



Term 2 Week 7: Friday 23rd February 2024

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Welcome, as ever to our weekly newsletter. What a fabulous week it has been here at Carlton Primary School.



World Book day 2024- 7th March

What a brilliant day we had on Thursday 7th March celebrating World Book day. THANK YOU so much to everyone for making it such a special day and for everyone's extra efforts.





On Thursday (World Book day itself) we held our Character Parade - The children (and staff) looked fantastic! Everyone really made a special effort. Thank you for your efforts making, planning or purchasing outfits – the children loved it! There were some incredibly originally outfits with some people coming as books themselves! Please do check out our website and twitter feeds for some more photos.







World Book Day Raffle:

Our winners were : Ava Grace (Y3) and Alice D (Y2)

Thanks to Mrs Pierce and the Friends team for their fabulous help and support with the book day raffle and refreshments. Overall from the raffle and refreshments we also raised **£150**. All of this money will be spent on books in



school for the children to use and enjoy. Thank you!

<u>World Book Day Voucher: Please don't forget that every child has been given their World Book Day</u> Voucher – this entitles them to either £1 of a book of their choice or a free copy of one of this year's chosen selection of WBD books.



Across the week we have had a number of other Book Related Activities , above and beyond our usual reading lessons. These included:

- <u>Buddy reading</u> sessions where older and younger children read together for pleasure.
- Appointment of <u>'Book reps'</u> in Y1-Y6 these will be children who will listen to recommendations from other children in class and then discuss with the teachers about what books they would like to have more of in class.
- <u>Tuesday morning 'stay and read'</u> when family members were able to come into school and enjoy books with the children.
- <u>World book day themed lunch</u> a special and delicious lunch prepared by Miss Priestley and Mrs Mycoe. (see below)











- Sponsored Read any money raised from our sponsored read will help to pay for new books. Today is final day for our <u>sponsored read</u>. Sponsorship forms should be returned as soon as possible next week please!
- <u>Thank you for attending!</u> As well as your efforts with costumes, buying raffle tickets etc, thank you too for your incredible support of attending our stay and read session, and our world book day parade event. The Usborne books sale was also a roaring success too





Book Day parade 'best dressed':

'Best dressed'	Class	Character		Book
John William	Ash	Curious George		
Elliott	Ash	Big Bad Wolf		3 little Pigs
Freddie	Ash	Wonky Donkey		
Freddie	Beech	Evil Pea		Supertato
Alannah	Beech	Moana		
Samuel	Beech	Mr Tickle		
Lakisha Rose	Hawthorn	Very Hungry Caterpillar		
Lucas H	Hawthorn	Billionaire Boy		
George B	Hawthorn	Mr Tickle		
Woody	Oak	Slappy the Dummy		Goosebumps
Eliza	Oak	Mandrake		Harry Potter series
Georgia	Oak	Mrs Pepperpot		
Rosalee	Pine	Alice in Wonderful		
Isabella	Pine	Gymnast		Iconic Women is Sport
Stanley	Pine	Space Boy		
Alice A	Silver Birch	Dictionary		
Zach B	Silver Birch	Minecraft		
Oliver M	Silver Birch	Space Boy		
Max B	Willow	Captain Underpants		
Brooklynn	Willow	Bus	The cats we meet along the way	
Lilly	Willow	Esmeralda	Hunch back of Notre Dam	

Other info:

Good to be Gold Celebration 4!

On Tuesday afternoon we held our 4th Good to be Gold Celebration event in school this academic year. As you will know, this is part of our behaviour and reward system.



- On Tuesday our year 2 Hawthorn class were very lucky to have a visit from Mr Thornton, a fireman, to talk about the difference between firefighting now in comparison to the Great fire of London. Thanks Mr Thornton!
- On Wednesday (6th March) we were pleased to welcome the <u>Pro-ride</u> team into school. They work with Reception and KS1 children and to provide expert sessions on balance bikes and scooters.

Throughout the Day reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils in small groups had a super time on balance bikes with the Pro ride coach.

We used some of allocated Sports Premium Money to pay for this event for your children to experience and enjoy.



• On Wednesday evening I was asked to attend the licensing of Reverend Mark Poskitt Parishes of Carlton, Drax, Hambleton and Haddlesey. I represented school as part of the wider community and welcomed Rev. Mark to the role. We look forward to working with him over coming months and years.

<u>Parent survey</u>: A reminder was sent today asking parents who have not already done so, to complete our Annual Parent survey, the link for which is below. Thank you to those parents who have already replied.

<u>https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=FUg3rehtxUu-</u> wuZnljbiJViNauH8Hm1Ks5VcNsPLZo1UNEI3VjNLQThEQ1AwQUNPMUI3RDBaNFpXQSQlQCN0PWc <u>u</u> Diary Dates: Please do take a look at the diary dates at the end of this newsletter.

Particular notice on next Friday being a dress down day for Comic Relief – suggested donations of £1 or more if you wish!

On Wednesday the 20th March we have our Oak and Pine class production – ticket details will be with you early next week.

Thanks as always for reading our newsletter and for your support of our school.

Regards and best wishes

Jon Watson

Head teacher

Developing lively, inquiring and creative minds

Diary Dates: Spring Term/ Term2 January 2024:

- Friday 15th March Comic Relief Red Nose Day dress down day
- Thursday 21st March Rock your socks day Down Syndrome day
- Wednesday 20th March Year 3 Oak & Year 4 Pine Production
 - performance for parents and families 5.15pm
- Friday 22nd Easter Egg Decorating Competition
- Friday 22nd March Last day of term2 break up for Easter holidays

Saturday 23rd March Easter Holidays - school closed

Term 3/ Summer Term April 2024:

- Monday 8th April SET Training day school closed to pupils
- Tuesday 9th April Children return to school
- Tuesday 16th April Parent teacher Consultations session2 3.30pm-4.30pm
- Wednesday 17th April Parent teacher Consultations session1 3.30pm-6.00pm
- Friday 26th April CreActive Breakdance and Beatboxing workshops
- Monday 6th May
 Bank Holiday
- Monday 13th May
 National Curriculum KS2 test week/SATs
- Friday 17th May
 Drumba workshops
- Monday 20thMay
 National Curriculum KS1 test week/SATs
- Friday 24th May Last day of half term

Half term beginning on Saturday 25th May 2023– school closed

- Monday 3rd June
 Monday 10th June
 KS1 Phonics Screening week
- Monday 17th June Year 4 Times Table Checking week

- Friday 21st June Making Music Day
- Friday 21st June **TBC** Sports day Reception and KS1 morning and KS2

TBC Year 6 Leaver's Fest Reports home to parents

- afternoon times to be confirmed
- Friday28th June **TBC** Reserve Sports day
- Friday 12th July Move up Morning 1 internal transition day
- Wednesday 10th July
- Monday 15th July
- Friday 19th July
- Performance for parents 5.30pm 6.30pm **TBC** Move up Morning 2 - internal transition day Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9.30am – 11am (approx.)

Silver Birch (Y5) and Willow (Y6) Performance TBC

Friday 19th July
 Last of school term/year

Saturday 20th July School closed for the Summer break

Monday 22nd July
 Disaggregated Inset Day – School closed for pupils

September 2024

- Monday 2nd September Staff Training day
- Tuesday 3rd September

Staff Training day Children return to school

A Reminder we need your plastic bottle tops for our participation in the excellent <u>'SchoolCycled'</u> project.

A reminder that this is an ongoing project and we will be collecting bottle tops constantly over the year ahead. **We would love you to all keep**

SchoolCycled

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 also ask friends, family members and or neighbours to support us with this! The more the better!







Easter

Egg Hunt!

Egg hunt around the village,

Sunday 17th March

11am – 2pm

Cake Stall and Easter egg raffle.

Maps (£1)

Are all available from

Carlton Playgroup.

All proceeds go back into playgroup.