



Cumberworth's Weekly Newsletter

Friday 11th July 2025

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

This week brings mixed emotions as we say goodbye to our wonderful Y5 children and parents. Thank you all for being such an important part of our Cumberworth school community. I have loved getting to know you all over the last two years and I wish you all the very best for the future. Our door is always open to each and every one of you and we hope you keep in touch and let us know about all the fantastic things you are doing at middle school and beyond. You were brilliant both in the Church school leavers service yesterday and our own in-school celebration this morning, sharing your talents and memories with your parents.

What an exciting week it's been across the school! Team Lenny enjoyed their Create Day with the Royal Ballet and Opera, and our EYFS/KS1 children took part in the Forget Me Not run at Shelley College. Well done to Emmeline who was the first girl across the line!

Our Summer Fair was a great success this afternoon, and a few of us were lucky enough to get into the Wimbledon spirit with strawberries and cream on court number one. We also held our last transition afternoon for our September starters - you have all been amazing and we look forward to welcoming some of you back next week.

Finally, Year 4 and 5 had an important drugs awareness afternoon, helping them make informed choices as they grow.

Mrs Claxton

Transition week

Next week the children will spend most of the week in their new teams, touching base each morning and late afternoon with their current teams. Next year teams will be named after one of the 7 wonders of the modern world.

EYFS/Y1 – Team Taj Mahal

Y1/2 - Team Colosseum

Y3/4 - Team Redeemer

Y4/5 - Team Machu Pichu

They will spend the week learning about their wonder, the country and traditions within it.

Whole School Attendance Figures

Our target is 97% attendance.

Attendance	W/C 30.6.25	This Week
Whole School	96.73%	97.05%
Reception	97.22%	97.21%
Year 1	97.67%	98.58%
Year 2	95.56%	96.87%
Year 3	100%	98.57%
Year 4	96.67%	96.81%
Year 5	98.1%	96.54%

Congratulations to this year's Stars!

Attenborough –

Star of the year is: Emily

Most improved: Noah

Sharman –

Star of the year is: Florence

Most improved: Isaac

Lenny –

Star of the year is: Penelope

Most improved: Hunter

Roberts -

Star of the year is: Emma

Most improved: Bella

Mrs Claxton's Stars of the year:

Mia, Mia-Rose, Arthur B, Beatrice, Felix, Peggy,
Harriet, Abigail, James B, Emma B, Amelie, Mace,
Daisy M



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Reminders

- Snacks at morning break should be healthy ones such as fruit, vegetables, cheese or yogurt. Crisps, biscuits and chocolate will be sent home, and a healthy alternative offered.
- PE Kit - should be plain black/navy bottoms and plain black/navy hoodies/fleece. Grey and white hoodies/sweatshirts are not part of our school PE uniform or colourful leggings.
- A reminder that nail varnish should not be worn in school unless on a themed/non uniform day. Earrings should be studs only, not hoops which should be removed or taped over at home for PE sessions. No other jewellery should be worn, and children will be asked to remove this at school and put into bookbags moving forwards.

Learning Accord Handwriting Competition

Last week at the trust leadership day that Joel and Martha B attended, all schools in the Learning Accord Trust were asked to take a piece of handwriting from each year group to enter in to a handwriting competition in the following categories:

Best hand writer and most improved over the year.
Awards were given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each category.

We are so proud that we came back with 4 certificates. In 1st place for best hand writer in reception Olive B, in 1st place for best hand writer in year 1 Elspeth, in 2nd place for best hand writer in year 2 Abigail and in 3rd place for most improved hand writer in reception Olivia.

School Meals - Price Increase

From September 2025 the price of school dinners will increase to £2.85 per day. Children in reception, Year 1 & 2 will continue to receive Universal Infant Free School Meals. Unless your family is in receipt of Statutory (means tested) Free School Meals, all children from Year 3 (in Sept) to Year 5 will need to pay for dinners and ensure that their dinner money accounts are in credit.

Stockeld Park, Wednesday 16th July

We will travel by coach, leaving school at 9:00am and returning before the end of the school day (providing there are no traffic problems). Children should arrive at school for registration promptly at 8:45am.

The children should come to school in their uniform and should also bring a waterproof coat, sun hat and possibly sun cream.

Please can the children bring a small backpack that they can carry their lunch and water bottle in.

Devices such as the Apple AirTag and electronic watches, that are essentially tracking devices with the capability of sending video footage from the device back to the person tracking i.e. parent that have the potential to post locations of children's whereabouts on social media will not be allowed under any circumstances on school visits and must not be hidden in pockets/bags etc. If any tracking devices are found on pupils the device will be removed and returned to school.

Diary Dates

July

14th – Team Lenny Ambassadors to Oakwell Hall for the Creative Unity Project
15th – Meet the teacher open door event for parents 3:30pm- 5:00pm
16th – Whole school visit to Stockeld Park
18th – Break up

September

2nd – School reopens to children