

Shine Together ☆☆☆

Issue 73

Our School Motto: Work Together, Aim High, Shine Bright

Attendance this week: 96.6% 😊



26th June '26

London Residential – The year 5 & 6 children had a great time in London and enjoyed some fabulous sunny days. They visited the Natural History Museum, enjoyed a walking tour of the famous landmarks, watched The Lion King, went on the London Eye and visited Harry Potter World (plus more!).



Keswick School performance – Today the children enjoyed a selection of songs from Keswick School's production.



Green Foodbank Day

– The children all looked great in green for the foodbank day today and we've collected a lot of groceries for the local Cockermouth foodbank.



Thank you for all your donations 😊



Golden Certificates...

There were no Golden Jumpers this week as the children were enjoying Matilda instead.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 29th June **Non uniform Day** for a donation for the Summer Fayre. *We are sorry that this has fallen so close to the Foodbank Day.*

Tues 30th – Guitar lessons

Tues 30th and Wed 1st July – Yr6 Cockermouth School Move Up days

Tues 30th – Yr2 French Club 3.15-4.15pm for those signed up with Emily the Language Tutor

Tues 30th – Yr3 & Yr4 After School Athletics for those signed up on Arbor

Wed 1st – Move up morning in school

Wed 1st – New Reception children 'Taster Morning'

Wed 1st 6.30pm – New Reception parents meeting

Fri 26th - Woodwind lessons

Sunday 5th July – 11am–1pm Summer Fayre – See Poster Attached

Looking ahead...

6th July – Yr5 PE Event at Cockermouth School

10th July – Yr5 Humanities Event @C'Sch

Monday 13th July – Provisional Sports Day TBC

Latest News

Whole School Photo – The whole school photo is available to buy from Tempest if you would like to purchase a copy. Details are in the email sent out this week.



Summer Fayre – ‘Beat the Queue’ tickets are available to buy in advance on Arbor. It’s buy 5 get 1 free. Please go to Quick Actions/SchoolShop/Tickets for the Summer Fayre and see the poster below. Tickets will be sent home towards the end of next week.

NEW GOVERNORS WANTED!

We are looking to recruit 2 new governors for our Governing Board at BDS.

One is for a Parent Governor and the other is for a Co-opted Governor (which means you don’t need to have a connection to the school already).

Being a governor is a very rewarding position and doesn’t take up too much time!

If you are interested, please contact our Clerk to the Governors
clerk@bridekirkdovenby.cumbria.sch.uk or contact the office on 01900 829889

Classes for next year – The information about which class your child will be in next year will be sent home next week ready for ‘move up day’ on Wednesday.

School Dinners – We are aware that some people have had problems logging into Arbor this week. Unfortunately, this seems to be a problem with the App and Arbor is still investigating it. It’s Mac n Cheese for the first time on Monday. Please order by midnight on Sunday night and also select packed lunches where applicable. If you’re still experiencing problems with Arbor, please email us your child’s lunch choices.

Toys – Please can we remind you again not to send toys into school under any circumstances as they could get lost, broken, damaged or given away which causes upset.

Speakers’ Competition Winner 😊-

Congratulations to Dion who won the Speakers’ Competition held in Christ Church this week. There were 11 children participating from all the local primary schools. Dion spoke about meeting a boy from the Ice Age. Harriet also impressed the judges with her speech about life through the eyes of her cat Claude. You both made us very proud!



FOBDS Corner – It’s the **non-uniform day in school on Monday** in exchange for a donation for the Summer Fayre. We are asking for donations for our chocolate tombola, bottle tombola and our ‘shop local’ hampers (a new initiative this year 😊). Your donations always make such a HUGE impact on the success of all Christmas and Summer fayres, so a very BIG THANK YOU in advance. Please see the posters attached for more details.

Our Christian Vision:

At Bridekirk Dovenby School, we nourish the uniqueness of our community. Rooted in love, a rich and diverse curriculum enables all to flourish and grow. Confident and secure, our children reach out, ready to embrace the seasons of life in all its fullness.

Psalm 1 “They are like trees, planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither. In all they do, they prosper.”



WE WOULD LIKE TO ASK FOR
DONATIONS
FOR OUR MUCH-LOVED HAMPERS.



THIS YEAR, OUR THEME
FOR EVERY YEAR GROUP
IS GOING TO BE

**SHOP
LOCAL!**

WE ALSO HAVE SOME
**AMAZING
VOUCHERS**

♥ GENEROUSLY DONATED BY OUR ♥
LOCAL SHOPS AND
RESTAURANTS TO GO INTO
OUR RAFFLE.



THANK YOU FOR HELPING US MAKE OUR SUMMER FAYRE
A HUGE SUCCESS FOR OUR SCHOOL!

BRIDEKIRK DOVENBY SCHOOL

TICKETS ON



Arbor

SCHOOL

SUMMER FAYRE



MORE FUN. LESS QUEUE. MORE TIME TO ENJOY!

BEAT
THE
QUEUE!



SKIP THE QUEUE.
GET STRAIGHT TO THE FUN!

- ✓ Log in to Arbor.
- ✓ Press Clubs.
- ✓ Select your tickets there.

★ Tickets are £1 each.

★ Tickets can also be bought on the day!

FAST
TRACK
TICKETS!

USE YOUR TICKETS FOR:



GAMES



ACTIVITIES



RAFFLE

★ ONE TICKET. ALL THE FUN. ★

BUY MORE & SAVE!

BUY 5

=

GET 1
FREE!

BUY 10

=

GET 2
FREE!



More tickets = More fun!
Perfect for families and friends.



TICKETS CAN ALSO BE PURCHASED
FOR GAMES AND RAFFLES ON THE DAY AS WELL.

PLEASE BRING CASH!

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL! ❤️



TOUCH A TRUCK

Cockermouth Rotary Club Family Fun Day
BIG vehicles. BIG fun.

What's on?

- BIG trucks, tractors, emergency services vehicles.
- Fairground rides.
- Live music, delicious food and drink.
- CockerPaws dog show and much more...



Where is it?

James Walker's Site.
Entrance from Wakefield Road.

When and how much?

Sunday 28th June: 11am to 4pm.
Adult tickets only £5 and
accompanied children free –
includes fairground rides.



A brilliant day out for all ages