



# Cornforth Chronicle

Issue 11–Autumn Term

## PUPILS OF THE WEEK

Friday 28th November 2014

### Pupil Attendance

Pupil attendance for this week is **94.7%** compared to Government guidelines of **95%**.

*If your child is going to be absent from school please inform the office on 01740 654315 before 9.30am. Thank you!*

### School Holidays

**14/15/16**

### **Christmas 2014**

*Thurs 18th Dec– Mon 5th Jan 2015*

*(2 weeks and 1 day)*

### **Spring Half Term 2015**

*Fri 13th Feb–Mon 23rd Feb 2015 (1 week).*

### **Easter 2015**

*Fri 27th Mar–Mon 13th Apr. (2 weeks).*

### **May Day**

*4th May 2015.*

### **Summer Half Term**

*Fri 22nd –Mon 1st June (1 week).*

### **Summer 2015**

*Thurs 16th July - Thurs 3rd Sept*

*(6 weeks and 4 days)*

### **Autumn Half Term 2015**

*Fri 23rd Oct –Mon 2nd Nov (1 week).*

### **Christmas 2015**

*Thurs 17th Dec–Tues 5th Jan 2016 (2 weeks and 2days).*

### **Spring Half Term 2016**

*Fri 12th Feb–Mon 22nd Feb (1 week).*

### NURSERY

**Danny**  
for being really enthusiastic about our Dinosaur topic.

### RECEPTION

**Archie**  
for a sensible attitude in school.

### CLASS 1

**Dilyn**  
for hard work during numeracy lessons this week.

### CLASS 2

**Gracie**  
for great listening skills all week.

### CLASS 3

**Lori-Lee**  
for always trying her best and for being kind and helpful.

### CLASS 4

**Hope**  
for the amount of effort she puts into her work. She always tries hard.

### CLASS 5

**Marcus**  
for his fantastic recount writing.

### CLASS 6

**Jessica**  
for her quiet consistency.

## SCHOOL NEWS

Next week marks the start of our Christmas activities. Please ensure you are aware of all events your child will be participating in. All events are listed in the upcoming school events column.

**We are having a Scholastic Book Fayre in school all next week. Parents and carers can call in from 3pm to have a look at the wide selection of books on sale.**

Our Reception Class will take part in a Gymnastics Festival at Spennymoor Leisure Centre next Tuesday. We hope all the children have a really fun time. Parents and carers can go along to watch for a small admission fee.

**Children can take part in a non uniform day on Friday 5th December 2014. All we ask is that you bring in a bottled item such as bubble bath, drinks, perfume etc that can be donated to our school fayre!**

All pupils can join the staff in wearing a Christmas jumper on Friday 12th December and Thursday 18th December 2014.

**Our school has been awarded ‘Silver Status’ by the Sainsbury’s School Games mark. Well done to everyone who has taken part in sporting events for our school!**

Please see the back of this newsletter for the Christmas dinner menu. If your child would like to change from packed lunch on this day please speak to the office asap, thank you.

### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES – Autumn Term 2014

- Tuesday– Computer Club (15max)
- Wednesday–Energy Club (20max) Film Club (14max) Ipad Club (max 15)
- Thursday– Sing for Fun (20max)
- Friday –Netball (20 max)

### Upcoming School Events

**Mon 1st Dec**– Scholastic Book Fayre all this week.

**Tues 2nd Dec**– Gymnastics Festival for Rec Class from 1pm–2.30pm.

**Fri 5th Dec**– Non school uniform day/Bring a bottle.

**Mon 8th Dec**–Booster Class for Year 6 (parents/carers invited) from 4.30pm to 5.30pm.

**Tues 9th Dec**– Selected KS2 children to attend change 4 life event 9–12pm.

**Wed 10th Dec**– FSU Christmas Party from 1pm (no morning provision for nursery as all invited from 1pm).

\*Community Centre Carol Service from 7pm.

**Thurs 11th Dec**– Carols at Acorn Grange with sing for fun club children from 10am.

\*Class 3 to attend Livin Event–Earnest the Elf 9–11

\*Christmas Dinner Day.

**Fri 12th Dec**– Christmas Jumper Day for whole school.

\*Christmas Fayre from 1.30pm (nursery provision am only on this day).

**Mon 15th Dec**– FSU performance from 10am (parents/carers invited).

\*Class 5 & 6 Christmas Party from 1pm.

**Tues 16th Dec**– Class 1 & 2 Christmas Party from 1pm.

**Wed 17th Dec**– Church Service from 10am whole school

\*Class 3 & 4 Christmas Party from 1pm.

**Thurs 18th Dec**– Christmas Jumper Day (whole School)

\*WW1 Christmas Concert (whole school) parents/carers invited from 1.30pm.

\*Break up for Christmas Holidays returning on **Mon 5th January 2015.**

‘Happy Birthday to..’  
**Abigail & Marcus**  
who celebrated their birthdays this week!

### CLASS GUIDE

**FSU**– Nursery and Reception Class

**KS1**– Classes 1 & 2

**KS2**– Classes 3, 4, 5 & 6