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Colby School News Issue 38 – Thursday 13th July 2023

Friday 14 th July 2023	Friends of Colby School Summer Fayre from 3pm. After School Club until 5pm – see note below about joining the Summer Fayre.
Monday 17 th July 2023	Breakfast Club from 8am. £5. School Council Ice Fruit Lollies Fundraiser all week – 50p. School field open from 8.30am. Ruby Class trip to ROARR Dinosaur Park. Year 5 / 6 Football at lunchtime. After School Club until 5pm. £5.
Tuesday 18 th July 2023	Breakfast Club from 8am. £5. School field open from 8.30am. Colby Choir practice with Mrs Towers 8.30am (no charge). KS1 Football Club with Ben 3 – 4.15pm. £5. (After School Club available after to 5pm) Girls' Football Club with Hannah 3 – 4.15pm. £5. (After School Club available after to 5pm) After School Club until 5pm. £5.
Wednesday 19 th July 2023	Breakfast Club from 8am. £5. School field open from 8.30am. Sapphire Class Victorian Day. After School Club until 5pm. £5.
Thursday 20 th July 2023	Breakfast Club from 8am. Sapphire Class trip to How Hill. KS2 Football Club after school 3 - 4.15pm with Ben £5. (After School Club available after to 5pm) Netball Club after school 3 - 4.15pm with Mr B £5. (After School Club available after to 5pm) NO KS2 Gardening Club After School Club available after to 5pm
Friday 21 st July 2023	Breakfast Club from 8am. Year 6 Leavers' Assembly at 9.15am. School Closes for the Summer Holidays at 3pm. <u>No After School Club today.</u>



Wednesday 6th September 2023: School re-opens for pupils for the Autumn Term.





Headteacher Awards

Freya (Amber) for amazing manners.

All of Bunnies Phonics Group for fantastic writing.

Amber Year 1s for amazing maths work.



Sports Week 2023

It has been an absolutely fantastic Sports Week again. Lots more details will follow in the next newsletter but I wanted to say thank you for supporting our events this week so enthusiastically.

A huge thank you to Mr Brown, Ben Richards and Ben Towers (Work Experience student) for planning and delivering such a sport filled week full of fun! What absolute stars! We really appreciate all your hard work.



ParentPay®

Please could we ask that you check your ParentPay accounts and look at paying any outstanding balances. We are rapidly coming to the end of the Academic year, and we will have to balance our books before we start the new school year. Thank you.



Year 6 fundraising super star!

Heading into the heart of Scotland, **Freddie** (Amethyst) is aiming to complete his tri-mountain mission by climbing Ben Nevis this weekend. Armed with Kendal Mint Cake and lots of determination, he is hoping to complete the climb to the summit and back in 8 hours! Ben Nevis is 1345m high, 4411 feet above sea level and rain is expected this weekend! Freddie is close to his £500 target to raise money for Colby, it would be fantastic if he met his target this weekend, if you would like to make a small donation to encourage him on his journey and would like to follow his story, please click on the following link:

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/freddieblunt?utm_term=Qqep5GjgE



Summer Fayre

Firstly, FOCS would like to say a huge thank you for all of the tombola prizes that were donated for tomorrow's Summer Fayre, it really is appreciated!

Who's excited for the Summer Fayre?! FOCS certainly are, and we have plenty planned for a fun-filled afternoon which starts at 3pm tomorrow including:

- BBQ (with alternative options for those with dietary requirements)
- Raffle – some amazing prizes up for grabs so get your tickets and the money back to school ahead of the Fayre. If you require more please let the office or Jo R know, and remember Jo R is offering a special prize to the child who sells the most tickets!
- Tombola – tickets will be priced at 5 for a £1
- Lucky bags – these have come home and we would ask if they could be filled with a small prize, if you are able. Before returning the filled bags please clearly mark whether the prize is for girls (G), boys (B) or unisex (U)
- Refreshments and cakes – we will be having a summer bake off competition so if you would like to enter your creation please bring it into school at drop off on the morning of the Fayre
- Face painting - £3
- Temporary tattoos – 10p each
- Second hand uniform
- Games (all 50p per go unless otherwise stated), including:
 - Guess the number of sweets in the jar (10p)
 - Beat the Goalie
 - Nerf gun tin can alley
 - Bean bag target
 - Netball shooting
 - Splat the Rat
 - Hook a Duck
 - Hobby Horse racing
 - Sponges and water (thank you to Ben for being the superstar volunteer for this 😊)

After School Club will run as usual tomorrow. Maddy and Alice will take After School Club over to the field to take part in the Summer Fayre for some of the session. If you would like your child to be able to purchase refreshments or take part on stalls, please send them with some pocket money. Thanks.



End of year reports

It has been my pleasure to read the comments that teachers have written on your children's end of year reports – it has definitely been another fantastic year at Colby School! I'm adding my comments and reports will be sent out over the next few days, as I finish them. Please do not worry if one of your children brings home their report before their sibling!

Christine Mead