share school events, photos of class activities and communicate between families and staff in school. Hopefully you will have seen recent messages about the Harvest Festival service, vacancies in school, lost property and parents evening.

Well done on another great week and enjoy a restful weekend Mr Beattie



WEEKLY CLUBS

- ⇒ Tuesday
 - ◆ Afterschool Stix percussion
Collect from school at 4.15pm
- ⇒ Wednesday
 - ◆ 8.00 a.m. Judo Breakfast Club
 - ◆ Music (Guitar) Tuition throughout the afternoon
 - ◆ Yr 5/6 Adventure Club at Whitehaven Harbour Youth Project
(Collect from WHYP @ 4.45pm)
 - ◆ Afterschool Zumba Dance Club
Collect from school at 4.15pm
- ⇒ Thursday -
 - ◆ Music (Keyboard) Tuition throughout the afternoon
 - ◆ Mr C's Afterschool Dodgeball & Blackmats – Years 5/6

COMING UP AT ST JAMES'

- Tuesday 1st & Wednesday 2nd October – Parents Evening
- Tuesday 8th October – Joint Harvest Festival Service with the Infants 10.30-11.30am
- Wednesday 23rd October – Halloween Disco
- Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November – HALF TERM
- Friday 20th December – END OF AUTUMN TERM

Please note school swimming blocks for each class can be found on ClassDojo in upcoming class events



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“Your word is a lamp to my feet, a light on my path. Psalm 119:105”