

# Carlton Miniott Community Primary School



## Newsletter

### Dates for your Diary

#### **10th February**

Singing Concert at St Mary's Church

#### **11th February**

Swimming starts for Y2 & Y4

#### **12th February**

School Closes

#### **22nd February**

School reopens

#### **24th February**

Cross Country Final's

#### **29th February**

Class 5 Cake Stall

Mr MaKhlam Starts class 4

#### **3rd March**

FOS Disco

World Book Day

#### **14th March**

Class 4 Cake Stall/Last week for clubs

#### **21st & 22nd March**

Parent Consultations

#### **22nd March**

Y5 Enrichment day at

### Top of the Class

We were very pleased to be featured in the 'Top of the Class' article in the Yorkshire Post on Friday. This article highlighted the highest performing schools in Yorkshire and Carlton Miniott Primary School was chosen to be one of these.

### New Staff

Mrs Graham will be starting her maternity leave after half term. We are very pleased that Mr Macklam, a very experienced teacher, will be teaching Class 4 until she returns following the birth of her baby.

### Singing Concert

On Wednesday this week, our singing group will be joining a number of other schools to sing songs from the Young Voices event. This will take place at St Mary's Church and starts at 6.30pm.

### School Lunches

The minced beef jacket potato option is not proving to be very popular with children. Therefore we will be changing our system to offer a choice of two toppings each day as follows;

Monday: Cheese or Tuna

Tuesday: Tuna or Beans

Wednesday: Cheese or Beans

Thursday: Tuna or Beans

Friday: Cheese or Tuna

Children who choose the jacket potato option will be expected to have one of the toppings that are on the menu as above, unless there are specific dietary requirements, where parents/carers can contact us to make their specific requirements known.

For those wishing to pay for school lunches for the full half term on ParentPay, the amount due will be £50.40.

### Email

This is the last newsletter that will go out as a paper version. After half term we will be trialling emailing the newsletter to you. Our latest newsletter is also available on our website, along with previous newsletters for your information. If you wish to continue having a paper version, please contact the school office asap.

### World Book Day

On 3rd March we will be holding our World Book Day event. We have an author, Hilary Robinson who will be coming to spend the day with us. Her theme is Fairy Tales with a twist.

### Internet Safety Week

This week is Internet Safety Week. Children will be talking about keeping safe on the Internet in their classes, Please do talk to your child about how they keep safe on the internet at home. Can I remind you that there is a report button on the front of the school website where children can report any concerns.

### **23rd March**

Theatre production The Hobbit

### **24th March**

School Closes/FOS Non-Uniform Day

#### **FOS/ Lost Property**

The FOS are going to run a stall with second hand uniform in the future. A lot of these items are unnamed/unclaimed items from our lost property. Please can we ask that you check the lost property bins around school if you have lost any items in school, before we close for half term. All unnamed/unclaimed items will be donated to FOS for their sale.

#### **Parentpay changes**

Parentpay are making some changes to their website in an effort to improve their service. Therefore whilst these changes are being made, Parentpay may not be available between 4pm–5pm on Tuesday 9th February. When the above changes are made some parents' internet browsers will no longer remember their saved ParentPay username and/or password. If parents/carers cannot remember their login details, they just need to click on the relevant link in the help section on the new login page. If you have any queries relating to Parentpay, that cannot be resolved by the helpful hints and tips part of the Parentpay site, please do not hesitate to contact our school office staff who will be happy to help.

**For up-to-date events information and holiday dates, please check the school website [www.carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk](http://www.carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk)**