

Your Weekly Newsletter

Issue 160 Week Ending Friday 16th November



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Autumn Term Dates: *more dates will be added I am sure so look out for the additional dates which will be in red.*

Monday 19th November ~ Phonics Workshop for KS1 parents 15:45

Tuesday 20th November ~ Aladdin

Thursday 22nd November ~ Owls' Class assembly.

Friday 30th November ~ Non-Uniform day - bring in items for the Christmas Market

Friday 7th December ~ Elf Run for Brian House & PTFA Christmas Market with Father Christmas

Monday 10th December ~ Little Chick's and Ducklings' Christmas Production for families at 14:00

Tuesday 11th December ~ Little Chicks' and Ducklings Christmas Production for families at 09:30

Wednesday 12th December ~ KS1 Christmas Production for families at 14:00 & 18:00

Thursday 13th December ~ KS1 Christmas Production for families at 09:30

Tuesday 18th December ~ Candlelit Carol Service at Rossall from 18:00 for all our children and families to enjoy a magical evening. All welcome!

Wednesday 19th December ~ Christmas Jumper Day with Christmas Lunch served in school.

Friday 21st December ~ School closes for the Christmas holidays at 14:30. Please note there will be no after school club on this day.

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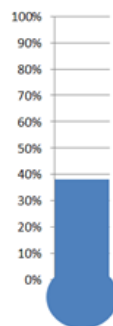
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Well done to this week's stars:

Nicholas Eaton, Tarek Hughes-Ezzat, Ollie Walsh, Elissa Mercer, Harry Riche, Esther Nandy, Sophie Cropper, Blake Coughlan, Carter Baxter, Leonardo McComiskey and Evie Dale.



Trip Money Update:

We would appreciate it if all contributions towards our planned trips and activities are paid as soon as possible. The children are all due to enjoy the Panto on Tuesday yet many have not made any payment. The overall cost this year to enhance the learning experiences for children at Carleton Green with trips and visitors is £20889.80.

I am sure you can appreciate that to assist us in delivering these extra learning opportunities every year, we require contributions to assist us as otherwise they cannot be sustained in the current financial climate with our ever-diminishing pot of money from the government. We are incredibly fortunate that

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our PTFA are so active and are endlessly thinking of new ways to raise funds for school. They have assisted our outdoor learning classroom to take off the ground with furnishing the playground with benches and equipping The Shed. The funds raised by events organised by them have paid for the school hall flooring which looks amazing. We already have enjoyed two weeks' worth of PE and assemblies in our hall. Thank you to our PTFA and to the families that attend the events that in turn help us fund the continuous improvements in our school.

In September we are taking over the running of our kitchens from the Lancashire Authority and are already looking forward to the challenge of meeting the dietary needs of our pupils in a better way. In the Spring term we are to hold a Parent Forum to discuss what you would like for your children's lunches along with other school development matters.

Chloe, from Brian House Children's Hospice, came into school last week to talk to our children about the work they do at Brian House. She explained to them that it's not a hospital but more like a "home from home" for children with life-limiting conditions.

They have a fantastic range of facilities which provide children and young people with a chance to try different activities and enjoy social interaction with staff, volunteers and other children. They also offer both day and overnight care and are open seven days a week. Respite with them gives parents the chance to have a break and cope with the physical and emotional strain of having a child with multiple complex needs.

They are a charity and get very little money from the Department of Health. Because of this, they rely on the generosity of the local community to raise over £1 million a year to keep their doors open.

Our school Charity Committee would like to support this very worthwhile cause by holding a sponsored "Elf Run" at school on Friday 7th December. Brian House can supply Elf hats, at a cost of £1.50 each, for the children to wear during the run and to keep afterwards. If you would like to purchase a hat, please send the appropriate money to your child's class teacher, who will place an order for them.

We endeavour to provide a wide range of extra-curricular clubs over our school week for the children to access each half term. It is very important that you note the time the club is to start or is anticipated to finish so that your child is not left unsupervised. If you require assistance with dropping off at an earlier time or collecting at a later time, please let us know and we can use our extended school day provision. Equally we are not able to allow adults to wait

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inside our school premises or watch the clubs take place due to the safeguarding of the children in our setting. We house our before and after school club within the hub of our school along with a mix of pupils attending the clubs. It is our responsibility to safeguard all the children accessing these provisions. We need to be aware of who is in our building at any time as part of our preventative arrangements. We are grateful for your continuous support with the steps we take to keep your children safe and happy.



Yellow Ducklings 96% with 0 lates	Brown Ducklings 92% with 1 late	Parrots 90% with 2 lates
Hérons 95% with 2 lates	Robins 97% with 0 lates	Owls 98% with 3 lates
Kestrels 95% with 3 lates	Doves 99% with 3 lates	Falcons 99% with 1 late
Hawks 97% with 2 lates	Eagles 99% with 2 lates	Well done to those for making it to school every day on time!

Thank you for the wonderful cakes that appear each week for our Fairy Cake Friday! The children are enjoying the treat element along with the enterprise aspect. Each of the classes have been tasked with deciding what to do with their earnings. Today's class earned £41.06.

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Many of our children access our fabulous after school club that is run by Mrs Pilling. We have a vacancy arising and have advertised the position with Lancashire:

Carleton Green Community Primary School
Arundel Drive, Carleton, Poulton-le-Fylde FY6 7TF (335 on roll).
Out of School Club Assistant Grade 4 SCP 13 Required 8th January 2019

Carleton Green Community Primary School are looking to appoint a dynamic and enthusiastic assistant for our out of school club. Contracted hours of work will be 3.00pm to 6.00pm 3 days a week Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday. Additional hours may also be available on other evenings and at Breakfast Club (8am to 9am) depending upon demand for the clubs and so some degree of flexibility may be required. This is a term time only position.

We can offer you:

- the opportunity to work with friendly, enthusiastic children who enjoy coming to school
- a well-resourced, safe learning environment
- a warm and welcoming school at the heart of its community

We are looking for an applicant who:

- a commitment to providing the best educational opportunities for all children
- has excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- a commitment to team work
- will share the school's belief that children, their learning and development of their potential are at the centre of all decisions

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- has the ability, dedication and desire to maintain the ethos of the school

- be committed to achieving high standards

The post you are applying for is covered by the Rehabilitation of Offenders (Exceptions) Act 1975. The successful applicants' appointment will be subject to satisfactory clearance by the Disclosure and Barring Service (formerly CRB).

Applications will close on 3rd December 2018 at 12 noon with interviews scheduled for 12th December 2018.

Application forms:

Completed application forms should be addressed to: The Headteacher, at the school, applications may be emailed to seniorleader@carletongreen.lancs.sch.uk

Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 - details of any criminal record spent or unspent should be sent to the Chair of Governors at the school address by the closing date.

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