



Newsletter term 5 July 2018



Our Christian value for life focus is Truthfulness

DIARY DATES

JULY	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER
Monday July 2 nd and Tuesday July 3 rd Dates for Parents evenings	Monday September 3 rd INSET day	Friday October 19 th Half term
Wednesday July 4 th Hot lunches finish	Tuesday September 4 th School resumes Thursday September 6 th Hot lunches resume	Monday October 29 th School resumes
Wednesday July 4 th to Friday July 6 th Yellow class residential to Braeside		
Friday July 6 th NCSA BBQ		
Thursday July 12 th Race for life from 1.15pm till 2.45pm on the school field		
Tuesday July 17 th School production date 2pm and 6pm in the Village Hall		
Wednesday July 18 th WOW treat circus skills day		
Friday July 20 th 6.00pm Prize giving evening at the school along with a musical showcase		
Tuesday July 24 th Year 6 Leavers service at 9.15am in North Cerney Church		
Tuesday July 24 th Children break up for the summer		

Please note that our INSET days for next academic year are:

Monday September 3rd, Friday December 21st, Monday February 25th, Monday July 22nd and Tuesday July 23rd

GOODBYE TO OUR LEAVERS



It is that time of year that we say goodbye to our Year 6 leavers. These are Ben, Rory, Amber, Kay, Axel and Grace.

Good luck on your journey into high school.

GOODBYE MISS TROMANS

Thank you so much to all the children and parents at North Cerney for letting me be part of the family. It has been an absolute pleasure to work and play with such kind, thoughtful, respectful and humorous young people; it has been a privilege to watch you grow over the past year. I will miss all the giggles and enlightening conversations and will always cherish the memories created during my time here at North Cerney.

I wish you all the very best as you carry on with your journey through education, and I'm sure you'll continue to develop into even more amazing people as you grow up.

From Miss Zara Tromans

All the staff at North Cerney School would like to wish Zara well in her new permanent role in a school closer to home. She has been an integral part of the team for the past year and we wish her all the best for the future.

ERNIE WINNER OVERALL LAST TERM



June 4th - June 8th - Blue Class

June 11th - June 15th - Blue class

June 18 - June 22nd - Yellow and Blue Class

June 25th - June 29th - Yellow Class

July 2nd to July 9th - Yellow Class

CHANGES TO OUR STAFFING NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR

We are constantly looking at ways we can improve the way we meet the individual needs of each child, supporting children who may have some gaps in their understanding and developing able children to a higher level. As part of this drive, from September Mrs Turner will be working with Yellow Class in Year 3 and 4 and Mr Jones will be working with EYFS, Y1 and Y2. This is an exciting time for our school and I am confident you will embrace the changes.

PARENTMAIL

As many parents are aware, the school has merged the text messaging service over to Parentmail. As with any change in system there are usually some glitches. Should you experience these or not be receiving e-mails or weekly updates please contact the school office.

THANK YOU NCSA !

I would like to extend our grateful thanks to the NCSA who have provided the enormous sum of £15000 towards transforming the IT equipment and connectivity in the school. The money has been generously donated by money.com in Cirencester. This investment into technology at North Cerney will be of huge benefit in preparing every child for their future learning and beyond.

We would also like to thank the NCSA for all the wonderful fundraising events this year. The NCSA help to bring our school community together in so many ways and support the school along the way.

Thank you!

AREA SPORTS



A massive well done to Oscar and Felix who qualified for Area sports last week and both came back with medals.

Oscar came first in the 300m sprint and Felix came second in the speed bounce. Well done to you both.

RACE FOR LIFE INSTRUCTIONS



We are excited about our race for life event on Thursday July 12th from 1.15pm to 2.45pm. We will be asking for donations of £1 on the day for the event and would like as many children, families and parents to take part in the mile challenge as possible. We will also be doing some fun activities and races for the children alongside this.

FOREST SCHOOL



On Tuesday and Wednesday June 19th and 20th the children took part in a forest school day with Head First Outdoor education. The children did many team building games as well as making shelters, campfires and many other forest skills. We were blessed with the warm weather and all the children enjoyed the outdoor experience.

WOODWIND AND SINGING LESSONS

Children will now have the opportunity to sign up for Woodwind and singing lessons from September. Lessons are offered on a ten weeks per term basis and are available on an individual, paired or group basis.

Please contact the school office for more information.

SPORTS DAY

After having had to cancel the May sports day, we were blessed, on the Longest Day, with blue skies and sunshine for the June Sports Day. The children were divided into six groups which reflected the attributes an athlete needs: determination, equality, respect, excellence, inspiration and courage.

Mr Peters had set up a carousel of field events and each team then spent time at each activity, gaining points as they went. The activities included jumping, throwing and accuracy events and it was great to see everyone having a go and the older children helping the younger ones.

There was a quick break for drinks before the races started. Track events included sprints, hurdles, egg and spoon and skipping as well as the traditional relays and hotly contested parents' races.

The children were then treated to lollies, kindly provided by NCSA while the scores were added up. After a very close contest, the overall winner was "Team Excellence" but all the children are to be congratulated for their determination and sportsmanship throughout the whole event. Thanks must also go to the children from Y6 who helped set up the course and had additional duties as scorers and young leaders during the afternoon.

PANATHALON



On Thursday 14th June the North Cerney and Bibury Panathlon Team represented the school at the Panathlon finals. They travelled to Hartpury College for the day after achieving first place in the previous heat. The children competed in 8 activities against 7 other teams. Messi football seemed to be the team's favourite activity and collected a Medal during the awards ceremony at the end of that day for competing. Thank you to Sue Dearsley, Miss Tromans and Mrs Bennett-Bright who accompanied them.

ADVANCE DATE FOR DIARY FOR YEAR 5 AND YEAR 6

The school residential for Blue Class this academic year will be going to France. The dates booked in for this are Tuesday June 11th to Friday June 14th

SPANISH CLUB

Children going into year 2 next year can now sign up for Spanish Club, which will return again in September on Monday's afterschool. **Please could all children who would like to attend please let the school office know before the end of the academic year.**

EASY FUNDRAISING

Support our school through [Easyfundraising.org.uk](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk)

Thank you to everyone who has so far signed up to Easy Fundraising, So far we have raised £296.37. The monies go to help fund for resources for the school and educational activity fundraising.

To help us raise more please Join Easy fundraising and you can collect donations for us every time you buy something online. It won't cost a penny extra so please help us raise funds. Every time you shop at Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, Next, Tesco (to name but a few participating retailers) you could be earning money which can be turned into a donation for us. Anyone can do this, so do please ask friends and family to sign up too.

Find out more by going to: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/northcerneyprimaryacademy>.

BIRTHDAYS



Happy birthday to who are all celebrating their birthdays in July and August.

They are Nate, Eliza, Dylan, Emmy, Grace, Blake, Sophie, Josh, Ruby, Eloise, and Sophie.

GALLERY





HAVE A WONDERFUL SUMMER SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER FROM ALL THE STAFF AT NORTH CERNEY

THE KITCHEN CLUB
Learn to cook, eat well for life

SUMMER HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS 2018

<p>TUESDAY 21ST AUGUST</p>  <p>MAD HATTER TEA PARTY £30 ROYAL AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY FOOD CENTRE</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY 22ND AUGUST</p>  <p>SUMMERTIME SOCIAL £30 ROYAL AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY FOOD CENTRE</p>	<p>THURSDAY 23RD AUGUST</p>  <p>UNDER THE SEA COOK-OUT £35 BIBURY TROUT FARM, BIBURY</p>
<p>TUESDAY 28TH AUGUST</p>  <p>FOOTBALL BBQ £30 BUTTS FARM, SOUTH CERNEY</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY 29TH AUGUST</p>  <p>EPIC BBQ LUNCH £30 BUTTS FARM, SOUTH CERNEY</p>	<p>THURSDAY 30TH AUGUST</p>  <p>SEASIDE FISH N' CHIPS £35 BIBURY TROUT FARM, BIBURY</p>

FOR CHILDREN AGES 6 TO 12. LUNCH INCLUDED.
EACH SESSION BEGINS AT 9:30AM AND ENDS AT 3:30PM. BOOKING ON EVENTBRITE.COM.
AFTER-HOURS CARE AVAILABLE AT SELECT WORKSHOPS TILL 5:30PM.