



Life to the Full

Week Commencing
Monday 5th October 2026

LIFE ON THE ROCK Building firm foundations in faith, learning and life

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WE ARE IN THE SEASON OF ORDINARY TIME

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KEY DATES

2026 - 2027

OCTOBER

5 October	Duke of Edinburgh return at lunch
7 October	Year 11 SEND Information Event, 4.00pm-5.00pm
7 October	Senior Maths Challenge, Years 12 & 13
8 October	RE:CHARGE, Year 11, lunchtime

9 October

PD DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STUDENTS

12 October	Assessment Window opens, Years 7-10
12-16 October	Year 11 MFL Mock 1 Speaking Assessments
14 October	Year 10 Art Trip
15 October	RE:CHARGE, Year 11, lunchtime
19 October	Key Stage 3 Assessments continue
22 October	PTA AGM
22 October	RE:CHARGE, Year 11, lunchtime
23 October	Esports Tournament
26-31 October	Half Term Holiday

NOVEMBER

6 November	Duke of Edinburgh departure at lunch
7 November	Bronze Duke of Edinburgh, Year 10
9 November onwards	Year 11 Mock Examinations
12 November	Christmas Fayre
16 November onwards	Year 11 Mock Examinations continue
20 November	Carmel Does Stars in Their Eyes
23 November	A Level Speaking Mock Examination
24 November	Sixth Form Open Evening
26 November	La Molina Ski Information Evening, 5.00pm

DECEMBER

3 December	Christmas PTA Event
8 December	Year 11 Parents' Evening Year 12 Psychology & Sociology Parents' Evening
14 – 15 December	Christmas Liturgy
18 December	College closes at 1.30pm
21 December onwards	Christmas Holiday

JANUARY

4 January onwards	Year 11 Mock Interviews begin
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Life to the Full

LIVE LEARN GROW



Week Commencing Monday 5th October 2026

Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

Theme: The Cornerstone

“The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.”

Matthew 21:42

In the parable of the tenants in the vineyard, Jesus reminds us that everything we have is a gift entrusted to us by God. He then describes Himself using the image of the stone rejected by the builders which becomes the cornerstone.

A cornerstone gives a building its strength and direction. Jesus is reminding us that He is the foundation upon which we are called to build our lives.

This is at the heart of our theme, Life on the Rock. Building our lives on Christ means allowing His teaching to shape our choices, relationships and the way we use the gifts God has given us.

St Peter later used these same words to describe Jesus. Peter knew what it was to fail and begin again, but he discovered that Christ remained his sure foundation.

This week, may we build upon Christ our Cornerstone and use our gifts to help build His Kingdom through kindness, generosity and service.

What part of my life can I build more firmly upon Christ this week?

Week Commencing Monday 12th October 2026

Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time

Theme: Everyone is Invited

“Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.”

Matthew 22:9

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of a wedding banquet. When those first invited refuse to come, the king sends his servants out to invite others. The invitation is opened wide.

Jesus reminds us that God's Kingdom is not reserved for a select few. Everyone is invited. God reaches out to each of us and asks us to respond to His love.

As we come towards the end of this half term and continue building Life on the Rock, we remember that Christ is a foundation upon which everyone is invited to build. A community built upon Christ should be one where people are welcomed, valued and know that they belong.

Accepting God's invitation also asks something of us. Our faith should make a difference to how we live, particularly in the way we notice, include and care for others.

This week, may we recognise God's invitation in our own lives and make sure that others experience that same welcome through us. Who could I help to feel welcomed, valued or included this week?

[Follow the readings at Mass here](#)



A Message From the Principal

As we move further into the autumn term, it has been wonderful to see our theme of *Life on the Rock* taking shape across the College. During the past fortnight, our students have been given many opportunities to strengthen the foundations of faith, friendship, learning and character on which they will build their lives.

Our Year 7 Ethos Days and Welcome Mass were a particularly joyful part of the fortnight. At St Augustine's, our newest Carmelites reflected on what it means to build their lives on Christ, worked together with great enthusiasm and gathered with families and parishioners to celebrate Mass. Their behaviour, thoughtfulness and willingness to participate were exceptional, and we were very proud of them.

Year 8 also enjoyed a memorable retreat at the Emmaus Youth Village. Across three days of prayer, reflection, activities and shared experiences, students were encouraged to deepen their faith, strengthen their friendships and consider how they can put their beliefs into action. My thanks go to the Youth Ministry Team and to the Carmel staff who made this important experience possible.

There has also been much to celebrate beyond the classroom. From success in football, netball, wheelchair basketball and cheerleading to the achievements of our young musicians and former students, this edition contains many examples of Carmelites using their gifts, pursuing their ambitions and living Life to the Full. We are proud of every student who represents the College and of those whose dedication outside school is leading to such impressive achievements.

It was encouraging to welcome so many students, parents and carers to our Year 11 Parents' Evening. The coming weeks are especially important for Year 11 as students prepare for their mock examinations. The evening gave families an opportunity to speak with teachers, consider practical revision strategies and learn more about the support available. Our RE:CHARGE programme is already underway, and further guidance and revision opportunities will continue across all subjects. Small, consistent steps now will help students build the knowledge, confidence and good habits they need for the months ahead.

Thank you, as always, to our families for their continued support and to our students and staff for everything they contribute to our community. As we approach the half-term break, let us continue to work together, care for one another and build on firm foundations.

Melanie Kane

SAVE THE DATE!

Join us for the Carmel Sixth Form Open Evening on Tuesday 24 November 2026
at 6.00pm

Keynote presentations from the Principal and Director of Sixth Form

Meet staff from all subject departments

Explore our outstanding facilities

Chat with current students

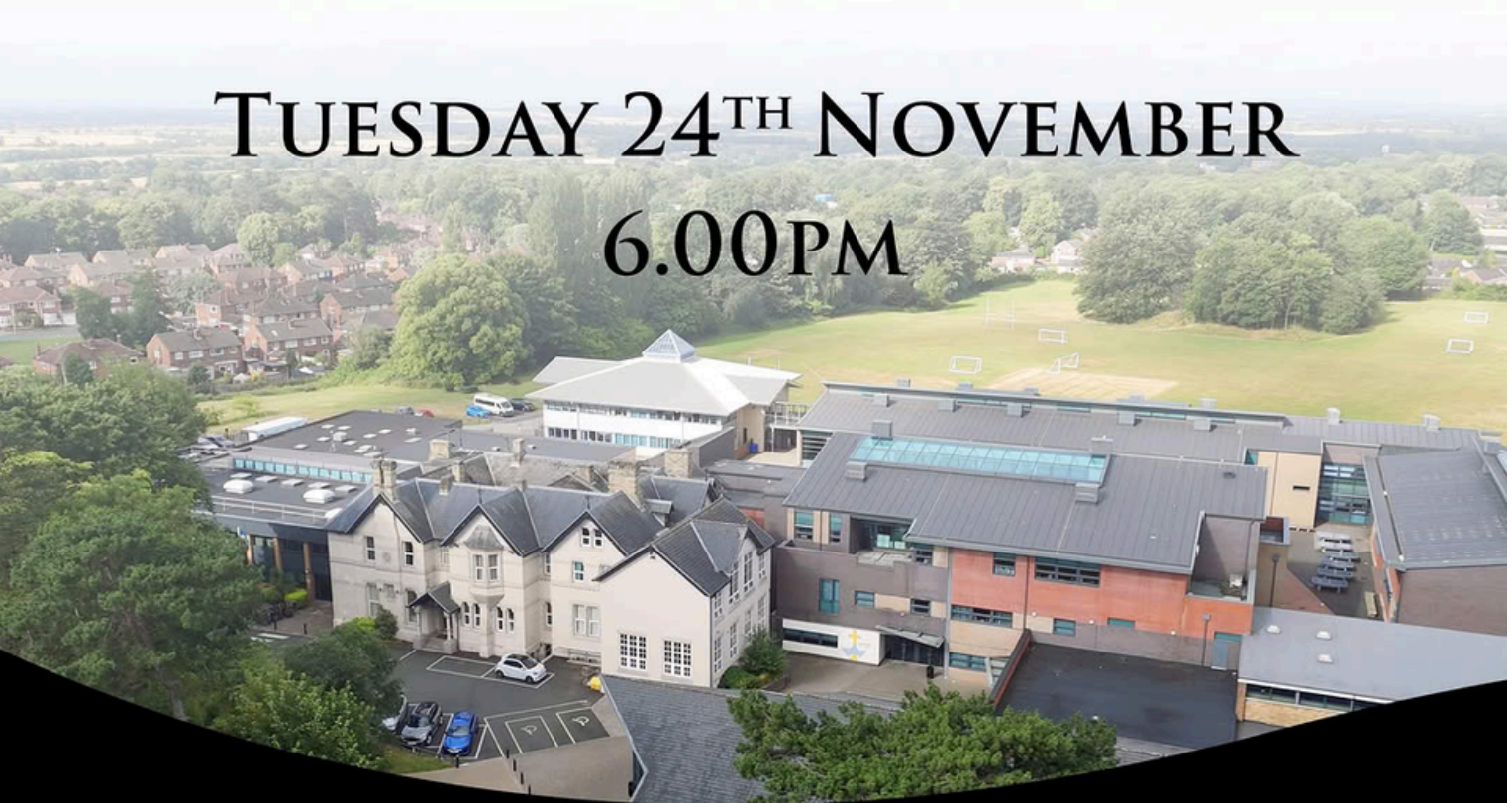
Collect your copy of the Prospectus 2026/27

We welcome applications from students of all schools!

OPEN EVENING



TUESDAY 24TH NOVEMBER 6.00PM

An aerial photograph of the Carmel Sixth Form building and its surrounding grounds. The building is a large, multi-story structure with a mix of brick and stone. It is surrounded by greenery, including trees and a large sports field. The sky is clear and blue.

**WE ARE OPEN TO APPLICATIONS
FROM ALL SCHOOLS**

PASTORAL UPDATE

Attendance, Routines and Wellbeing

As we approach the final weeks of the half term, regular attendance and punctuality remain essential. Being in College every day helps students maintain routines, stay connected with friends and teachers, access support and make steady progress.

Good routines outside College matter too. Sufficient sleep, regular meals, exercise and sensible limits around screen use all support concentration and wellbeing.



Families are encouraged to help young people maintain a calm evening routine and arrive at College ready for the day ahead.

Year 11 SEND Information Event

Our Year 11 SEND Information Event takes place on Wednesday 7 October from 4.00pm until 5.00pm. The event will provide information for students with special educational needs and disabilities and their families as they prepare for the important months ahead.

Staying Safe Around E-scooters

Families are reminded that privately owned e-scooters cannot legally be used on public roads, pavements, cycle lanes or in other public spaces. They may be used only on private land with the landowner's permission.

E-scooters can pose a serious risk to riders, pedestrians and other road users. Parents and carers are asked to discuss the guidance from Durham Constabulary and Darlington Council with their children and help us reinforce this important safety message.



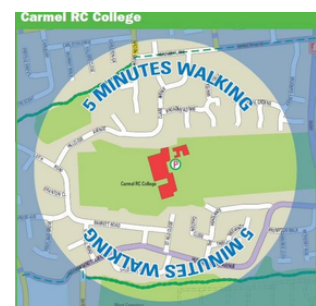
Parking Pledge – Keeping Our Community Safe

Please help us keep students and our local community safe by supporting our Parking Pledge. Where possible, please walk or cycle, or park a short distance away and walk the final few minutes.

When driving:

- Follow the one-way system via The Headlands
- Park on the left-hand side only
- Drop off using the nearside door
- Keep driveways, pavements, verges and keep-clear markings free
- No vehicles on site between 3:15–3:45pm

Thank you for helping us reduce congestion, keep everyone safe and respect our neighbours.





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in Action*



CARMEL COLLEGE
PD DAY
FRIDAY 9 OCTOBER

CLOSED
FOR STUDENTS



ACADEMIC UPDATE

Year 11 Mock Examinations

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If a student is worried, feels overwhelmed or needs additional help, families should contact pastoral team. Asking for support early gives us the best opportunity to help.

RE:CHARGE

Our six-week RE:CHARGE programme is helping Year 11 prepare for the GCSE Religious Education mock examination through short, focused daily activities.

Each 20-minute task includes key knowledge, essential sources of wisdom and authority, examination practice and a Microsoft Forms quiz. A supported 30-minute RE:CHARGE revision session now takes place every ****Thursday lunchtime**** in the John Caden Hall.

Students and families can access the complete mock revision calendar and all RE:CHARGE materials here: [RE:CHARGE Carmel Mock Revision Calendar](#)

The image shows a detailed calendar for the RE:CHARGE programme. It is a 6-week grid starting from Monday 12th September to Sunday 18th October. Each day has a specific task or revision session. The tasks are categorized by week and day. For example, Week 1 starts with 'Creation as noble and good' on Monday. The calendar also includes a 'RE:CHARGE' section for each week, which is a 30-minute session. The bottom of the calendar features a 'I CAN DO THIS' banner with various icons and a 'MOCK READY' checkmark.

The message is simple: revise, recall, repeat. Consistent daily practice will strengthen knowledge and build confidence before the mock.

ASSESSMENT WINDOWS

The Years 7–10 assessment window opens on Monday 12 October, including Key Stage 3 assessments and the Year 10 assessment window. Key Stage 3 assessments will continue during the week beginning Monday 19 October. Teachers will be providing focused revision and guidance in lessons, helping students understand what they need to know and how best to prepare. We encourage students to engage fully with this support and complete any revision activities set.

Year 11 Modern Foreign Languages Mock 1 speaking assessments will also take place throughout the week beginning Monday 12 October. Students should check the arrangements provided by their teachers and prepare carefully for their allocated assessment.

Parents and carers who would like to support revision at home can access our [Revision Support](#) pages for practical guidance and resources.

You can also explore our [Subject Pages](#), including subject rationales and curriculum information, to see what students are learning and how each subject contributes to the wider Carmel curriculum.

FAITH AND CATHOLIC LIFE

Life on the Rock: Year 7 Ethos Days and Welcome Mass

Our Year 7 students enjoyed two wonderful Ethos Days at St Augustine's, exploring what it means to build their lives on the Rock that is Christ.

The first day, held on the Memorial of St Therese of Lisieux, invited 7CARM to reflect on her "Little Way": doing small, ordinary things with great love. Through dancing, team challenges, pebble painting, prayer and reflection, students considered the foundations on which they want to build their lives. They were kind, respectful and enthusiastic throughout the day, and were a real credit to Carmel.

The following day, the ELJP forms took part in their own programme of faith, friendship, learning and fun before the whole year group came together for the Year 7 Welcome Mass on the Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels. It was wonderful to see St Augustine's filled with students, families and parishioners gathered around the table of the Lord.

Every Year 7 student received a Miraculous Medal, generously donated by the Legion of Mary in Middlesbrough. We are very grateful for this beautiful gift and ask our community to keep the Legion's members in their prayers.

A huge thank you goes to Miss Ramsbottom, our trainee teachers and the Sixth Form students who led activities, encouraged Year 7 and served as excellent role models over the two days.

> "Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock."

> Matthew 7:24

Year 7, keep building your lives on the Rock that is Christ.

Prayer, Hope and Mission: Year 8 Retreat

Ninety Year 8 students enjoyed three days of faith, fun and friendship at the Emmaus Youth Village.

Students explored the conversion of St Paul, reflected on their own faith and created a physical decade of the Rosary filled with their prayers, hopes and dreams. They visited the new grotto, led the Rosary themselves and made practical mission pledges for the months ahead.

The group also celebrated Mass for the Feast of Our Lady of Walsingham with Fr Sean Purdy, alongside plenty of activities, laughter and a lively dance party.

A huge thank you to the Youth Ministry Team, Fr Sean and our staff for such a memorable retreat.



Pray, Hope and Don't Worry

Students gathered for Mass on the Memorial of St Padre Pio, remembering his simple but powerful invitation to place our trust in God: "Pray, hope and don't worry."

Thank you to 11E and 11L for preparing and leading the liturgy so beautifully, and to Fr Tony for celebrating Mass with us shortly after returning from his holiday. Through the intercession of St Padre Pio, may we learn to trust a little more, worry a little less and always remember the power of prayer.



Opening the Scriptures with St Jerome

Forms 11J and 11P prepared our Mass on the Memorial of St Jerome, priest, Doctor of the Church and great lover of Sacred Scripture.

Students composed a thoughtful introduction, beautiful bidding prayers and a reflective meditation for Holy Communion, helping everyone present to enter more deeply into the celebration. Thank you to both forms for their prayerful preparation and participation, and to Fr Barrie for celebrating Mass with us.

St Jerome's words, "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ," remind us to open the Bible, listen to God's Word and allow it to shape the way we live.



A Special Celebration for a Carmel Alumna

Carmel alumna and great friend of the College, Dr Emma Morrison, was consecrated as a Consecrated Virgin by the Rt Rev Terence Patrick Drainey, Bishop Emeritus of Middlesbrough, during a beautiful liturgy at St Mary's Cathedral. This ancient vocation reaches back to the earliest days of the Church and was restored following the Second Vatican Council. During the rite, Emma received a veil and ring as signs of her consecration and a life dedicated to Christ and his Church. Emma will continue to live and work in the world, including as a doctor at James Cook Hospital, living her vocation through prayer, service and witness to the Gospel. The Gospel of Martha and Mary was particularly fitting, bringing together service to others with a life lived close to Christ in prayer. Congratulations, Dr Emma. The Carmel community is incredibly proud of you and will continue to keep you in prayer. Ad multos annos!



More Than £9,000 Raised for Macmillan



This year's Carmel Macmillan Coffee Morning raised a fantastic £827.37 for Macmillan Cancer Support.

Members of the Carmel family came together to bake, buy, serve and enjoy an impressive selection of cakes while raising money for a cause that means so much to so many people.

A special thank you goes to Mrs Frank, who has coordinated the annual event for the past 12 years. During that time, the Carmel community has raised more than £9,000 through its Coffee Mornings - an extraordinary achievement made possible by the generosity of our families, students and staff.

Thank you to everyone who baked, donated, served or helped make the morning such a success.

One School, Hundreds of Stories

Carmel's 2026 Reading Festival was a joyful celebration of books, stories and reading for pleasure across our College community. Students shared favourite books, discovered new authors and stories, and took part in a wide range of activities filled with creativity, conversation and laughter.

From special events and activities to simply taking time to talk about the books we love, it was wonderful to see students and staff celebrating reading together.

In the National Year of Reading 2026, the festival was a timely reminder of the power of reading to inspire our imaginations, broaden our horizons and help us see the world through different eyes.

Most importantly, it reminded us that whatever your interests, there really is a book for everyone. It was a joy to welcome our older friends from local care homes to listen to our students read and enjoy afternoon tea!



Year 11: Building Firm Foundations

Carmel was buzzing as Year 11 students and their families joined us for an important evening looking ahead to the months to come. 🎓📚

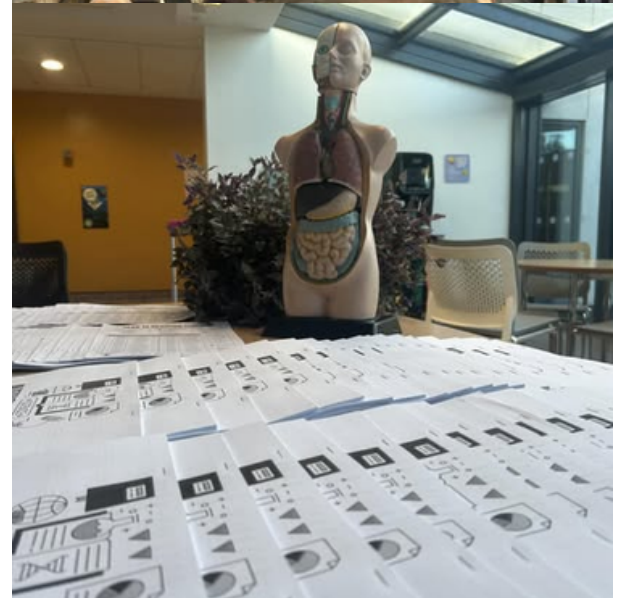
Families received key information about the upcoming mock examinations, what students can expect and how we can work together to support them through this important year. We explored a range of practical revision techniques, helping students think carefully about how to revise effectively, manage their time and make the most of the weeks ahead.

We also looked at how AI can be used responsibly to support learning and revision, from generating retrieval questions and testing knowledge to explaining difficult concepts and helping students identify gaps in their understanding. Students and families were signposted to the wide range of revision resources and support available through College, including subject-specific materials to help make revision purposeful and manageable.

Of course, Year 11 is about much more than examinations! There was plenty of excitement as Class of 2027 hoodie orders officially opened and the venue for Prom 2027 was revealed.

Thank you to all the families who joined us and continue to work in partnership with Carmel.

Year 11, we are walking with you every step of the way. Keep working, keep believing and keep building those firm foundations for success in the summer.



Team Carmel

Our Year 9 and 10 netballers returned from High Tunstall College of Science with two excellent victories.

The U15 team progressed to the next round of the Sisters in Sport Cup following a superb 16-6 win. N. Payne was named Players' Player, while L. Sudlow received both the Coaches' Player and Opposition's Player awards.

A second team, made up of students from Years 9 and 10, also secured a win in its friendly fixture. J. Gayles received the Players' Player and Opposition's Player awards, with E. Henderson named Coaches' Player.

Both teams demonstrated excellent effort, teamwork and attitude throughout the evening.



U16 Girls Progress in the ESFA Cup

Carmel's U16 girls secured a 5-2 victory over Wetherhall School in the first round of the English Schools' FA Cup.

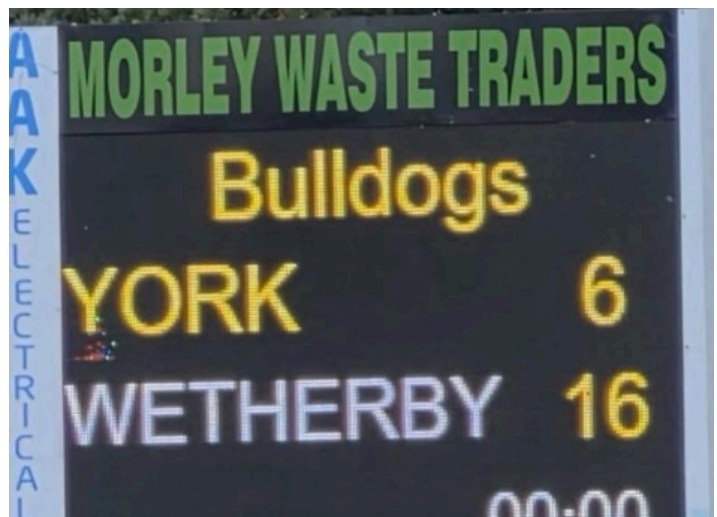
It was the team's first match together after a long break and its first experience of playing 11-a-side as a group. After taking time to settle, the players found their rhythm, moved the ball confidently and produced some excellent team goals.

Mia, Leah, Elise, Jess and Brooke were all on the scoresheet. Brooke was named Player of the Match after an energetic performance capped by a brilliant goal in her first school fixture.



Yorkshire Cup Success for Noah

Congratulations to Year 10 student Noah Wetherby and his Bulldogs teammates, who won the U14 Yorkshire Cup Final. The result is a wonderful reward for the team's hard work, commitment and training. Everyone at Carmel is very proud of Noah and the whole team.



Anna's Outstanding Year in Wheelchair Basketball

Anna enjoyed an exceptional 2025/26 wheelchair basketball season with her Mohawks teammates, collecting an impressive series of medals.

The team won gold in the National Women's League, BWB Division 2 and BWB Division 3, securing promotion in both divisional competitions. Anna also earned silver while representing England North U18s at the British Wheelchair Basketball Home Nations Cup.

The new season has already begun strongly. Anna captained England Team Orange at the School Games at Loughborough University, leading the team to a bronze medal in 3x3 wheelchair basketball. She has also been invited to attend two training sessions with the GB U25 Women's Team.

These achievements reflect an enormous amount of commitment and determination. Congratulations, Anna - the whole Carmel community is very proud of you.



Nevaeh Is Heading to Florida

Nevaeh and her teammates at Lazer Cheer Academy have earned the opportunity to compete in Orlando, Florida, in April 2027.

After performing at an international standard and securing bids to attend, the teams will compete at The Allstar World Championships and The Summit.

Reaching this level requires tremendous commitment, training, teamwork and determination. We are very proud to see Nevaeh taking her talents onto the international stage and living Life to the Full.

Good luck to Nevaeh and all her Lazer Cheer teammates. Carmel will be cheering you on all the way to Florida.



Daisy Releases Her First Song!

Year 11 student Daisy has released her first song, "Set You Loose", on Spotify.

Many within the Carmel community already know Daisy as an exceptionally talented performer. She has sung at the Year 9 Dinner, regularly leads music at Mass, performed at the Prom and has played gigs across the region.

Releasing original music while still in Year 11 is a remarkable achievement and an exciting next step in Daisy's musical journey. We are incredibly proud of her and look forward to seeing where her talent takes her next.



Once a Carmelite, Always a Carmelite!

George Signs for Newcastle United

Carmel alumnus George Mair, who left the College during the summer, signed his first professional contract with Newcastle United on his 17th birthday.

The Darlington-born goalkeeper joined the club's Academy at Under-8 level and has progressed through the ranks. He made his Under-21 debut this season, having previously represented Newcastle in the UEFA Youth League at the age of 15, and has also played for England at Under-17 level.

George described himself as "over the moon" and grateful for the opportunity. His first professional contract is a fitting reward for years of hard work, commitment and determination. Congratulations, George - everyone at Carmel is very proud of you.



From Carmel to the West End

Carmel alumnus and Darlington-born performer Matt Corner has joined the West End cast of the Royal Shakespeare Company's **Matilda The Musical** as Mr Wormwood.

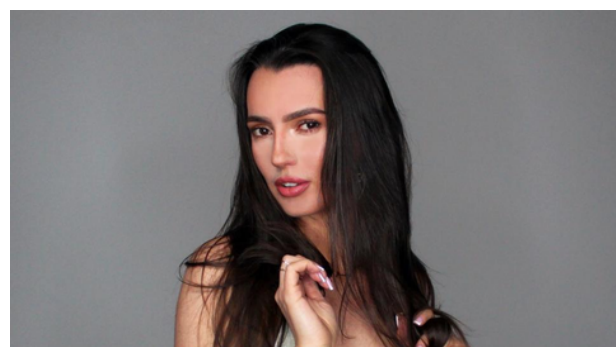
Matt began performing as a teenager and has since built an impressive theatre career. His credits include Frankie Valli in **Jersey Boys**, as well as appearances in **We Will Rock You**, **Fiddler on the Roof**, **The Last Ship** and **Kinky Boots**. He also appeared in the film **Les Miserables**.

Now performing at London's Cambridge Theatre in one of the West End's best-loved musicals, Matt is a wonderful example of a former student living Life to the Full. Congratulations from everyone at Carmel.



Phoebe's Music Featured in **Hollyoaks**

We were delighted to see another Carmel alumna, Darlington singer Phoebe, receiving recognition for her music after it was featured in the television programme **Hollyoaks**. With a new single also announced, it is wonderful to see Phoebe continuing to pursue her ambitions and live her dream. Congratulations from everyone at Carmel.



The Countdown to Ski 2027 Begins

Carmel's first ski lessons are underway as preparations begin for the 2027 trip to La Molina.

Our skiers have made a brilliant start, building the skills and confidence they will need when they reach the slopes. Plans for Ski 2028 are also taking shape, with a destination and launch information to follow.

Places on Carmel's ski adventures are always popular, so families interested in the 2028 trip should look out for further details.



Carmel Harvest Appeal 2026

Our Home and Away Harvest Appeal is supporting people in need both within our local community and around the world.

For the Home appeal, we are collecting non-perishable food, toiletries and household essentials for the St Vincent de Paul Food Bank and the Diocesan Justice and Peace Refugee Service. Students may bring donations to their form teacher, while families can leave items at Main Reception. Every donation will also count towards our Harvest House Challenge between St Aidan, St Hilda, St Bede and St Cuthbert.

Our Away appeal supports CAFOD's work with communities around the world. Families who wish to contribute can make a monetary donation through Arbor.

The collection runs until Thursday 8 October. One tin, one packet or one gift can make a real difference when the whole Carmel community gives together.



Christmas at Carmel Is Coming

Preparations are underway for the Carmel Christmas Fayre on Thursday 12 November 2026.

Local businesses, crafters, makers and independent sellers are invited to book a stall for this popular festive evening. A small space of one to two metres costs £10, while a larger space of two to three metres costs £15. Exhibitors are also asked to donate 10 per cent of takings over £100 to Carmel PTA and to provide a quality raffle prize from their stall.

Places are limited. To book, please email carmelchristmasfayre@carmel.bhcet.org.uk



LOOKING AHEAD

Carmel Christmas Food & Craft Fayre

Join us on Thursday 12th November 2026, 6:00pm-8:30pm at Carmel College for a festive evening of Christmas shopping, food, crafts and seasonal treats. Tickets are £3.50 adults, £3 concessions, under 16s free. Ticket price includes a complimentary glass of wine or soft drink. Bring family and friends and support this wonderful community event. We look forward to seeing you there! Tickets are available now at <https://www.ticketsource.com/carmelfayre>

CARMEL DOES STARS IN THEIR EYES!

Friday 20 November
St Augustine's Parish Centre
Tickets £20, including homemade curry

Some very familiar Carmel faces are preparing to step through the smoke in support of our students travelling to Lourdes with HCPT.

With a licensed bar, tombola, raffle and games, it promises to be a brilliant evening for a brilliant cause.

LA MOLINA 2027

Preparations are gathering pace for our 2027 Ski Trip to La Molina, Spain.

Students have now been allocated their ski lesson groups and Silksworth sessions are beginning.

Ski Information Evening

Thursday 26 November | 5.00pm | John Caden Hall

The countdown is on!



Thursday 12th November 2026

6.00pm - 8.30pm

Carmel College
 The Headlands, Darlington,
 Co. Durham, DL3 8RW

TICKET PRICES

£3.50 - Adults | £3.00 - Concession | Under 16's free

Ticket price includes a complimentary glass of wine or soft drink





Our Safeguarding Team

LISTEN • SUPPORT • PROTECT • WORK TOGETHER

*If you have a safeguarding concern,
please speak to a member of our
Safeguarding Team without delay.*



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People
Brighter
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**Safeguarding is everyone's
responsibility.**

*Working together to keep our
school community safe.*

Life to the full



Support the Carmel PTA Lottery

The Carmel PTA works tirelessly to enhance the experience of our students, funding opportunities and resources that make a real difference to life at the college. One of the easiest ways to support this work is by joining the Carmel Parents Lottery.

For every £1 ticket purchased, 60p goes directly to the PTA, helping to fund projects and initiatives that benefit our young people. These contributions support a wide range of activities, including the purchase of books and literacy resources, equipment for breaktime clubs such as table tennis and badminton, enrichment activities and performances, and special events and rewards for students.

By taking part, you will not only be supporting the college community but will also have the opportunity to win prizes through the weekly lottery draws.

To join the Carmel Parents Lottery, please click the image below.

Every ticket purchased helps us continue to provide the extra opportunities, experiences and resources that enrich the lives of our students. Thank you for your ongoing support.

