

Weekly Bulletin

Term 3 Week 6: Friday 26th May 2023

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Welcome as ever to our weekly newsletter. It hard to believe that we have already reached May Half term, and that after the break, we only have 7 weeks/one half term left of this academic year. Time is flying by so very quickly.

It has been lovely to see the sun shining this week, and the children enjoying the weather at breaks and lunch times and in outside learning experiences.

This week:

On Wednesday the children from Leopards, Lions, Pumas and Tigers all enjoyed their rearranged 'Chance to Shine' cricket and ball skill workshop. The children had a great lesson with many coming to tell me just how much they had enjoyed the coaching session.

Today the children enjoyed their <u>Good to be Gold Celebration</u> morning. The children have earned this reward session by reaching our Target of 50 points for good behaviour. In fact, we already have another 20 stored and counted for the next one too!

As you will know, each week we send home a Marvellous Me for the children who have consistently demonstrated 'gold' behaviour across the week. We also add up number of people in each class who have done so, with each class earning points towards our whole school reward. The more people who make good choices the faster the whole school have a reward! Every time we hit 50 points we book in a celebration. The vast majority of children enjoyed two full sessions of reward time – choosing from a wide range of activities on offer. A lovely morning in school!

Student Council: Last week I listed all of the actions and the impact our student council have had on school so far this year. This week they have continued their valued work and input and held a meeting with Mellors our school catering providers. The council discussed the new suggested menu and made some suggestions and edits. The new menu (see email earlier in the week and attached again today) will be in operation straight after half term. I thank both Mellors and of course the Pupils in the Student Council for their collaboration this.

On Thursday Mrs Burton held a <u>Phonics and Reading workshop</u> for parents of children in Reception and Year 1. Thank you to everyone who attended and to Mrs Burton for facilitating it. We hope you found it useful and informative.

<u>Extending the school day in September 2023 - Parent Survey</u>. I have now closed this survey. After half term I will be sharing the results with you. Thank you to everyone wo took the time to give us their feedback and views on how we should implement this change.

This week, supported by colleagues from our Selby Educational Trust (SET) sister school Selby CP, I have continued recruiting for next academic year, with the staffing jigsaw really now taking shape. I am really pleased with how things are developing and shortly after half term I will be sharing the plans for class organisation and teaching allocation with you and the children.

With other colleagues from Selby Educational Trust (SET) I had the pleasure of visiting a superb school yesterday. We enjoyed a rich ad valuable day observing and discussing with leaders all things teaching and learning at Hallsville primary School, Canning Town London.

Carlton Village Fete



This weekend it is the Carlton Village Fete – see flyer above

I was asked by the event organiser Mrs Victoria Charles Green to ask Year 6 children if they would like to be the Village Fete King or Queen. All those pupils who were interested were identified and we drew the 2 lucky people out of the hat. I was delighted to inform year 6 on Monday that Doliarnah B and James R were selected as Carlton Queen and Carlton King for the fete – they have the pleasure of officially opening the event.

I hope lots of you can support this local event and enjoy attending!

Important News & Reminders:

- <u>Fizzy drinks</u>. A reminder that children should be bringing water to school each and every day in a bottle. Under no circumstances should the children be bringing fizzy drinks. We also politely request that children do not bring in fizzy drink bottles (e.g. prime) that contain water this makes it difficult to know what is in the bottle. Thanks for your support with this.
- <u>Changing Me PSHE (Jigsaw lessons).</u> As per our policy, curriculum plans and following our Parent information meeting earlier in the year, a reminder that in the final half term we will be teaching the 'Changing me' unit from our Jigsaw programme. This unit involves age appropriate teaching about changes to the body.

- Y6 London trip On Tuesday 6th June Miss Craven, Mrs Pierce and I are taking our Year 6 children to London and to visit the Houses of Parliament. It should be a superb experience
- Our school clubs are running for the 4 weeks of June the next 4 weeks of term.
- <u>Midday Supervisors (MSAs)</u> We are looking for a new MSA to join the team. If you would like to find out more about the MSA position please to speak to the admin team or me.
- Website and twitter reminder: Check out our website and twitter feeds for photos and examples of what is happening in each class in school.

https://carltonprimary.setschools.uk/ https://twitter.com/CarltonPS_SET

<u>Important dates:</u>

Please see some important dates below.

Please note we have now added in our Sports day date (first choice) and reserve date too (only if needed). On this date we will ask children to wear a coloured t -shirt in their house colours. For children who have been with us for more than a year, this is the same colour as in the past. For all new families to school and children in reception we will be sharing your house colour information with you.

Have a good bank holiday weekend and half term. Thank you, as ever, for your continued interest in and support of our school.

Regards and best wishes

Jon Watson

Head teacher

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Summer Term 2023:

Friday 26th Last day of half term

Half term beginning on Saturday 27th May 2023-school closed

Saturday 28th May

Carlton Village Fete 1-4pm

Monday 5th June 2023

Children return to school

Tuesday 6th June Year 6 Parliament Trip to London

Sunday 11th June 1-4pm Friends' Summer fayre – with stalls, live entertainment and lots more



Monday 12th June KS1 Phonics screening week

Monday 12th June Year 4 Times Table Checking week
Monday 12th June Urban Strides Street Dance workshop
Friday 23rd June Sports day - Reception and KS1 morning

and KS2 afternoon – items to be confrimed

28th,29th & 30th June Year 6-year 7 Transition days at the Snaith School

Friday 7th July Reserve Sports day

Wednesday 12th July Pumas and Tigers Performance **TBC**

Performance for school 2pm – 3pm **TBC**

Performance for parents 5.30pm – 6.30pm **TBC**

Friday 14th July Move up Morning 1 – internal transition day

Year 6 Leaver's Fest

Reports home to parents

Monday 17th July Move up Morning 2 - internal transition day

Friday 21st July Year 6 Leaver's Assembly 9.30am – 11am (approx.)

Friday 21st July 2023 Last of school term/year - school closed for the summer break

Monday 24th & 25th July Disaggregated Inset Days – School closed for pupils

Monday 4th September Staff Training day

Tuesday 5th September Children return to school

All dates can be found on our website: Term Dates – Carlton Primary (setschools.uk)