

## Friday Newsletter – 18th July 2025

### A Fond Farewell and a Wonderful Summer Ahead!

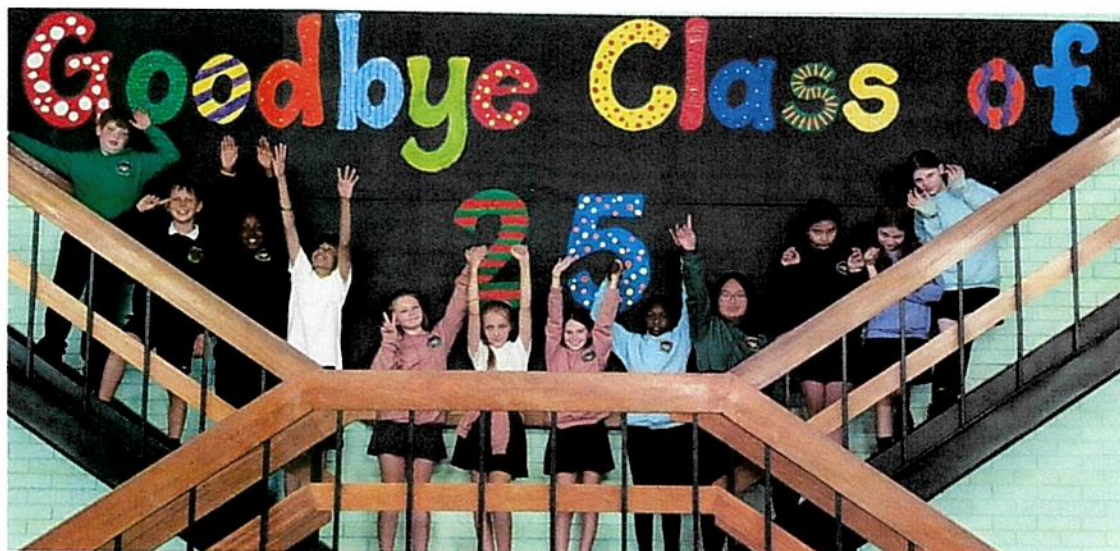
And just like that, we have reached the final newsletter of the academic year. As we prepare to close the school gates for a well-deserved summer break, this edition is dedicated to our incredible Year 6 pupils, who are leaving us to embark on their next great adventure at secondary school. We have watched you grow into confident, kind, and capable young people, and we could not be prouder of everything you have achieved. We know you will go on to do amazing things, and we wish you all the success and happiness in the world.

It is with a heavy heart that we also say goodbye to the wonderful Mrs Walker, who has been such a valued member of our team. We thank her for her dedication and wish her all the best for the future. Our farewells also extend to some of our much-loved children and their fantastic families who are moving on. You have all been a special part of our community, and you will be missed.

A school is nothing without its community, and this has been a brilliant year at Castle View thanks to every single one of you. A huge thank you to our parents, carers, and families for your unwavering support; to our dedicated staff for their hard work and passion; and to our amazing children, who fill our school with joy and enthusiasm every single day.

We wish you all a safe, happy, and enjoyable summer. We look forward to seeing you all refreshed and ready for another fantastic year in September!

School starts for all pupils on **Tuesday 2nd September**.



### Superstars Certificates for outstanding work



The following children have all worked their socks off in class and have been awarded a certificate for their great attitude to learning:

Miss Spencer – Albie and Nala  
Mrs Walker – Lacey F W and Jett

Mrs Hamer – Iris and Ruby S  
Mrs Robinson – Bella and Peter



## **Reception - trips, trips and more trips!!**

The Reception class embarked on an educational trip to Williamson Park, where they explored the Butterfly House and the Mini Zoo. Despite the rainy weather, everyone thoroughly enjoyed the visit. As part of their "Understanding the World" curriculum, they also visited Christ Church and Lancaster Cathedral. During these visits, they learned about the special features found in churches, such as the baptismal font.



## **Year 6 - A fond farewell**

This week, our Year 6 pupils enjoyed VIP treatment with their Y6 Leavers Lunch. They all sat in the hall and were served with some delicious food, prepared by our wonderful chef, Abbie.



## **End of term treat for Year 3 and 4**

We were very pleased to find that every child in the class had earned their end of term treat this term. The children planned their treat which included eating crumpets, drinking hot chocolate and then den building. We had a fantastic time! It is wonderful that the children are improving their behaviour for learning all the time and are becoming the hardest working pupils around.



## **Year 1 and 2 - writing for the future!**

A big thank you to all the parents who came to the AI meeting this week. The children in Year 1&2 have been writing their own version of 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'. The children showed off their e-books to their parents. In order to be authors, the children had to write describing words to produce the settings for their stories and they were the characters in their books. Well done everyone- you all wrote fantastic stories!!!





## Fantastic Behaviour Awards

Reception – Jaxson  
Year 1/2 – Cassidy

Year 3/4 – Pooya  
Year 5/6 – Aron



### Attendance

The winners of the best attendance prize this week are the children in the Reception class. Brilliant job!

In addition to the best attendance we would like to congratulate our children who have been in school every day this academic year despite any minor coughs, colds or tiredness therefore receiving 100% certificates!

These children are in two groups: those who have joined us mid-year but haven't missed a day since starting; Michael, Michell, Peter, Sam and those who have attended every day since September; Bella, Hollie, McKenzie and Austin. Well done children.

A special congratulations to Bella, Hollie, McKenzie who have gained 100% attendance for 2 whole academic years. What an achievement!



We have an exciting opportunity for two parents to join our governing body as **Parent Governors**. This is a fantastic chance to play a vital role in **shaping the future of Castle View**, contributing to key decisions and strategic planning that directly impact our school community. If you're passionate about making a difference and would like to learn more about this rewarding role, please don't hesitate to **speak to Mr. Rose** for further information.

### Dates to remember for the new academic year 2025/26

- School opens on Tuesday 2nd September

Best wishes

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