

At Carlton & Faceby and Bilsdale Schools we are **KIND**:

Kind and accepting
Independent learners
Never giving up
Determined to be our personal best

Under God's guidance, we teach children the importance of *kindness* towards others, tolerance and mutual *respect*. This empowers children to have the *courage* to achieve their personal best.

Psalm 145:17

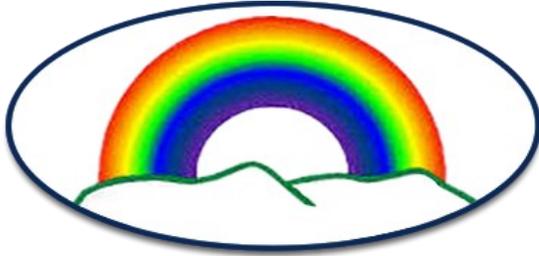
'The Lord is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works'

Luke 2:40

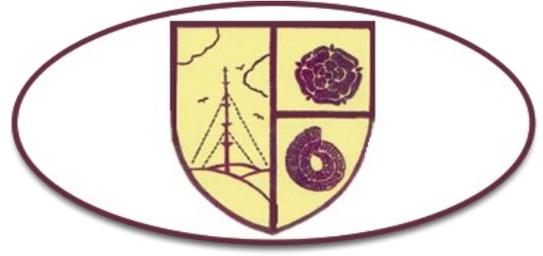
'And the child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom...'

We uphold these values through our golden rules:

- Be ready
- Be respectful
- Be safe



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The Carlton & Faceby and Bilsdale CE Federation Newsletter

Friday 13th December 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

While Friday 13th may be unlucky for some, for us it marks the end of a brilliant week! A huge well done to all of the children who took part in our performance of 'Hey Ewe!' yesterday, everyone did a brilliant job of telling the nativity story. The fun continued today with our trip to the pantomime to see 'Snow White and the Seven Dwarves', a great time was had by all. A huge thank you again to the PTFA for funding the tickets for the children.

With best wishes for a peaceful weekend,
Mr. M. Scott Executive Headteacher

Don't forget your raffle tickets—£1 per strip, cash only please. They will also be available to buy at the Christmas craft afternoon.

Attendance—our whole school target is 96%.

Bilsdale—97.2%

Carlton—94.4%



★ Awards ★

Star of the Week—All Reception, Aoife, Rupert, Toby, Rory, Lydia, Lyla, Bonnie, Isla-Faye, Bea, Beth

Kindness Award— Miles, Penelope, Arthur, Jessica, Isabel

Handwriting Award—Miles, Lavinia, Willow, Ada, Lucia

Awards

Vision Award— Annie, Class 2, All Bilsdale, Class 3

Headteacher Hot Chocolate—Eve, Aoife, William, Lavinia, Oscar, Eva, Devon

Mathematics Awards

Y3/4—1st Hugo, 2nd Sam, 3rd Lucia

Y5/6— 1st Harry, 2nd Monty, 3rd Jack

Change of Status—Hugo—Gone Green

Notes

Clubs

Please remember that, with the exception of Wisdom of the Woods, all clubs are cancelled next week. Wraparound care is still available at Carlton until 5.30pm each day except Friday as it is the last day of term.

**CLUB
CANCELLED**

Collective Worship

This week's Advent worship was from the perspective of Joseph. Why not watch this video which explains how Joseph's perspective is told in the Bible: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vUqfV1e76Pg>



Safeguarding

The Designated Safeguarding Lead for the federation is Matthew Scott. The Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead for Bilsdale is Rachel Grundmann and for Carlton is Diane Jeffries. The Safeguarding Lead Governor is John Ford.

If you have concerns about the safety of a child please speak to one of the staff named above. If you have concerns outside of school hours, please follow [this link](#) to the North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership website.

Diary Dates

WC Monday 16th December	Wisdom of the Woods club as normal, <u>all other clubs cancelled this week</u>	All	n/a
Monday 16th December	Christmas Craft Afternoon—parents and carers welcome	All	Letter sent
Tuesday 17th December	Children’s books displayed for viewing	All	Letter sent
Thursday 19th December	Christmas jumper/dinner day Bilsdale children at Carlton all day	All	Letter sent
Friday 20th December	Carol concert at St Botolph’s, Carlton 2pm	All	Letter sent
Friday 20th December	Break up for Christmas— <u>no after school club on this day</u>	All	n/a
Monday 6th January	Staff training day—school closed to children	All	n/a
Tuesday 7th January	School re-opens for children	All	n/a
Friday 31st January	Road safety competition entries back to school by today	All	Letter sent
Friday 14th February	School closes for half term	All	n/a

Carlton Sports & Social Committee

Christmas Carols

With Guisborough Citadel Salvation Army Band and The Reverend Andrew Robinson introducing the carols.

**Friday 20th December 2024 outside
The Blackwell Ox, Carlton, 7pm**

To follow, come all ye faithful and join us for a mulled wine and mince pie in The Blackwell Ox.



Amazon Wish Lists

Thank you to everyone for their generous donations so far, they've really made a difference to our class libraries.

Class 1 wish list—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/38P02L2MODMMF?ref_=wl_share

Class 2 wish list— https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/3J2NFXCAPY3X0?ref_=wl_share

Class 3 wish list— https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1D1LRFQKJAL0V?ref_=wl_share

Class 4 wish list— https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/27YYASPC0H143?ref_=wl_share

Bilsdale wish list— https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/LP095CM3BW3V?ref_=wl_share

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Free activities

for

children and young people
this school holiday.



Packed with sport, art, fun and food, there's something for everyone.

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AJ STAGE SCHOOLS

Musical theatre workshops with the added magic of pantomime

THE SENSORY DEN

Relax and unwind in a fully kitted out sensory space

ZEST LEISURE CENTRES

Family swim session and delicious lunch

SIMON CARSON SPORTS SCHOOL

Multi-sports camp that builds confidence and shares life lessons

LIVEWIRES

Exciting new opportunities in a safe and inclusive environment

SKIP2BFIT

Activity camp with a variety of games, plus Skip2bFit and Box2bFit

Book your FREE space now!



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THE CARLTON & FACEBY AND
BILSDALE CE FEDERATION

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

£1 PER STRIP, AVAILABLE
AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE

AMAZING PRIZES TO BE WON

**VOUCHERS
FOR LOCAL
BUSINESSES**

**KIDS
CRAFT
BAGS**

**WINE,
CHOCOLATES
AND MORE!**

Drawn Monday 16th December, after Christmas
Craft Afternoon





**Fun & athletics
for all Primary
School children***

*aged 4-11, ideally not for kids currently
in a running club

Athletics Course



**Starts Sat 11th Jan
for 8 weeks**

**Knayton Sports Hall
11am-12 noon**

Only £50 per child

**Glen Hilton, athletics
coach and former England
international athlete, will
teach our youngsters the
fundamentals of athletics
and endurance running.**

For more details contact Glen Hilton:
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Location address: Hillside Rural Activities Park, Knayton, Thirsk YO7 4AX