



# Cotherstone Primary School

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## Champions!

By Callum and Nathan

On Monday 20th June our football team went to Woodland School to the annual football tournament. The adults that came to watch were Mr B, Russell, Claire, Jane and Jill. The teams that took part were Montalbo, Ingleton, Startforth, Butterknowle, Woodland and us. In the first match we drew with Woodland 0-0 but we should have won 5 or 4-0! We played Montalbo in the second match and we beat them 1-0. Next we played Butterknowle and we beat them 2-0, then we played Startforth 4-0, next we played In-



gleton. In the semi final we played Montalbo and we won 2-0, taking us through to the final against Ingleton. We drew 1-1 in the match, which led to a penalty shoot-out, which we won 2-0 making us the champions of the Woodland Tournament!

*We would like to say a massive thank you to Mick and Mr B who have coached us throughout the year.*

## Picnic Tables

Thanks to Councillors Bell and Henderson and Teesdale Action Partnership for funding the purchase of six colourful picnic tables. The children are now able to enjoy their lunch outside when the weather is suitable.

## School Uniform

It has come to light that items of uniform are getting misplaced when Class 1 go swimming on a Monday. Please check your child's uniform is clearly labelled and return any items that have strayed.

## Sun Protection

Please ensure that sun protection sent into school is clearly labelled with your child's name.

## Head Lice

Please check your child's hair, we have been warned the little pests are on the go!

## Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

If you have any vouchers lurking at home please send them in next week as we will be sending them off soon. Thank you.

## Science Day

By Matthew & Amelia

On Wednesday 21st June the whole of Class 3 took part in a Science Day with Toni and Susannah from the Centre for Life, Newcastle.

## Dates for your diary

Dates in bold are new additions from the last

### Newsletter

28th Jun - Cricket Team to BCCC - **Packed lunches required**

30th Jun - FOCS Bingo night 6:30pm - 8:30pm

30th Jun - Class 1 trip to Hamsterley Forest

1st Jul - Celebration Assembly 2:45pm

5th Jul - Yrs 3 & 4 to Outdoor Activity Festival @ Teesdale School

**5th Jul - Reports issued**

13th Jul - Sports Afternoon

**13th Jul - Reports evening**

14th & 15th Jul - Year 6 induction days at Teesdale School

15th Jul - Celebration Assembly 2:45pm

19th Jul - Leavers Assembly

20th Jul - school closes for summer break

6th Sep - school re-opens

*Don't forget to book your child's place at Cool Kids!*

Contact Claire on 0751 2917262

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In the morning we built paper rockets and tested them. In the afternoon we went into a planetarium then after that we tested rocks to see if they were meteorites. It was amazing!

### **Staff Offsite**

None expected

### **Homework**

Class 1 - No homework

Class 2 - will be issued on Monday

Class 3 - will be issued on Monday

## **News from The Friends of Cotherstone School**

A big thank you to everyone that helped out at the Cotherstone fun weekend FOCS barbecue on Sunday. It was a big success and we raised £302. It was a lot of hard work for those involved but a fantastic result.

### **Bingo Night**

**Thursday 30th June 6:30-8:30pm**

Please come along with your family, friends and neighbours to enjoy a great bingo night held at our school. The event starts at 6:30pm and finishes at 8:30pm. Refreshments are included in the entry price of £1 per family and it's 50p a bingo ticket.

We will also have a lovely stall called 'Sweet Tooth' which will be selling chocolates and sweets to purchase as either gifts or smaller packs of sweet goodies to keep the children (and adults) going throughout the night. I can highly recommend many of the items as the girl who runs the stall can cater for any event including weddings favours, christening favours, children's party bags, thank you gifts to teachers and much more!

We are hoping to sell cakes with the refreshments so donations of baked items would be gratefully received.

Please send in prizes for both children and adults for this event. They can be things such as bottles of wine, smellies, books, children's crafts, colouring pens and chocolate etc. If you are able to help at this event please contact me [jennilee100@googlemail.com](mailto:jennilee100@googlemail.com) I would like to say thank you to Claire Dominick in advance for organising and running this event. Your support is vital to the school. Thank you.