



# NEWSLETTER



## **Remembrance**

Our photo shows the moving tribute that we held last Friday to those from our community who lost their lives in World War 1, World War 2 and also conflicts since then. Thank you to the Parish Council and Mrs McClure who provided the crosses for each of the fallen. Thank you also to those parents who were able to join us for this occasion. On return to school, the children sang some reflective songs and also shared some of their poetry with parents and each other. The work that the children had done in school learning about World War One really helped them to think about how awful it must have been and how fortunate we are now.

## **Anti-bullying week**

This week has been designated 'Anti-bullying week' nationally. The theme this year has been 'Respect' and we have been talking to the children about what that means and how we can show respect for others.

## **Internet safety**

I would like to make you aware of 2 useful websites for parents. CEOP have a website called 'Think you know' which has lots of parent information. Also 'net-aware.org.uk' gives parents information about social networking Apps and online gaming.

## **Topic assembly – change of date**

Teachers have decided that there is still a lot more that they want to cover in Geography and History topics this term, so the end of topic assembly for all classes will now be on **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November at 9am.**

## **Intergenerational work**

School have been asked by High Newton Seniors Community Friendship Club if we could be involved in their Christmas party. In addition they have invited us to come to some interesting art activities during next year. We are hoping that this will be beneficial to the children's learning as well as a support to the older members of the community. Details to follow.

## **Opportunity to be in a pantomime!**

Tricia Calway who organises High Newton village pantomime, has also contacted me to say that they are putting on a pantomime 'in the round' on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>, Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> and Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> December. They are looking for a few children who might like to take part – it seems that they are happy to have different children each night. If you would like to find out more, please phone Tricia on 07949140108

Best wishes

*Sarah Coleman*

*PTO for dates*

**Dates for your diary and information:**

Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	CPPSA cross country – all KS2
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Topic assembly 9am
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	Wind in the Willows – Kendal. All years (not Nursery)
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 to High Newton Seniors Christmas party
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Last swimming session
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Robin Hood dress rehearsal pm
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Robin Hood afternoon performance
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Robin Hood evening performance
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Nativity and carols in church
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	School Christmas lunch
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Finish for Christmas 2pm. No after school club.
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	Spring Term begins