

Cornforth Chronicle

Issue 1–Autumn Term

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Friday 6th September 2013

Pupil Attendance

Pupil attendance for the Academic Year 12/13 is 91% 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 12/13

Autumn Half Term– Fri 25th October– Mon 4th November 2013(1 week)

Christmas 2013– Thurs 19th Dec– Mon 6th January 2014 (2 weeks ,1 day)

Spring Half Term 2014– Fri 14th Feb– Mon 24th Feb 2014 (1 week).

Easter 2014– Fri 4th April –Tues 22nd April 2014 (2 weeks , 1 day).

May Day– Mon 5th May 2014 (1 day).

Summer Half Term– Fri 23rd May–Mon 2nd June 2014 (5 days).

Summer 2014– Fri 18th July– Mon 1st September

Pupils of the Week

Nursery-	Lily-Mae
Reception-	Jayden
Class 1-	Sienna
Class 2-	Keven
Class 3–	Selby
Class 4-	Marcus
Class 5-	Tyler
Class 6-	Meisha

SCHOOL NEWS

Welcome back to the start of our new academic year. We hope all your children have settled into their new classes and have enjoyed their first few days.

As you are aware we are getting a new school, meetings are still taking place and we hope that the build will start sometime in October this year. We know you are very interested in this project and will keep you informed of proceedings as soon as we are told.

To celebrate the new build and commemorate our old school we have lots of ideas for activities and events for the children and the whole community to attend. Watch this space for further details....

We have had numerous tickets returned from our balloon race. They all come from the Yorkshire area! Unfortunately we have had problems with our computers and internet this week so we will try and process the results next week. The winner will be announced in next week’s assembly.

Just a reminder to parents that children are not allowed to run across the yard to meet you while you are waiting for KS1 children at 3pm. If you wish your child to walk round to meet you independently please inform your child’s class teacher or the school office, thank you.

Please be aware that there will be NO leave of absence granted in term time. Please refer to the letter overleaf that you all received last term. Thank you.

Upcoming School Events

Fri 20th Sep– Jeans for Genes Day. Pay £1 to come to school dressed in your jeans.

Fri 27th Sep– World’s Biggest Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Charity. From 9.30-10.30am.

Mon 30th Sep– Year 5/6 Basketball Taster Session from 9.30-11.30am

Thur 3rd Oct– Year 5/6 Netball Taster Session from 10-12pm.

Fri 25th Oct– Break up for 1 week for Autumn Half Term.

2 YEAR OLD NURSERY PROVISION

Did you know that we now offer 15hours a week Nursery provision for 2 year olds. You can apply for a free place if you qualify by being on certain benefits.

We are holding a drop in session all next week from 1-3pm to view our 2 year old room.

If you are interested please call in and have a chat with Mrs Allen who will be running this unit.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES –Autumn Term 2013

Monday
 Tuesday– DANCE CLUB for 6 weeks (20 max)
 Wednesday
 Thursday
 Friday

ALL ACTIVITIES START WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER.
 CONSENT FORMS AVAILABLE FROM WEDNESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER.



FSU– Nursery and Reception
KS1– Classes 1 & 2
KS2– Classes 3, 4, 5 & 6