

Carlton Miniott Community Primary School



Newsletter

Dates for your Diary

5th October

Class R open class
9am

7th October

Class 2 Open Class
9am

11th October

Harvest Festival

12th October

Y3/4 Visit to Ryedale
Folk Museum

13th October

FOS School Disco

18th October

School Photographer
KS2 Cross Country

19th October

Y5/6 Visit to Ripley
Castle

21st October

School closes for half
term/Closing date for
Governor Nominations

1st November

School re-opens

2nd/3rd November

Parent Consultations/
No teacher clubs

Reading

Thank you to all of you that are working hard with your children on their reading and spelling homework. We are already seeing a difference with many children keen to read more and putting far more effort in. For those of you who have children in KS1, we ask that you support your children by listening to them read on a regular basis. For those of you in KS2, we ask that you check their planner regularly and support them in completing the reading tasks they have been asked to do.

Governors

We have had a number of changes in our Governing Body over the last few months. I would like to say a big thank you to Katy Jackson, Julie Tarn and Lucy Bosomworth, who have worked hard for our school as Governors, but have stepped down over the last year. We have welcomed new Governors, Mr Will Jagger, Mrs Liz Foster and Mrs Anita Amesbury onto the board.

Three of our parent governors have come to the end of their term as parent governors. Mr Dale, Mr Hall and Mr Hepburn. They are happy to put themselves forward for re-election, but there may be others of you that would be interested in becoming a governor. A letter detailing how you can be nominated will be sent home with your child this week. If you would like any more information about the role of school governors, please contact me or speak to one of our Governors. More details about the Governors can be found on the Governor section of the school website.

School Lunches

Due to some of the vegetarian options on our school menu having little take up by the children, we have now adjusted our school menu as follows;

Week One—vegetarian options are now

Tuesday—Vegetable Bolognaise

Friday—Cheese Catherine Wheel

Week Two—vegetarian options are now

Wednesday—Vegetable shortcake

Thursday—Vegetable Korma

Friday—Vegetable Burger

Week Three—vegetarian options are now

Tuesday—Sweet potato bake

Wednesday—Vegetable pie

These changes will come into effect on week beginning October 17th, please note there are no changes to the rest of the menu.

Flu Vaccinations

The school health team will be coming into school to deliver flu vaccinations to all Y1, Y2, and Y3 children on Friday 4th November. If you have not returned your consent form, please do so asap, thank you.

Start of the School Day

Can I remind you that children should not arrive at school before 8.45am. We have an increasing number of children waiting outside school before this time. These children are not supervised and are parents responsibility until they come onto the school site. We are also having an increasing number of

7th November

FOS AGM at school at 7pm

22nd November

Class 5 open classroom

25th November

FOS Non-Uniform Day

Switching on of Thirsk Christmas Lights

2nd December

FOS Christmas Fayre

12th & 13th December

Christmas Productions

14th December

Y5/6 Visit to the Pantomime

16th December

School Closes for Christmas at 2.30pm

children arriving late. Can I remind you that the start time for F/KS1 is 9.00am and for KS2 it is 8.55am.

School Gate

Please could I ask that if you are entering school, during the school day, you shut the school gates when you come through them so that we can ensure they are closed at all times.

Red, White and Blue Day

In continuation of our support for our armed services, we will be joining in with the annual Red, White & Blue Day this year. On October 21st, the last day of this half term, the children can come to school dressed in Red White and Blue for a donation of £1. The money raised will be donated to The Royal Navy/Marines Charity, ABF the Soldier's Charity and RAF Benevolent Fund.

Harvest Festival

A quick reminder, we will be holding our annual Harvest Festival on Tuesday 11th October. If you would like to send a contribution of canned food or fresh vegetables or fruit, these will be distributed locally and to Hambleton Food Share. If you know of anyone who would welcome a basket of food, please give their name and address to the school office.

After School Clubs/Parent Consultations

Due to Parent Consultations, there will be no teacher led clubs on the week commencing 1st November. Mr Darcy's Football and Judo will still be on, however, gymnastics will not be on, as we need to use the hall.