



Happy Friday!

Hello everyone. We have reached the end of the fifth half-term of the school year. This school year has absolutely flown by and I can't quite believe that we've only got **one half-term** left before the summer. This week has been another week of beautiful weather and I have really enjoyed getting out onto the school field at break and lunch times. This week, we welcomed **Reverend Doherty** into school to deliver a session on the theme of **trust**. This is a key message and links to the ongoing work we do on **stranger danger** and not to always trust someone that you don't know. As more and more of our children enjoy playing out in the evenings, we hope they are able to do so safely. As always, we have loads of **engaging** and **exciting** activities lined up for next half-term but, before then, I hope you all enjoy a **peaceful** and **relaxing** break with your lovely children! Many thanks, Mr Routledge

Circus Skills and Archery

On **Wednesday**, all children from **Nursery** through to **Year Six** took part in **circus skills** workshops. They worked with **external experts** who delivered **30 minute sessions** with each class. Then **yesterday**, our **Key Stage Two** children took part in **archery** sessions on the school field. Each class spent more than an hour working on **basic archery skills** and had the opportunity to **fire real arrows!**

Sports Day

This year, **Sports Day(s)** will take place on:

Monday 3rd July 2pm - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Friday 7th July 2pm - Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6

Parents will be invited to watch the events and we look forward to seeing you all in school - fingers crossed we get some lovely weather for it.

Robinwood 2024

In **March**, we sent out a letter to our current **Year 5** parents ahead of running **Robinwood** in **January 2024** when children will be in **Year 6**. We have determined that there is sufficient interest to go ahead with the trip which we're all looking forward to. To secure your child's place, we will ask for a **£20 deposit** by **Friday 23rd June**. The full **cost** of the trip to you is **£140**. We have subsidised a significant proportion of the trip to make it more affordable and we have also deliberately set up a **payment plan** to spread the cost over several months. Please note, the payment plan is not yet set up but will go live **after the half-term break**.

INSET Days

A further reminder that **Monday 26th June** will be an **INSET Day** so school will be closed. INSET Days for the **2023-24 academic year** will be **as follows:**

-Monday 4th September

-Thursday 26th October

-Friday 27th October

The two consecutive days are in place for **October** so staff can complete two days of **statutory paediatric first aid**. It is unusual for us to have **INSET days** on consecutive days so we were keen to give you as much notice as possible to arrange child care.

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Warm Weather

A further reminder that with the **warm weather**, please ensure you send your child into school with a **full water bottle** each day. If it is particularly hot, please apply **sun cream** before school. School staff are **not permitted** to apply sun cream so it may be wise to use an all day cream. Please note that **open toe sandals** and **crocs** are not appropriate for school. Now that the lovely weather is here the children are out on the field most days. If your child wears a summer dress, they are very welcome to wear shorts underneath.

Out of School Club

This week at **Fun Club**, the children have enjoyed a range of arty activities. The number of children using our wraparound care is continuing to grow which is wonderful to see. For more information, please follow the links below.

Registering and Booking <https://trinityyouthassociation.ipalbookings.com/>

Email: beaconhillloosc@trinityyouth.org.uk

Breakfast Club 07:45 - 08:45 is **£3.00** per pupil

After School Club 3:15 - 4:15 is **£4.00** per pupil is 3:15 - 5:15 = **£7.00** per pupil



TTRS

It has been another fantastic week for our children using **TTRS**. It was especially pleasing to pick up another **inter school** win against **King Edward Primary** in North Shields. **Mr Gray's** children averaged **9984** coins each this week which was enough to defeat their year 4 opponents at **King Edward** who picked up **8467** coins on average. Our plan is to extend these battles to include **Year 3, Year 5** and **Year 6 after half-term** (especially if we keep on winning!)

