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Autumn Term 2025 - Edition 3 - 14th November 2025

New Clubs

Two new Clubs started last week:

Games Club

We have had a fantastic time at our Games Club sessions so far! The children have really enjoyed a mixture of whole group activities and free time to play different games from Jenga to making our own fortune tellers.

Baking Club

It was the turn of the Year 2 Group to start with and they were very busy making firework cookies. They made the dough, rolled it out, cut the stars, baked and then decorated them. They were all very creative icing and adding toppings to the cookies. Your cookies looked amazing - well done everyone.



Firework Biscuits

Ingredients:

- 100g Plain Flour
- 2 tablespoons of light brown sugar
- 50g of unsalted butter
- 100g of milk
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla

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Half Term Challenge

Thank you to the children who took part in our half term challenge.

There were not as many entries this time but the standard was amazing.

Well done all of you and congratulations to Alesha who was our overall winner!



Basic Moves Competition

Dr Convery and Mrs Slessor accompanied a group of Key Stage 1 children to Penrith Leisure Centre to take part in the Basic Moves competition. The children showed fantastic teamwork skills and had lots of fun. Well done to you all!



Halloween Hullabaloo

The children had a Spooktacular day and looked amazing in their Halloween costumes. They had lots of fun taking part in our sponsored Hullabaloo and we raised **£1,561.10 - AMAZING!!** Thank you all so much for your generosity and continued support.



Thank you

A massive thank you to **Mrs Robinson and her husband** and to **Mr and Mrs Martindale** for taking the time to come along during half term to clear the Jungle Garden for us.

It is now looking amazing - we really appreciate your help!



Staff Update

We have recently said goodbye to Mrs Pearce, Miss Allison and Miss Lambert.

Miss Allison and Miss Lambert have both gone travelling and have some very exciting adventures planned.

Mrs Pearce has now started her new job at Penrith Library so you may still see her in town.

It has been a pleasure working alongside you all at Brunswick and we are sorry to see you go but we hope you have some amazing adventures Miss Allison and Miss Lambert and we hope Mrs Pearce enjoys her new role at the Library.

Christmas Fair

Friday 28th November 2025



URGENT PLEA FOR HELP!!

Are you able to help us with any of the following?

- ◆ Unused, pre-loved teddies/soft toys in excellent condition for the Teddy Tombola.
- ◆ Toys, books, games, jigsaws etc in excellent condition for the Bric-a-Brac stall.
- ◆ Any new items for the General Tombola.
- ◆ Donation of a raffle prize for the Class Hampers, please see list outside your child's classroom.
- ◆ Are you able to donate a raffle prize or would you be able to source any raffle prizes from any local businesses - we have details of the Fair on official letterheaded paper, please collect from the office.

Please bring any of the above into school as soon as possible.

Are you able to help us on the day of the Fair or are there any grandparents who would like to help?



We would be extremely grateful for help with any of the above.

Thank you so much in advance for your continued support.

If you **choose not to attend** the Fair and your child takes up the offer of going round the Fair with a member of staff and their friends, please remember to return the activities sheet, stating what your child would like to do at the Fair, with the correct amount of money by **Wednesday 26th November**. On Friday 28th could you please bring a **named carrier bag** into school for their prizes.

If you **choose to attend** the Fair with your child, please collect them from the school office to take them with you to the hall.

Doors open at 1.45 p.m.

Money raised from the Fair will subsidise Christmas parties and Santa gifts on party days as well as subsidising trips and visits.

Tesco Stronger Start Grant



We have been nominated for a Tesco Stronger Start grant.

You can vote for our project which is called 'Brrm Brrm Brunswick' by putting your token in our box. There is no minimum spend - please ask for your token with any purchase and vote for us. We are in three stores until the end of December.

You can vote for us at:

Tesco Penrith Express CA11 8RQ

Tesco Carlisle Express CA3 8HU

Tesco Carlisle Superstore CA1 2SB

If we are successful we could receive between £500 and £1500 for new bikes and scooters which would be amazing!

REMEMBERWe are always here to help. Please do not hesitate to contact either your child's class teacher or Mrs Waugh should you have any worries or concerns.

Dates for your Diary:-

AUTUMN TERM

- 18.11.25 Radcliffe's Rangers forest visit.
- 25.11.25 Re-arranged Radcliffe's Rangers forest visit.
- 28.11.25 Christmas Fair. NO After School Sports Club.
- 29.11.25 School Open Morning for new parents - more information to follow.
- 03.12.25 Key Stage 1 Choir visiting Dutton Lodge.
- 08.12.25 Ladybird Nursery Christmas performance, 2.00 p.m. in school hall.
- 09.12.25 Year 2 and Year 1 Christmas Show, 10.00 a.m. at Penrith Methodist Church.
- 10.12.25 Busy Bees and Dazzling Dragonflies Christmas Show, 9.30 a.m. in school hall.
- 15.12.25 Year 1 and Year 2 children visiting North Lakes School to watch the dress rehearsal of their Nativity.
- 16.12.25 Reception and Ladybird Nursery Christmas party with Stu-di-do - non-uniform.
- 16.12.25 Key Stage 1 Cinema visit.
- 17.12.25 Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch.
- 17.12.25 Year 2 and Year 1 Christmas party.
- 19.12.25 2.00 p.m. Christmas Carols Singalong for all, then take children home (NO After School Club on this day).

Autumn term ends Friday 19th December.

Spring term 2026 starts Wednesday 7th January 2026.

Spring half term Monday 16th February - Friday 20th February.

Spring term ends Friday 27th March 2026.

Summer term starts Monday 13th April 2026

Summer half term Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May.

Summer term ends Friday 17th July 2026.