



TEMPLE SOWERBY CE SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Friday 17th May 2024

Dear Parents,

We just have a short update this week to let you know what we've been up to in the last few weeks and about the events planned in the coming weeks. As always, please see the calendar over the page for important dates; these can also be found on the school website at www.temp-sow.cumbria.sch.uk/news-and-events/school-calendar.

Incredible Eggs Experience—Ducklings

Over the last two weeks, we have hatched and have been caring for 4 beautiful ducklings, which the children named Puddles, Sponge, Lenny and Daisy. The children have loved watching them hatch and grow, often running in to school to see them each morning— it has been a fantastic experience for us all. Sadly, today we said goodbye to them as they have gone to their new home with one of our families. We were all very sad to see them go but are looking forward to updates from their new family!



After School Clubs

Clubs for the next half term are listed below. Please note children in pre-school will not be attending gardening club but alternative childcare will be provided for any who need it or for any other children who are not on the list for gardening club.

- **Monday** Action Ants— TBC
- **Tuesday** Action Ants— TBC
- **Wednesday** Gardening Club
- **Thursday** Art Club
- **Friday** Band Club



As ever, clubs are Monday to Thursday, 3.30pm to 5.00pm (£3.50 per session), and Fridays 3.30pm to 4.30pm (£2.50 per session). **Please email Katie in the office to book a space.**

Friends of Temple Sowerby School (FOTSS) —upcoming events

We sent out information last Friday about upcoming FoTSS fundraisers (Kwik Cricket tournament and Sports Day) and have now added sign up sheets on the main door of school for anyone who is able to help at the events.

Life Saving Day

We have been invited to a Life Saving Day at Woggle Goggle Swimming Pool on Monday. This is for strong swimmers only and letters have already gone out to parents of children who are taking part. For those involved, please remember to bring swimming costume/trunks, 2 towels, lightweight/tight fitting pyjamas (or leggings and a long sleeved top), a packed lunch, plenty of snacks and a water bottle.

Library Bus

The Library Bus will be visiting school on Monday afternoon. If your child has any books at home from the Library Bus, please return them on Monday Morning.

Plant Donations

During the summer holidays, Mrs Capstick is volunteering in Ghana with Ankoma Outreach. As part of her fundraising for the charity, there will be a plant stall outside school after half-term. It would be greatly appreciated if anyone with any spare plants at home could donate plants to the stall. Some have been grown by our own gardening club, as well as those donated from various places.

Temple Sowerby Kwik Cricket

We will be hosting our annual Temple Sowerby Kwik Cricket tournament on Wednesday 5th June 4pm to 6pm. We will be in touch next week regarding the teams for this.

Kind regards

Mr K Laithwaite
Headteacher

Date	Time	Event
Every Monday	PM	Action Ants
Every Tuesday	PM	Guitar
Every Wednesday	PM	Forest School Wednesday 22nd May - Reception, Y1 and Y2
Monday 20th May	All Day	Life Saving Day Woggle Goggle Letters have been sent to those taking part
Monday 20th May	1pm—2pm	Library Bus Visit
Monday 20th May	4pm-6.30pm	Long Marton Shield Letters have been sent to those competing
Wednesday 22nd May	9.30am-11.30am	Visit to The Pot Place
Monday 27th May—Friday 31st May	All Day	May Half Term Break
Wednesday 5th June	4pm—6.30pm	Temple Sowerby Kwik Cricket
Friday 7th June	AM	KS2 Action Ants First Aid
Monday 10th June	1pm—3.30pm	Sports Day
Tuesday 18th June	1.15pm—2.15pm	Playground Proms
Friday 12th July	6pm-8pm	Summer BBQ