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## **Newsletter 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2022**

### **Summer Term 2022**

The third and final term of the year has now begun. We are all looking forward to the new term and the promise of good weather so that we can all enjoy the outdoors as much as possible. We have a number of different events lined up for our pupils and we know that they enjoy this time of year at school as much as the adults.

### **Air Ambulance**

Thank you everyone for your donations to the Air Ambulance appeal. We have received many bags and they have been stored in school. We are all very pleased that we could support such a worthy cause and contribute so much towards it.

### **Bewcastle School Swimming Pool**

We are very excited and pleased at the prospect of the opening of the school pool at the end of this half-term. The committee have been very busy getting the pool ready and contractors have been in making adjustments to the fabric of the pool and surrounds. This year we will have a portaloos on site which should make the whole pool experience more comfortable. We will send out further information very soon regarding membership and pupil swimming days.

### **Red Nose Day**

School raised a total of £17 for the annual Red Nose Day appeal. Thank you all for your support.

### **Building Work at Bewcastle School**

On Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> May, builders will start work on the new roof at Bewcastle School. They will be replacing all the tiles and putting on additions to the flat roof in its entirety. Needless to say there will be a bit of disruption to the daily routines at school especially when the hall roof is being replaced. There will be a fair amount of scaffolding surrounding the school. All health and safety aspects have been discussed and the pupils will be briefed about the whole operation. We will keep you informed about all aspects of the work.

### **SATs**

On Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May SATs will start for our Year 6 children. We will have a 'Breakfast Club' for these pupils – children will arrive at school at the normal time and be given some breakfast before they take the tests. Children in Year 2 will also be taking SATs during this month. Year 1 pupils have a Phonics Screening test in June whilst our Year 4 pupils will be taking the Multiplication Tables Test, also in June.

### **Diary Dates**

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May - Pool meeting and clean up 3.30pm, all welcome.

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May - Whole School photo

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Half term.

All the best for the week ahead

Mark Ashton