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Dear Parents,

Welcome to the latest newsletter. This half term is really flying past and the evenings are already starting to get lighter. As always, there is lots going on in school.

***** **Don't forget, Friday 17th February is a teacher training day.*******

Marathon Kids

Our marathon running has got off to a great start with all children joining in and setting themselves new challenges each week. Some of the children have already run over 4 km but more importantly everyone is trying hard and amazing themselves by what they can achieve.

The children need to keep bringing their trainers and some spare socks on Tuesdays.

Cake sale

The Parents and Friends organisation are holding a St Valentine's day cake sale after school on Tuesday. All donations of cakes (themed or otherwise!) will be gratefully received and don't forget to come and buy the cakes, too.

Friends of Newbrough Primary School Meeting Monday 13th Feb - 7pm in school

All welcome!

As parents of children in school, you are all automatically members of the Friends who do an amazing job raising money for the school.

New faces and new ideas are always welcome.

World Book Day

Is on Thursday 2nd March.

We will be asking the children to dress up as a character from their favourite book and taking part in a variety of book-themed activities throughout the day.

Singing in Harmony

Children in Class 2 and 3 are busy practising for this event in April where we will join with other primary schools across the area at Haydon Bridge High School for a day of singing and musical activities. More details closer to the time.

Parent and Toddler Group

The parent and toddler group is now meeting in the school hall from 9am-11am on a Wednesday morning. New members are always welcome. If you have any queries, then speak to Lindsey Hitch or Emily Best or check out the Facebook page.



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<p>And a request from the Early Years team... The outside classroom is an important part of the Early Years learning environment. At the moment, a lot of the equipment which is outside is being played with after school and then left lying around. This makes it very difficult for staff to set up ready for the next day. Please could parents make sure that the children are supervised in this area after school and that it is left tidy. Thank you.</p>																															
<p>And finally..... As ever, your views and feedback on anything, large or small, are very welcome.</p>																															
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