

Weekly Bulletin

Term 3 Week 14 : Friday 21st July 2023

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Welcome to our final Carlton Primary newsletter of the school year 2022-2023. Thank you for wonderful support over the year. It has been a really successful and rewarding year. I think we are all now looking forward to a lovely summer break!

Since January, each and every week we have been waiting for our Ofsted visit. This has not materialised yet. This wait will now roll over to the next academic year. We continue to self-assess as a 'Good School' and have external views to support for this).

Looking back on last week:

Year 6 children had a super and special event last Friday evening. 'Leaver's fest 2023' was a memorable and enjoyable occasion organised by the Tigers team, Miss Craven, Mrs Whitehead and Mrs Pierce. Well done to all, especially Mrs Pierce for all of her planning and organisation to make this happen!_This was a lovely way to give the children a special informal send off from year 6!





This week:

- Move up Morning 2 – On Monday we held our second transition morning, giving a chance for 2nd half of our new intake to come into school and spend time with Mrs Smith and Mrs Bramley within the provision. All of the children in school also worked with their new groups, teacher and teaching assistants.
- On Tuesday there were lovely sounds filling our school hall and corridors from our Music assembly. Great singing from the whole school!
- On Tuesday the children of Cheetahs class performed their ‘poetry basket’ action poems from across the year and a range of musical /drumming pieces to family members . It was a lovely engaging, rich and happy session and performance.

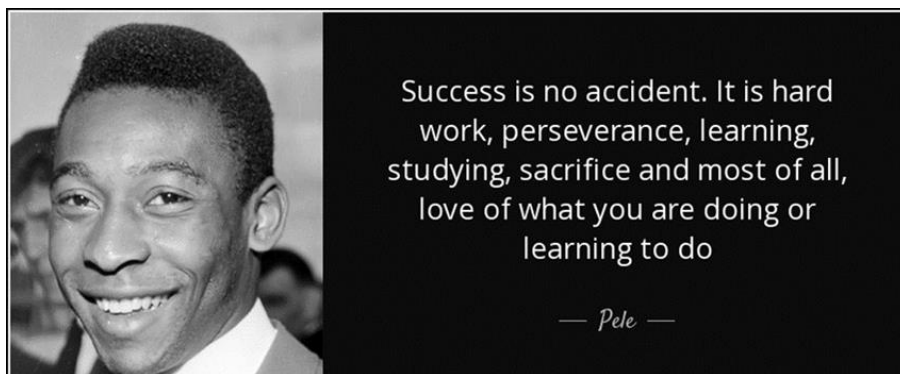


- On Thursday we held our final Celebration assembly of the school year Within this we celebrated
 - ❖ The most marvellous me Badges for each year group received in the summer term
 - Y6 Beth, Y5 Katie, Y4 Freya, Y3 Louis, Y2 joint Millie and Ava Grace, Y1 Lilly, and Reception Alex B.
 - ❖ The most marvellous me Badges for each year group received across the whole school year:
 - Y6 Beth, Y5 Oliver J, Y4 Freya, Y3 Louis, Y2 Georgia, Y1 Erin, Reception Isla
 - ❖ People who have been ‘gold’ standard behaviour all year in each year group – not having even one sanction! An amazing total of 79 pupils!
- On Thursday, we enjoyed a visit from the ice cream van, courtesy of Friends of Carlton! What a lovely treat for everyone! Thanks to Mrs Pierce and Mrs Pemberton from the Friends team for organising this for the children! Friends paid for each member of the Carlton team to have an ice cream!

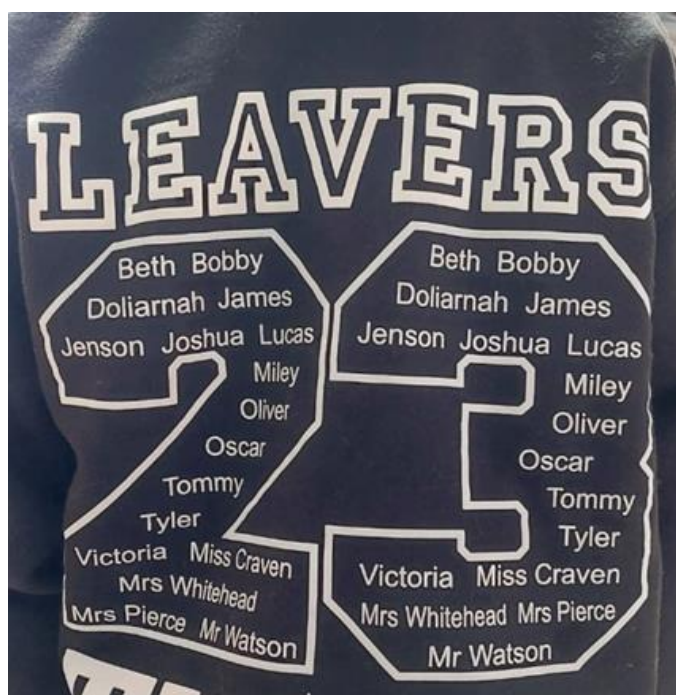
- This morning (Friday) we have said our formal farewells to our brilliant Year 6 pupils from Tigers class via our Year 6 Leaver's assembly for the children. Thank to you all of the parents who attended. Well done to Mrs Pierce, Mrs Whitehead and Miss Craven for all of their efforts.
The children shared their memories of their time at our school and we handed out certificates for our school awards. Well done Year 6!

You're off to
GREAT PLACES!
 Today is
YOUR DAY!
 Your mountain
IS WAITING
 So...get on
YOUR WAY!

- DR SEUSS -



Thank you and good bye to our Y6 children.



End of term!

At the end of term there are often people moving on, whether families and pupils, or staff. This summer is no exception. We wish all families who are leaving us all the very best for their next chapters! We also look forward to officially welcoming new families in September, not just in our Reception intake but others throughout school.

Staff news:

We thank Miss Craven for her hard work, enthusiasm, commitment and all round contributions in upper KS2. It has been a real pleasure having Miss Craven as part of the Carlton team. In Year 5 and 6 Miss Craven has enjoyed lots of successes with the children over the last 3 years. Behind the scenes she has contributed lots to our curriculum planning and team too. She will be missed!

We of course wish her well for her exiting chapter in the United Arab Emirates and know she will keep us posted with her adventure. Thank you, Good luck and Bon Voyage Miss Craven !

We also say goodbye, thank you and best wishes to Miss Jackson. After illness Miss Jackson has decided not to return to Carlton Primary, and not only do we wish her a speedy recovery but also we wish her well for her next chapter. We are very grateful for her contributions and efforts in her three years with us in year1. Thanks and goodbye Miss Jackson !

September 2023 Class Names and Teachers		
Rec	Ash	Mrs Smith
Y1	Beech	Miss Marshall
Y2	Hawthorn	Mrs Burton (and Mrs Reading)
Y3	Oak	Miss Gray
Y4	Pine	Mrs Reading & Mrs Short
Y5	Silver Birch	Miss Edenbrow
Y6	Willow	Mrs Jevens (& Mrs Short)

We of course look forward to welcoming Miss Edenbrow and Mrs Jevens to the team, for September 2023. Mrs Sherwood (re) joins us on a routine basis too supporting across school.

Good bye & Good Luck Year 6!

The end of the summer term is often a time of mixed emotions, exciting and sad in equal measure, when we say farewell to our Year 6 pupils. I cannot let this moment pass without thanking them for their hard work and efforts this year (and the years that have gone before). We are very proud of you all, all you have achieved and the fine young people you are! We hope you all continue to work hard and be successful as you move forward into the next exciting chapter. **Good luck and best wishes for Year 7 and beyond!**

As I highlighted at our leaver's assembly it isn't just the children who we are saying goodbye to, as we are also saying goodbye to many families this year too. Thank you for your loyal support over many years! We wish you well too! We hope to see you back at summer fayre, future events or one day as grandparents!!!

Year 6 - Tigers



Joshua



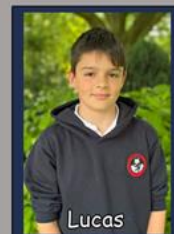
Tommy



Miley



Jenson



Lucas



Victoria



Oliver



Oscar



Tyler



Doliarnah



James



Bobby



Beth



Class of 2023

Other news& Key information:

- **School re-opens on Tuesday 5th September 2023** – we look forward to seeing you then!
- **A reminder for Changes to the School Day** A reminder From September 2023, our school day will be the following :
 - ❖ **Doors open at 8.40 am**
 - ❖ **School starts and doors close at 8.45 am**
 - ❖ **Lunch time is from 12.00noon to 1.00pm**
 - ❖ **School finishes at 3.15pm**

Please note, that Mellor's catering have informed us that, due to the rising costs from suppliers, the charge for dinners will be increasing in September to £2.75. Please see the menu for September attached.

- When the children return in September they might spot some changes in school – as always we continue our improvement of the school building – this summer we are having an upgrade of Computing/IT infrastructure which will improve connection speed and reliability.
- School work over the summer: Please keep reading with your child and encouraging them to read over the summer break. Please also think about taking part in the NYC reading challenge.

Important dates:

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 \(setschools.uk\)](https://setschools.uk)

Ongoing support and projects:

A Reminder we need your plastic bottle tops!

Please support our participation in the excellent 'SchoolCycled' project. This week we sent of our first huge box of plastic tops/lids ! **Over the summer holidays we would love you to all keep collecting any bottle tops** (milk, soft drinks, cordial, shampoo, toothpaste etc) and bring them into school. The more we collect the more goodies school received and the better it is for the environment!



Please save all of your plastic bottle tops – regardless of what product they are from – and bring them into school. Please also ask friends, family members and or neighbours to support us with this! This is an ongoing project and we will be collecting bottle tops constantly over the years ahead. Please keep them saving them over the summer!

Tesco Community Grant : Carlton Primary School's Nature Garden Regeneration bid

Please keep voting for our project! Attention everyone who shops at Tesco! We are seeking financial support from the Tesco grant for our Nature Garden Regeneration. This project is to develop our outdoor area where children can explore wildlife and develop outdoor forest school skills, whilst also learning about growing food and produce.

If you shop at Tesco (Selby, YO8 4QQ -Large store or Selby Brayton Exp, YO8 9EG. small store we want your vote for our project. Voting is underway and will run until the end of September 2023.

**We would love you to vote for our Nature Garden project if you visit either of these Tesco stores!
 Thank you in advance.**

Personal reflections

I would like to say a big thank you to you all for your support over the academic year. We are a school who have such a strong community around us – this is very much appreciated.

Thank you to the Friends of Carlton who always give so much to our school – their efforts, hard work and general fundraising is never taken for granted and is always appreciated. Everything they do, is for the children of our school. It is appreciated even more in these difficult times with spiralling costs of living affecting us all.

I also want to say a huge thank you to my hardworking and enthusiastic team. They have been brilliant once again this year. Collectively they continue to give above and beyond in terms of time and effort to making sure the children have a great experience in school. We have such a positive, committed and talented team that I am very proud to lead.

As always, I feel supported by an excellent team of governors who volunteer and give so much of their time and skills to helping direct the strategy of our school. Mrs Snowden, Chair of Local Governing Board, shares my passion and love for our school and leads the team positively, and is ably supported by Mr Andy Knight our passionate and supportive vice chair.

I also have continued to enjoy working with Mr Clennan, CEO of Selby Educational Trust and his colleagues at Selby Community Primary School – It is great to be part of Selby Educational Trust, that will soon be growing. This collaboration continues to make our school even better! Mr Clennan champions our school like his own, and is so incredibly knowledgeable, passionate and supportive. Mrs Burton's and Mrs Thompson, my Senior Leadership Team, have also provided brilliant support to me as always – very much appreciated.

Finally, a massive **THANK YOU** to the fantastic children we have at our school – they make me smile every day and it continues to be a real privilege and honour to work with you and for you!

Here's to a fabulous summer for everyone - Happy Summer Holidays! See you in September!

Best wishes

Jon Watson
Headteacher

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