

Carlton Miniott Community Primary School



Newsletter

Dates for your Diary

18th October

School Photographer

KS2 Cross Country

19th October

Y5/6 Visit to Ripley
Castle

20th October 6.30pm

Open Evening for
New Parents for 2017

21st October

School closes for half
term

Closing date for Gov-
ernor Nominations

1st November

School re-opens

2nd/3rd November

Parent Consultations/
No teacher clubs

7th November

FOS AGM at school
at 7pm

8th November

Y5/6 Football Compe-
tition

22nd November

Class 5 open class-
room

Harvest Festival

A big thank you to everyone who donated food for the Harvest Festival. We were able to send boxes of food to people locally and the rest went to Hambleton Foodshare, who were very grateful for the donations of food which will be distributed to needy local people.

Parking

Thank you for being patient during the parking situation last week. I think we reached a compromise on the drop off zone but please be aware the parking enforcement officers are likely to pop back at any time, please ensure you are parked legally. Please can we also request that you do not park on the private road near Eastwood Court.

Parent Consultations/After School Clubs

Our parent consultations are on Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd November, the week after half term. If your child is in Y1—Y6 you will be receiving an interim report, a progress report and an attendance report on 1st November which will help you in your discussions with the teacher. Please be mindful, that these appointments are a brief 10 minute slot and if you require further discussions with your teacher, another appointment will need to be made. Please also be aware there are no teacher led clubs during that week, only Rich Darcy and Judo after school clubs will run.

Red, White & Blue Day

A reminder that on Friday, the children may come to school in red, white and blue clothes for a donation of £1. All money raised will be going to Armed Forces Charities

Governor Elections

Just a reminder that Friday is the last day to receive nominations if you are interested in becoming a school governor.

Contact Details

If you haven't already done so, please may we ask that we have at least one other alternative contact for emergency situations or if your child needs to be collected from school when ill. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

MSA Vacancy

Carlton Miniott Community Primary School
Require a Midday Supervisory Assistant to start ASAP

5 hours per week 12.00 – 1.00 pm

Term Time Only Established Contract

Band 3 Point 7 to 9 (£7.58 - £7.76 per hour)

For further details and an application form please email admin@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk or download an application form from the useful forms part of our website www.carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

The successful candidate will be required to complete an enhanced DBS Clearance.
Closing date Tuesday 1st November at 4pm

25th November

FOS Non-Uniform Day

Class 1 open classroom

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

Open Classroom reminders

Class 3—Wednesday 23rd November—9.10 -10.10am

Class 4—Wednesday 23rd November—9.10-10.10am

Class 5—Tuesday 22nd November—9.10-10.10am

Class 1 —Friday 25th November —9.10-10.10am

Letters from parents

Please can we politely remind parents that we need a letter from you if your child needs to be excused from PE or swimming for any reason. The letter must be dated and signed by you, with a brief explanation of why your child is unable to take part in the lesson and state the duration for which you wish your child to be excused.

Please may we also remind you that if you are taking children to medical or dental appointments in school time, we need to be advised of these in advance and wherever possible in writing prior to the appointment. Thank you for your assistance in these matters.

Emailing teachers

Can I remind you that we are still trialling emailing teachers. You can do this at the addresses provided below. Can I also remind you of the guidance we sent out at the start of this project;

1. Teachers will only look at emails during their working hours
2. Teachers will try to respond to emails within 5 working days
3. Important messages about arrangements for children at the beginning or end of the school day, illness or appointments must still go through the school office
4. Serious issues or concerns should be dealt with face to face or over the phone
5. The Headteacher has the right to stop a parent contacting staff through emails if it is felt this way of communicating is being misused.
6. Teachers will only use their school email addresses to communicate with parents and will not give out their personal email addresses
7. Confidential information will not be sent by email
8. School letters and reports will continue to be sent as a hard copy not by email.

The teacher's emails are as follows;

Mrs Amesbury—aamesbury@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

Mr Macklam—kmacklam@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

Mrs Mills-Moore—Smills-moore@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

Miss Nicholson—knicholson@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

Mrs Campbell—zcampbell@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

Mrs Toase—atoase@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

Mrs Mallet—lmallett@carltonminiott.n-yorks.sch.uk

FOS

The Friends of School can now be contacted by email. Their address is foscartertonminiott@gmail.com

The Blue Cross Event 30th October

The Blue Cross Centre in Thirsk are having a Spooky Spectacular to celebrate the opening of their new puppy sensory garden. As part of the celebrations they are having a pumpkin carving competition, which may appeal to our pupils, many of who may have had pets from them. The competition, along with fun activities and face painting, will be held at the centre on Sunday 30th October from 3pm- 7pm. Entrance is free.