

# Christ Church CofE Primary School



Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026



**SAND PLAY – UPDATE FOR PARENTS AND CARERS FOLLOWING THE LATEST NATIONAL GUIDANCE, WE HAVE BEEN WORKING CLOSELY WITH NORTH TYNESIDE COUNCIL TO CAREFULLY CHECK THE SAND USED IN SCHOOL, CONFIRM ITS SOURCE, AND UPDATE OUR RISK ASSESSMENTS. ONLY A SMALL NUMBER OF SPECIFIC PRODUCTS ARE AFFECTED. WHERE OUR RISK ASSESSMENT SHOWS IT IS SAFE TO DO SO, SAND AREAS ARE NOW BEING BROUGHT BACK INTO USE. THE SAFETY AND WELLBEING OF OUR PUPILS AND STAFF REMAINS OUR HIGHEST PRIORITY. WE WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR THE SITUATION, FOLLOW NATIONAL GUIDANCE, AND TAKE IMMEDIATE PRECAUTIONARY ACTION WHERE THERE IS ANY UNCERTAINTY, INCLUDING RESTRICTING USE IF NEEDED. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT.**

## KEY DATES

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June** - Fun Run at John Spence

**3.45-4.45pm** Talk to parents/carers about finance and scams from Newcastle Building Society

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June** - Year 6 trip to Newcastle Cathedral

Healthy4Life - Year 5 to The Parks

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June**- Sports Day- KS2 9.15am, EYFS and KS1 1.30pm

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June** - Year 6 trip to Newcastle with Building Self-Belief

**Summer Fayre**- Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2pm

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**- Reports sent home

**Week Commencing 6<sup>th</sup> July**- Summer Treat - TBC

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July**- School Breaks up for summer holiday



Newcastle Building Society are coming into school on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 3.45pm. They will be running a session about finances, financial planning and scams. All parents and carers are welcome to attend.

# PE & Sports @Christ Church

★ Highlights this week ★

## Year2 Multi Skills Competition

Year 2 had a brilliant time at a multi skills competition at the Parks Sports centre on Wednesday. They took part in 16 different multi skill stations which worked on their fundamental skills of running, throwing, catching, balance and coordination. They has such a fun time.



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## Year 3 & 4 Athletics at John Spence

Year 3 and 4 went to John Spence High School on Tuesday to take part in a wide range of athletics events that tested our running, throwing and jumping skills. There were some great scores and brilliant athletic performances!



# PE & Sports @ Christ Church



## Highlights this week



### School Sports Crew

Our Sports leaders have been working with Mrs Smith to organise some summer fun for the last term. Our Sports crew have been making plans for a fun World Cup afternoon and preparing for our National School Sports week. They have also been involved in plans to upgrade our playground markings. Watch this space!



We love hearing about all of the sporting achievements outside of school



*Bring your trophies and awards in Friday Celebration assembly*





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Cricket Board Limited

# Free summer camps for girls aged 8-11

DEAR PARENTS,

**NORTHUMBERLAND CRICKET WILL RUN FREE GIRLS DYNAMOS CRICKET CAMPS OVER THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS FOR GIRLS AGED 8-11.**

**THESE ARE TWO-DAY EVENTS RUNNING FROM 10:00-15:00. ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE A PERSONALISED DYNAMOS T-SHIRT FOR ATTENDING.**

**PARENTS ARE VERY WELCOME TO SIGN UP FOR MORE THAN ONE CAMP.**

**TEN CAMPS ARE TAKING PLACE AT CRICKET CLUBS AROUND THE COUNTY, BUT HERE ARE NOTABLE NEARBY OPTIONS FOR NORTH TYNESIDE.**

**BLAGDON: 26TH & 28TH JULY (ONE DAY GAP)**

**SEATON BURN: AUGUST 3RD-4TH**

**BACKWORTH: 10-11 AUGUST**

**BATES COTTAGES 20-21 AUGUST**

**CRAMLINGTON: 24-25 AUGUST**

**TYNEMOUTH: 26-27 AUGUST**

**ATTACHED ARE POSTERS WITH A QR CODE THAT PROVIDE FULL DETAILS.**

**VOUCHER CODES ARE AVAILABLE FOR EACH VENUE THAT WAIVE THE FULL COST.**

**FULL INFORMATION FOR PARENTS CAN BE FOUND ON THE NORTHUMBERLAND CRICKET BOARD WEBSITE.**

OUR **FREE** GIRLS DYNAMOS HOLIDAY  
CAMPS ARE BACK

20-21  
JULY | TYNEDALE

10-11  
AUGUST | BACKWORTH

22-23  
JULY | NEWCASTLE  
CITY

13-14  
AUGUST | CORBRIDGE

26-28  
JULY | BLAGDON  
PARK

20-21  
AUGUST | BATES  
COTTAGES

3-4  
AUGUST | SEATON  
BURN

24-25  
AUGUST | CRAMLINGTON

6-7  
AUGUST | WARKWORTH

26-27  
AUGUST | TYNEMOUTH

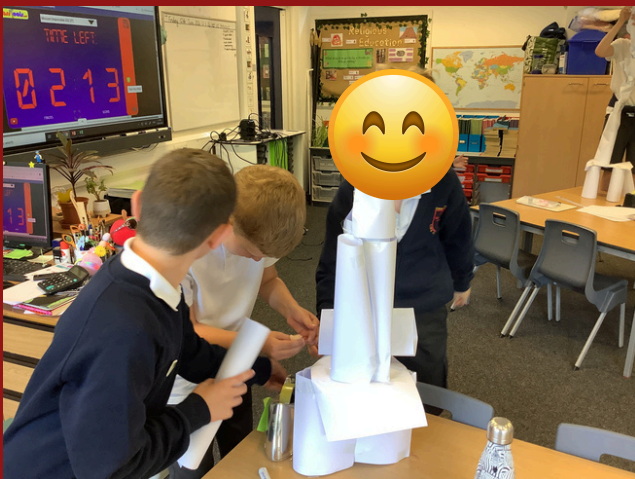
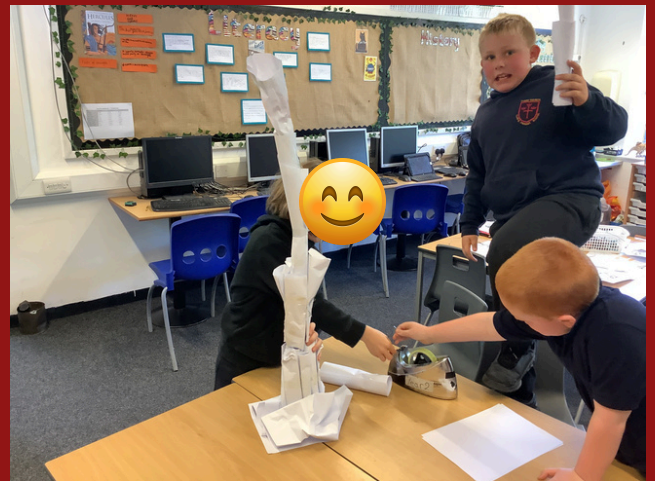
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# Year 4 Mega Maths Taskmaster challenges



Year 4 are taking part in some Taskmaster challenges in teams. This week they had to work together to build the tallest paper tower using only paper and tape.



Congratulations to team “That’s the way the cookie crumbles,” who won this week’s challenge with a tower of 1m and 19cm.



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MONKSEATON  
CLAREMONT GARDENS, NE26 3SF

# REPAIR CAFE

## SATURDAY 18 JULY

### 10AM TO 2PM



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## A COMMUNITY FIXING EVENT

**BRING YOUR LOVED ITEMS FOR REPAIR**

TEXTILES, ELECTRICALS  
WOODWORK, BIKES  
ENVIRONMENTAL WORKSHOPS  
ENERGY ADVICE  
TEA, COFFEE, CAKE



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