



Weekly Bulletin

Term 3 Week6: Friday 21st May 2021

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Welcome to our weekly newsletter. Despite the wet weather of the past few days I hope this find you well.

We have had a number of pupil absences this week, particularly the backend of the week with lots of folks, coughs etc going around. We are also aware of some positive Covid cases in our community again – a reminder about the importance of still following all guidance. Well wishes to everyone for full and speedy recoveries. Quite a few of the staff team are fighting various ailments too! Hopefully we will all manage another week before a well deserved half term break!

Special mentions assembly: here is the link for today's celebration special mention assembly – please do watch it at home! This is comes in two parts after a technical hitch! I am joined, this week, by two expert helpers!

part 1 via: <https://youtu.be/FbUu2uMGV1g>

and for part 2: https://youtu.be/c54Ow_3PuCA

I hope you enjoy watching . I have already booked into more of our Year 6 children to help me with next week's Celebration assembly too!

Next week:

- Next week is the last week of this half term, with the May half term break beginning at close of play on Friday 28th May. Children will return to school on Monday 7th June 2021
- Friday 28th May is a non-uniform day. More to follow on this early next week – all proceeds of this day will go towards raising money to provide amazing technical equipment to support our very own Noah . We will be asking for donations (e.g. a usual suggested amount of £1 but would greatly welcome more.)

September 2021 &staffing update:

Planning for September is well underway. I am delighted to inform everyone that Miss Watling will be returning from maternity leave in July 2021 and be with us again next academic year. I am equally thrilled that Mrs Short and Miss Jackson will also be remaining with us on a permanent basis moving forward. This means we will able to maintain our entire existing teaching team which is great news. After the half term break I will be sharing with you which teacher(s) will be teaching each class and the names of our classes too.

FYI We will once again have 6 classes in our school and it is highly probable that the classes will remain as they are now and simply move up e.g. no reshuffle of current mixed age classes. Our September intake will be single age/year class.

I spoke to year 6 today and we quickly worked out that they only have 8 more weeks left at Carlton primary School! Time flies!

On Monday Mr Clennan (Headteacher at Selby CP and CEO of Selby Educational Trust) are hopefully appointing our new music tutor, who will lead music across both school sites from September. Exciting times!

I spoke to Miss Jackson this week, who is recovering from her operation. She is making good progress and will be back with us sometime shortly after half term. A huge Thanks to Miss Gray and Mrs Whaley for their efforts and work with Harrier class in Miss Jackson absence. Continued well wishes to Miss Jackson for her full recovery. We look forward to having you back with us soon!

Other news, information and reminders:

- Wood - If anyone would like to discuss with me about arranging collection of wood (good quality dry wood) that could be used for a wood burner or similar please get in touch via the school office. After some recent improvement works we have lots of wood to give away otherwise it is going in a skip!
- After half term Simon Carson Sports after school sport club on Monday will be for our 'middle bubble' of Osprey and Kestrel classes (Year 2, 3 and 4) - Watch out for information about this!
- In next week's newsletter I hope to be able to share further information with you about our plans for sports days, move up days and possible character dress up day. Watch this space!

Thanks for taking time to read this newsletter and for your continued support of our school. Have a great weekend everyone! Let's hope the rain goes away for a while at least!

Kind regards
Keep safe

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