



Weekly Bulletin

Term 3 Week 3 : Friday 13th May 2022

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Welcome to this week's newsletter.

Year 6/Key Stage 2 National Curriculum tests

For our year 6 children it has been their Key Stage 2 National Curriculum tests or SATs this week. Over the week they have successfully faced and completed 6 tests and they have done so in style. As a staff team we are incredibly proud of the Year 6 children – each and every single one of them has done what we asked them to do – given it their best effort!

When we look at the really important life skills from SATS what have we learned about our children? They know when to work hard and know how to respond to 'formal' processes. They can follow instructions, they can cope with the feeling of 'pressure', they can concentrate for long periods. As a group the children have been calm, focussed, determined and so mature in their approach. Such a good work ethic will take them far! We can't ask any more – their attitudes have been exemplary. A huge well done and congratulations to all of our fantastic Year 6 pupils!

Thank you too, to the staff team, particularly Miss Craven, Mrs Whitehead, Mrs Pierce and Mrs Stones who have made the process run so smoothly – from providing breakfasts, to offering emotional support and for pitching the importance of the build up to the tests and the tests themselves so well – they matter but they are not the be all and end all.

Year 2/Key stage 1 National curriculum Tests

Next week Mrs Burton, with the support of Mrs Stones and others staff will be facilitating the Year 2/Key Stage 1 National curriculum tests. These are age appropriate tests and are less formal than Year 6 testing conditions. e.g. not strictly timed, and can be administered at times chosen by the school/staff.

These will not be 'pressured', but are simply a slightly more formal version of our typical termly tests.

Andes class are a great, hardworking bunch that I know they will try their best for Mrs Burton as always.

Other news:

- Clubs: As per parent mails and previous newsletters, our school run clubs will start next week
- Artists at work! This week in our staff training session our teaching team all had further Art training. This week's focus was on 'printing' and next week's is 'Clay and ceramics'. This high quality staff training will help further enhance the rich art curriculum we have in place, helping staff to improve their confidence, skills and knowledge which in turn will benefit the opportunities input and curriculum offer the children will receive. All children in Year 1 to year 6 will be printing or using clay in this summer term.

- School Summer Fayre ; A reminder that our school fayre will be taking place on Sunday 19th June. We are also still hoping to attract a local person kind enough to volunteer to provide some live musical entertainment (perhaps a singer or a band) at the event alongside a local DJ. If anyone knows someone who may be able to help we would love to hear from you.



The poster features a light blue background with colorful triangular bunting (pink, yellow, green, blue) strung across the top. In the top left corner is the Carlton Primary School crest, which is a circular emblem with a red border containing a black silhouette of a castle and the text 'CARLTON PRIMARY SCHOOL'. Below the bunting, the text 'Carlton Primary School' is written in pink, 'Summer Fayre' in large purple letters, 'Sunday 19th June 2022' in green, and '1pm-4pm' in green. The lower half of the poster shows a green landscape with rolling hills. On the left, three purple silhouettes of children hold red and yellow balloons. On the right, there is a green tree. Various activities are listed in black text: 'Raffle', 'Bouncy Castle', 'Plants', 'Fun stalls', 'Refreshments', 'Varied Craft stalls', 'Bar by Yorkshire Ales', 'BBQ', 'Tombola', and 'Games'. At the bottom, a dark green banner contains the school's address: 'Carlton Primary School, Townend Avenue, Carlton, DN14 9NR'. In the bottom right corner, there is a logo for 'Parenikind Member Association'.

Carlton Primary School
Summer Fayre
Sunday 19th June 2022
1pm-4pm

Raffle Bouncy Castle
Plants
Refreshments Fun stalls
Varied Craft stalls BBQ Tombola
Bar by Yorkshire Ales Games

**Carlton Primary School,
Townend Avenue
Carlton
DN14 9NR**

Friends of Carlton Primary School event

Parenikind
Member Association

Dates: A reminder of some key dates for the term ahead.

May 2022

Monday 16th National Curriculum KS1 test week
Wednesday 25th Open Classroom for parents to look at their children's work with their children 3.30-4.45pm
Thursday 26th Last day of half term
Friday 27th INSET DAY - SET Trust wide training day
Half term beginning on Friday 27th May 20122– school closed

June 2022

Monday 6th Children return to school
Monday 6th KS1 Phonics screening week
Monday 13th Year 4 Times Table Checking week
Sunday 19th Friends Summer Fayre 1pm to 4pm
Wednesday 22nd Sport's Day **TBC**
Wednesday 29th Reserve Sport's Day (**TBC** if required)

July 2022

Wednesday 13th Pyrenees and Rocky Class Performance **TBC**
Performance for school 2pm – 3pm
Performance for parents 5.30pm – 6.30pm
Friday 15th Move up Morning 1 – internal transition day
Year 6 Leaver's Fest
Reports home to parents
Monday 16th Move up Morning 2 - internal transition day
Friday 22nd Leaver's Assembly 9.30am – 11am (approx.)
Friday 22nd School closes for summer holidays 3.15pm
Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th Disaggregated Inset Days – School closed for pupils
Children return to school on Tuesday September 2022

Have a great weekend everyone!

Regards and best wishes

Jon Watson

Head teacher

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