

Your Weekly Newsletter



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The Charity Committee have had yet another success with the Christmas Jumper Jumble raising £350.00. This has been donated to Streetlife Blackpool which is a registered charity that assists young people in finding support and shelter.

These have been two incredibly busy final weeks with our Christmas Lunch, successful dress rehearsals and the real performances too. The children have been utterly brilliant!!! The teachers in Little Chicks, Ducklings and our Infant Classes have worked so hard.

Thank you to those who joined us last night to support our Candlelit Carol Service too. It was a very special evening once again thanks to the talents of Mr Boyd and Mr Jones. It is lovely to be able to celebrate altogether, especially in such a magnificent setting. I just wish that more children would come to support this whole school event.

I am hoping that those classes that have received the new reading records are finding them useful to link with school more easily. Please use them to communicate your findings with homework and aspects of learning alongside reading. We want to engage with our families as we value working together to get the very best outcomes for your children. We have though (sadly) recently had to adopt a zero tolerance policy to anti-social or aggressive behaviour to protect our children and staff in school. We believe wholeheartedly in mutual respect and endeavour to instil this in our pupils and as a consequence want it for ourselves in our work place.

There has also been a rather unsavoury YouTube upload recently which some of you may have seen. It features two of our pupils alongside their starring older sibling. Despite notifying the police and social care there is little as a school that can be done about it. I trust that you will all know that school does not condone this type of behaviour or material.

Our aim this year is to drive standards up further with higher expectations in learning across school. Writing in particular is an area we are working hard to improve. Our learning journals evidence all the learning taking place and are designed to create a greater purpose for their learning. Please continue to help with homework as this plays a vital role too. Along with our high expectations we are continually striving for good behaviour. Our Carleton Code, House Points, Class points and manners awards all assist. We have been logging where issues take place and in the main it seems to be at non-structured times such as playtimes. This is something we are to channel our efforts towards and will be monitoring our actions over the coming spring term. Your support in promoting positive behaviour is incredibly important to us.

The Sports Page @ Carleton Green

Well, what a fantastic term we have had for sport and PE. The children have all been working really hard in PE, clubs and in festivals. Check out the blog for videos and photographs for all the learning that has taken place. To those children and parents who have blogged comments, thank you they are really lovely to read!

I was really fortunate to be able to see two young boys play in their rugby competitions. Oliver Thornburrow and Daniel Crompton play and represent Fleetwood Rugby Club and I was able to see them both play; they played very well and I felt very proud.

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It is really lovely to be updated and informed when children; are performing, are playing in tournaments, competitions etc so please let me know. I also love receiving emails and photographs of all children across school for our file of evidence, magic moments wall and for the hall so please keep me informed.

Most recently I received this fantastic photograph of Harry Lowe who has been awarded 'Outstanding Junior Student of the Year' at Tae Kwon Do. It's a huge honour at the Club, the Trophy has been awarded each year for the last 23 years. Well done Harry!



Wake and Shake has now finished until after Christmas. This will resume on **Monday 9th January 2017.**

I had some very exciting news this week for those who participated in the Wyre and Fylde Dance Festival in November...we have been entered into a dance competition along with 9 other Primary schools and 5 other high school. This is to COMPETE for the FINALS of the Lancashire Dance Competition. More information will be sent out after Christmas...MS WATMOUGH AND I ARE VERY EXCITED!!

This is the last sports page for the year! I wish you all a Merry Christmas and cannot wait to see how sporty 2017 is!

Miss Howarth
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Friday 6th January 2017 – 08:50 school is open for the Spring Term. This day is a Design and Technology day so please send your children in clothes that you don't mind the children getting messy.

Parents' Evenings 22nd and 23rd February 2017 (16:00-19:00)

Class assembly dates for Kestrels, Robins, Herons and Parrots will be coming soon. Always Tuesdays at 15:00.

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and hope that the New Year brings happiness and good health.