



Friday 10th May 2019

## WINNERS THIS WEEK

**Infants:** Isabella for trying so hard in everything

**Lower Junior:** Lola Crosby and Lola Cross for fantastic team work, being supportive of their friends and getting along with everyone

**Upper Junior:** Daniel McGuirk for working really hard all week and being very enthusiastic whilst performing in his friend's plays

**Class 1** This week our caterpillars turned in to chrysalises, and the children have enjoyed attaching the chrysalids to paper and hanging them in their 'hatching' habitat. In maths, all three year groups have been looking at weights and halving. The children have also been enjoying their dinosaur topic, they have learned lots of interesting facts and the year 1's have even started writing some dinosaur poetry!

**Class 2** In maths we have been investigating fractions, splitting quantities and revisiting word problems linked to odd and even numbers. In English we have been looking at questions that need us to deduce or infer in our reading comprehension sessions. We have also been learning about shortening two words and using an apostrophe eg "cannot" turning into "can't."

**Class 3** The juniors have had a terrific week this week! They have created an amazing wall hanging depicting our local area. They have all learned about the different stages of the felting process (which they used to create the hanging) we can't wait to see it when it is 'dry'! In English, the children have written and performed modern Shakespeare and Mary Shelley plays. In science, we have looked at sun safety and the suitability of different materials to design and make modern sunglasses. The year 6's have continued to work very hard and are ready for their SATs next week- and their after SATs party on Thursday afternoon!!



**General Notes** Can all juniors please ensure they have wellington boots and waterproof coats with them in school next week. Thank you

**Bikeability** Bikeability have confirmed their training schedule to start the week of Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June for years 5 and 6. (The training takes place over the five days) Please could you send in any outstanding consent forms a.s.a.p. Thank you.

**Year 6 sats** Please remember there will be a 'breakfast club' for year 6 ONLY to get them in the right frame of mind for their SATs exams Monday through to Thursday. Please arrive at 8.15am for cereal, toast, bacon butties etc. - and a last minute revision session.

**Transition dates** We have received some transition dates:

Whitehaven academy: Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July.

Cockermouth School: 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> June

St. Joseph's: Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June.

Correspondence and details about your child's secondary school will be delivered directly to you home, not to Lowca School.

### ANYONE FOR SUNGLASSES??



| DATE AND TIME                                     | EVENT   |
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| Mon.13/05/19-<br>Thur. 16/05/19<br>9.00am-11.30am | SATs exams for Year 6. Please see above note in regards to the Year 6's 'Breakfast Club'. |
| Thurs. 16/05/19<br>afternoon                      | <b>Change of Date</b> SATS PARTY FOR YEAR SIXES!!!!                                       |
| Mon.20/05/19<br>1.00pm-1.20pm                     | Katrina giving Methodist assembly   |
| Thu.23/04/19<br>9.00am                            | Mrs Brown from Whitehaven Academy coming to speak to students moving up in September      |
| Fri.24/05/19                                      | <b>School finishes for half term at 3.15pm</b>  |
| Thurs.27/06/19-<br>Fri.30/06/19                   | Year 6 Newcastle trip- paperwork will be issued shortly.                                  |