

Your Weekly Newsletter

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I cannot believe that we are already at the end of term! This has been such a busy time for us with lots taking place in every term. We have really enjoyed ending on high with the year 5&6 production. The children were magnificent and made me genuinely laugh aloud! It was a shame that some families didn't support our efforts to meet the needs of our working families by not turning up for the evening performance. This lack of support may mean future evening events can't take place.

Our leavers also enjoyed a wonderful evening with their families to say their farewell to Primary School on Wednesday evening. It was a truly special evening where the sun shone and Mr Jones barbecued burgers.

It also was the end to a very busy day where we had interviewed for our new Deputy Headteacher. Mr Jones has successfully been appointed our new Deputy Headteacher after displaying his true passion for all that is Carleton Green. I am sure that we have made a great decision in making this appointment.

Hello Carleton Green. I would like to take this opportunity to say how honoured I am to have been appointed Deputy Headteacher this week and to tell you a little bit more about myself. I have taught at Carleton Green since September 2007 and will be starting my tenth year this September.

What I love more than anything about my job is being able to have a positive impact on children, not just academically but socially as well and teaching them skills which they will go onto use for the rest of their life. Away from school, my family, music and sport play the biggest part in my life. I play the cello and greatly enjoy all aspects of music. My daughter is learning to play the cornet and she recently passed her first exam. Sport has always been a big part of my life, especially cricket and I enjoy kicking a ball around in the garden with my son. It is great that children now have so many opportunities to try different sports at such a young age.

I want the children of Carleton Green to be challenged and to challenge themselves and be brave learners. There is no ceiling to learning and it is our job as a school to ensure that your children are encouraged and supported in aiming to reach for the sky. Carleton Green is wonderful school and I am looking forward to working with Mrs McGrath and all the staff on exciting new adventures in September. Enjoy your summer !

Mr. Jones

Along with this appointment I also want to acknowledge all the work that Mrs Farnworth puts in behind the scenes. Hers is the first face that many of you will meet when coming to our school and the font of all knowledge about all aspects of our school. Mrs Farnworth has worked stealthily supporting my every venture in shaping our school and shares in my vision to become outstanding. As such she is to become a vital part of the Senior Leadership Team as our Financial and Strategic Lead. Mrs Farnworth ensures our policies become practice, that my aspirations for our school become reality and that communication is strong and as such is able to answer many parental queries.

So a big congratulations is extended to both and I now believe that our senior Leadership Team is sound where the school will continue to go from strength to strength.

Dates to note

(this list is by no means exhaustive so please keep looking for additional events and information)

Fleetwood Town Holiday Club will operate every week until Friday 26th August.

Back to school September 1st 2016

Monday 5th September – Meet The Teacher Evening. We are providing two time slots:

- 1) 15:45 in the school hall
- 2) 17:00 in the school hall

Friday 21st October – Wow Afternoon

Half Term Friday 21.10.16-7.11.16 - We are hoping that the two weeks will help our families for holidays outside of term times.

Wednesday 9th November – Parents' Evening 16:00-19:00

Thursday 10th November – Parents' Evening 16:00-19:00

Monday 19th December – Little Chicks' and Ducklings' Nativity.

Tuesday 20th December – Infant Christmas Play.

Wednesday 21st December – Family Christmas Candlelit Carol Service at Rossall Chapel.

Thank you for your ongoing support with all that takes place in and out of school.

Susan McGrath Headteacher at Carleton Green Community School.