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GLUSBURN COMMUNITY PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Bring a Bottle

A huge thank you to everyone who contributed to our recent **'Bring a Bottle' non-uniform day**. The generosity shown by our families was, as always, remarkable. Your donations will help make our Summer Fayre even more successful, and we are incredibly grateful for the support you give to our school.

Global Learning Award Nomination

We are delighted to share some exciting news. Our school has been **nominated for a Global Learning Award**, recognising our commitment to developing pupils' understanding of the wider world and preparing them to be thoughtful global citizens.

This is a wonderful achievement for the whole school community and reflects the hard work of our pupils, staff and families. We are looking forward to attending the award ceremony in Leeds next Friday and will share the outcome with you as soon as we can.

Cricket Success

Congratulations to our fantastic **Year 3/4 girls' cricket team**, who recently competed in the cricket final in Harrogate. The girls represented the school brilliantly, showing great determination, teamwork and sportsmanship throughout the competition. Particular praise must go to those pupils who stepped in at the last minute to help the team.

Attendance and Honesty

Finally, I would like to address an important attendance matter. We understand that families occasionally choose to take holidays during term time. However, we ask that parents and carers do not report children as being ill when they are, in fact, away on holiday or at a competition.

Aside from the fact that this rarely stands up to scrutiny—particularly when siblings are reported as being unwell at exactly the same time—it also sends an unhelpful message to children about honesty and accountability.

In addition, inaccurate absence reporting affects the public health and attendance data that schools and local authorities rely upon. When holidays are recorded as illness, it can create a misleading picture of health trends within our school community and make it appear that we are experiencing outbreaks of things such as norovirus.

We greatly appreciate your cooperation in ensuring absence reasons are reported accurately.

Dates for your diary

Friday after school – Drama

25.06.2026 Year 5 Evening at South Craven School – 5.45-7.45pm

26.06.2026 Non- Uniform Day –Bring Chocolate

26.06.2026 2.45pm Year 1 Assembly for Parents

29.06.2026 South Craven Transition day for Year 6

30.06.2026 South Craven Transition day for Year 6

30.06.2026 3.45pm Rec to Y1 transition info for parents

01.07.2026 2pm Rocksteady Concert for participating pupils (Weds group)

01.07.2026 3.45-4.30pm – Open Classrooms

02.07.2026 Class 10 Farm Trip

03.07.2026 Class 11 Farm Trip

03.07.2026 3.30 -5pm – Summer Fayre

06.07.2026 2pm EYFS Fun Run

08.07.2026 Year 3 visit to Cliffe Castle

08.07.2026 5pm Reception Graduation

09.07.2026 9.30am KS1 (Y1/Y2) Sports Day

09.07.2026 2pm Rocksteady Concert for participating pupils (Thurs group)

10.07.2026 9.30am KS2 Sports Day

14.07.2026 Year 2 trip to Nell Bank

15.07.2026 2pm and 6pm Year 6 Performance

17.07.2026 9am Year 6 Coffee Morning

17.07.2026 Break Up for Summer