

Weekly Bulletin

Term 3 Week 3 Friday 26th April 2024

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Welcome as always to our weekly newsletter.

This week:

I have enjoyed speaking to the children at lunch times, in classes and in assembly this week.

In assemblies we have started using a programme of resources that spotlight a musical artist from around the world – both from the past and from the present. This months' musician of the month is Joni Mitchell.



April's musician is...



Joni Mitchell



Also, in assembly this week we have spoken about Pupil Voice and the right to express an opinion. Linked to this we have begun our pupil surveys too.











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<u>Tuesday Toddler Group (with Mrs Pierce):</u>

We had a lovely session at toddler story this week looking at the 'Colour Monster'. We sorted out our feelings into colours and Jacob and Seb used their creative skills to colour in our colour monster on the playground.

Toddler story time is a free session that typically runs weekly (term time) on a Tuesday from 2pm-3pm, for babies through to preschool children and their parent, grandparent or guardian.

However, please note that unfortunately this session will not run on Tuesday 30th April and Tuesday 7th May due to staff availability



On Monday and Wednesday we have also talked about 'Earth Day' and the importance of looking after our wonderful planet. I was happy to link this to our School cycled project and gave the children the following update:

Thank you to everyone for continuing to support the Schoolcycled project by bringing in your plastic bottle tops. It is wonderful to see that word has got out and lots of people beyond our school community are also supporting us.

We have now recycled over 213kg of plastic! This means we now have a total of 53,330 'Earth points' which we will shortly be trading for recycled furniture for school. We sent three more boxes (approximately 40 kg) this week too.

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

A reminder that this is an ongoing project and we will be collecting bottle tops constantly each and every week **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 also ask friends, family members and or neighbours to support us with this! The more the better!

Other news this week:

- Good to be Gold Celebration event I was delighted to share with children that we have reached our 60 point target for our behaviour reward. As a result, next week we will be enjoying our celebration activities; our 5th celebration event of the school year.
- We held another successful Local Governing Board meeting in school on Tuesday evening
- This week visitors, including Selby Educational Trust (SET) colleagues, Governors and parents have all commented on the positive, calm and purposeful learning atmosphere in classes they have visited.

Next week:

On Tuesday we have 'CreActive' coaches in school to run a special day of Breakdance and Beatboxing workshops. Everyone needs to be wearing their P.E. Kit for this event. We are really looking forward to having Jack and the team in school.

Photos and video clips to follow next week.

Important News & Reminders:

- Assessment: As previously advised, in May Year 6 pupils (from Willow class) take their Key Stage 2 National Curriculum tests or SATs (week beginning Monday 13th May). In addition, Year 2 children (Hawthorn class) will be completing their end of Key Stage 1 assessments the following week (Monday 20th May). It is really important that both Year 2 and particularly Year 6 pupils have excellent attendance over the next few weeks.
- Please do check out our Twitter/X page or our school website more photos and videos of life in our school:
 - Carlton Primary School (@CarltonPS SET) / X (twitter.com)
 - Carlton Primary (setschools.uk)
- <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.
- Marvellous Me We love sharing positivity with you, especially when it is about your children's achievements and efforts. Please do make sure you have signed up to Marvellous me please speak to the office staff if you need a reminder of your access code. Please remember that more than one adult can be signed up, so both parents, and other key adults such as grandparents can also be signed up too.

Calendar Dates:

As always please refer to below for the important dates for the term ahead.

Thanks as always for your support of our school.

Regards and best wishes

Jon Watson

Head teacher

Developing lively, inquiring and creative minds

Term 3/ Summer Term April 2024:

Tuesday 30th 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 3 rd June | Children return to school |
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| • | Monday 3 rd June | Friends Summer breakfast |
| • | Monday 10 th June | KS1 Phonics Screening week |
| • | Tuesday 11 th June | Year 6 London Trip – Houses of Parliament |
| • | Monday 17 th June | Year 4 Times Table Checking week |
| • | Friday 21 st June | Making Music Day |
| • | Friday 21 st June | TBC Sports day - Reception and KS1 morning and KS2 afternoon – times to be confirmed |
| • | Sunday 23 rd June | Friends Summer Fayre 1.00-3.30pm |
| • | Friday 28th June | TBC Reserve Sports day |
| • | Friday 12 th July | Move up Morning 1 – internal transition day |
| | | TBC Year 6 Leaver's Fest |

Reports home to parents

Wednesday 10th July
Silver Birch (Y5) and Willow (Y6) Performance TBC

Performance for parents 5.30pm - 6.30pm TBC

Monday 15th July
Move up Morning 2 - internal transition day

Friday 19th July
Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9.30am – 11am (approx.)

• 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 Children return to school



Carlton Primary School, Townend Avenue DN149NR

Carlton Primary School **Summer Fayre Sunday 23rd June 2024** 1pm-3.30pm



Raffle Bouncy Castle

Plants Refreshments

Fun stalls

Varied Craft stalls

BBQ Tombola

Licensed bar

Live music

Games

Please contact Katherine Pierce piercek@setschools.uk or 07740 964342 if you require any further information.

Friends of Carlton Primary School event