


Come and join us next Friday, 27th October, for an informal coffee drop in at **Carlton Village Hall**. All parents/carers welcome!



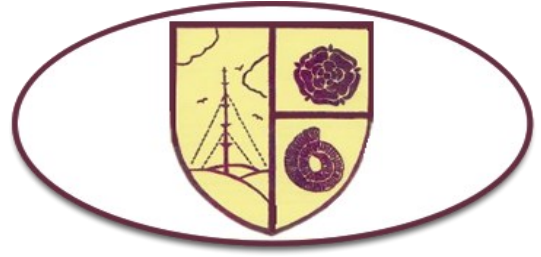
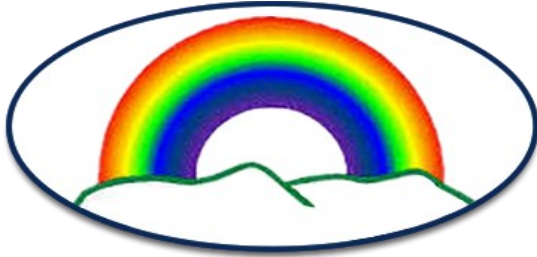
Parent Wellbeing Drop-in

Come and join us for an informal coffee drop in, no agenda, just a chance to chat with other parents and carers.

**CARLTON IN CLEVELAND
VILLAGE HALL - NEXT TO
SCHOOL**

Friday 27th October
2.30pm
No need to book

We look forward to seeing you!



The Carlton & Faceby and Bilsdale CE Federation Newsletter

Friday 20th October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's hard to believe that this time next week we'll be breaking up for half term! We've had another action packed week, culminating in Y2, Y5 and Y6 taking part in the NSPCC workshop all about staying safe. A big thank you to the volunteers from the charity who came and presented.

Please also find attached to the newsletter information on a half-term disco being organised by our wonderful PTFA.

With best wishes for a peaceful weekend,

Mr. M. Scott

Executive Headteacher

Attendance—our whole school target is 96%.

Bilsdale— 98.4%

Carlton— 96.4% - only just above target!

Awards

Well done to the following children:



Stars of the Week— Ollie, Fonzie, Lluna, Joe, Kitty, Thomas, Felicity, Lyla, Olivia R, Toby, Alice R, Noah

Kindness Award— Lydia, Sammy, Charlie R, Seth, Henry J, Elma, Bonnie

Handwriting Award— Bea, Zeff, Harry, Kitty, Alice C, Ada



Vision and Behaviour Awards

Vision Award— Daisy, Zara, Bilsdale Y6, Carlton Y6, Jake, Lyla, Matilda

Headteacher Hot Chocolate— Sammy, Joey, Olivia R, Alice R

Collective Worship—A Prayer For The Middle East

Heavenly Father, when we see devastating images of war and hear the inconsolable cries of those who have lost homes, livelihoods and loved ones, our hearts break.

In the face of so much suffering and despair, come Lord Jesus and help me to see with your eyes, hear with your ears, think with your mind, speak with your lips, walk with your feet, love with your heart, so that I can reach out with your hands and be a futuremaker to my brothers and sisters in Palestine, Israel, Lebanon, Egypt and Syria.

Raise up leaders in the Middle East who will turn from violence and seek your ways of peace that they may act justly, love mercy and walk humbly with you, our God. We pray this in Jesus' name, Amen.

Notes

Collection and drop-off: Please can we remind parents and carers that all children (excluding Little Owls) should be in school by 8.50am. When collecting siblings, please arrive for the earliest time—if you have children in Reception and Y3, you should arrive at 3.10pm for Reception collection and wait for the later KS2 dismissal. Thank you.

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

Friday 27th October	Parent and carer coffee drop in at Carlton Village Hall	All	Info. sent
Friday 27th October	Girls football at Stokesley School	Team	Info. sent
Friday 27th October	School closes for half term	All	n/a
Monday 6th November	Staff training day—school closed for children	All	n/a
Tuesday 7th November	School re-opens for children	All	n/a
Wednesday 8th November	Flu vaccinations at both schools	All	More info. to follow
Friday 10th November	Pop up library in school	All	n/a
Friday 10th, 17th and Wednesday 22nd November	Bikeability—children will participate in one intensive session.	Y6	Info. sent
Monday 13th November	Odd Socks Day for Anti-Bullying Week	All	More info. to follow
Friday 8th De- cember	Urban Kaos 'Christmas Magical Mash Up' Dance Day	All	PE kits needed in school
Wednesday 13th December	Whole Federation Nativity, 2.30pm at Chop Gate Village Hall	All	More info. to follow
Friday 15th December	Christmas lunch and jumper day	All	More info. to follow
Monday 18th December	Christmas craft afternoon	All	More info. to follow
Thursday 21st December	Panto @ Yarm	All	More info. to follow
Friday 22nd December	Carol Service – 2pm, St. Botolph's Church, Carlton <u>SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION WITH FR. ROBERT</u>	All	More info. to follow
Friday 22nd December	School closes for Christmas	All	n/a
Monday 8th January	Staff training day – school closed for children	All	n/a
Tuesday 9th January	School re-opens for children	All	n/a

Vacancy

We're sad to say that Mrs. Kelly-Ann Compton will be leaving Carlton at the end of October. You'll know that Kelly-Ann relinquished her midday supervisory role at the end of last term and she has now secured alternative employment in the local area. We'd like to thank her for all of her hard work over the years she's been with us, she'll be missed!

News from the Classes

Bilsdale

Three areas of the curriculum have made a big impression in KS1 and KS2 at Bilsdale this week, maths, English and art. All the children have worked exceptionally hard in maths, Year 6 have succeeded to secure long division never giving up and determined to be their personal best, while the other year groups have continued to develop their addition skills and fluency. It has been impressive to see the school values of independence and never giving up. In English KS1 have completed a detailed and interesting account of their trip to Beamish working very hard on word choices, handwriting and presentation. KS2 have really focused on their Skara Brae brochures and it has been impressive to see how hard they have worked and the pride they have taken in their writing. In art, both key stages explored different clay techniques, which they used to make and decorate a Bell Beaker-style pot. Their decorations included geometric shapes, zigzags, herringbone patterns, dots and lines.

Carlton Class 1

This week Class 1 have been working on their fine motor skills. In order to grow and develop fine pincer grip we need to do lots of practising. This helps us to be able to hold and control a pen or pencil when writing. Our playdough station is always full as the children love creating with the dough. A great advantage to playdough is it is brilliant to help with fine motor. We've also had the bubble wrap out in the quad all week; popping the bubbles is brilliant to build and strengthen the muscles in our hands! Additionally, we've had weaving activities. We have had a go at threading shoes laces, the children have created some brilliant patterns with this. Well done Class 1, you have been fabulous at building your fine motor skills this week. If you can continue this at home, anything small and fiddley such as doing up buttons or zips is great.



We'd also like to say a HUGE thank you to Miles and his mummy for purchasing our first book off the Amazon wish list. We loved reading through 'One Gorilla' and building on our counting skills. We even learnt a couple of monkey names we'd never heard of! Thank you so much from all of Class 1.



Carlton Class 2

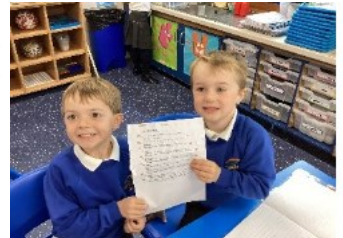


This has been another exciting week of learning in Class 2. We started with more conker creations and having fun while learning how to whittle wood! In Maths, we have explored what happens when we count in different numbers (not always starting at zero). We have worked with counting in 2's, 5's, 10's and even 3's - we are so good at our counting we have even started to answer some tricky problems.

In English, we have enjoyed exploring the shapes of a recount before writing our Beamish recounts.

During our science session, we loved being outdoors using our observational skills when collecting and comparing leaves. We had great fun learning that leaves have four parts - blade, margin, stalk and veins.

We all worked so very hard for Mrs Graham on Wednesday afternoon and produced some amazing, individual paintings based on the wonderful work on James Rizzi.



Carlton Class 3

We have had another busy and productive week, with the children finding it difficult to choose their favourite lessons! We have continued to use our persuasive writing skills to thoroughly plan for our holiday brochure writing next week, discovering more fascinating facts along the way about life in Neolithic times on Skara Brae. This will be the culmination of this writing unit, focussing on life in the first permanent settlements.

In History, we have researched the end of the Stone Age; Discovering how homes, tools and farming improved and developed and how Neolithic people became more skilled in particular jobs, creating early pottery to cook in, drink from and to store their prized possessions. We are eager to begin our continuation along the timeline, discovering life in the Bronze Age and how the Beaker Folk changed the way early people lived their lives.

In French, we have revised and consolidated the names of musical instruments, learning more about the role of determiners and have perfected our pronunciation of this vocabulary. We are looking forward to yet another fun-filled week to end this first half term.

Carlton Class 4

It's been an industrious and productive week in Class 4. Slight trepidation about long division soon turned into smiles and success for Y6 as they tackled, and cracked, the method with positivity and determination. Y5 have been developing strategies to become more efficient with addition and subtraction using related facts and inverse operations. In science, we have started work on the skeletal system learning the function and correct names for the bones. Over the next few weeks, we will learn about joints and muscles and connect this to our writing unit. Mr Holmes kindly lent the class two deer skulls with antlers attached which we all found fascinating. We took the opportunity to sketch these in art using close observational skills which led to detailed drawings.

Amazon Wish Lists

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

Y6 Long Division

Y6 across the federation have been working hard on their long division skills this week, here are Carlton Y6 in action!



Tag Rugby

Here are some of our Y6 superstars in action at a Tag Rugby event last Friday at Stokesley School.



Attendance

As you'll have noticed, attendance is steadily declining as the term progresses. We must stress the importance of good attendance at school, the information below provides some more details. If your child is poorly then they absolutely shouldn't be in school, here's a handy guide to help with deciding if they're well enough for school <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

ATTENDANCE DURING ONE SCHOOL YEAR	EQUALS APPROXIMATE DAYS ABSENCE	WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY WEEKS ABSENCE	WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY LESSONS MISSED
95%	9 days	2 weeks	40 lessons
90%	19 days	4 weeks	80 lessons
85%	29 days	6 weeks	120 lessons
80%	38 days	8 weeks	160 lessons
75%	48 days	10 weeks	200 lessons
70%	57 days	11 ½ weeks	230 lessons
65%	67 days	13 ½ weeks	270 lessons



GETTING YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL REALLY DOES MATTER

DID YOU KNOW...?

In a school year, if your child is late every day by...

Your child would have lost approximately...

or they would have missed approximately...

5 minutes	3 days from school	12 lessons
10 minutes	6 days from school	24 lessons
15 minutes	9 days from school	36 lessons
20 minutes	12 days from school	48 lessons
30 minutes	18 days from school	72 lessons

PLEASE ENCOURAGE PUNCTUALITY TO MAINTAIN ATTENDANCE

Do you, or does someone you know, have a child due to start school in September 2024?

The Carlton & Faceby and Bilsdale CE Federation

Executive Headteacher - Mr. M. Scott



★ OPEN
OCTOBER ★

Is your child starting school in September 2024? Come and see our nurturing learning environments where children thrive. Call us to make an appointment to visit our wonderful schools.

"This is a truly inclusive school. Leaders have high aspirations for all pupils and the curriculum reflects this."

Bilsdale Midcable Chop Gate CE School OFSTED, May 2023

"Pupils enjoy being part of their school community. Staff and pupils describe the school as like being part of one big family."

Carlton & Faceby CE School OFSTED, January 2023



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**WELLBEING
IN MIND TEAM**

PARENT/ CARER SESSION ON ANXIETY

Anxiety is a common feeling, but it can sometimes cause difficulties in our lives. This sessions aim is to help in learning more about anxiety and how to help.

**THE WELLBEING IN MIND
TEAM WORK IN SCHOOLS TO
SUPPORT STUDENTS TO
IMPROVE THEIR MENTAL
HEALTH & WELLBEING**

**Wednesday 25th October 2023 6pm
until 7pm via MS Teams.**

Topics Covered:

To know what anxiety is, how it can affect young people and to understand when your child might need help.

To recognise anxiety in children and young people and how this may be displayed through avoidance and safety behaviours.

To understand triggers of anxiety and the fight, flight and freeze response.

To share some simple techniques to support your child with anxiety.

Signposting to additional resources and Apps.

If you have any questions and to confirm whether you will be attending the online session then please contact Sam Holmes on teww.wimthamandrich@nhs.net





Little Brushes

Holiday Art Workshop

Wednesday 1st November

10-12.30pm

at

Lucky's Play Barn, Terry Dicken
Business Park, Stokesley. TS9 7AE

'Autumn is here'

A busy creative morning with nature.

The children will be painting and printing with autumn leaves
and using collage material to make a masterpiece.

If your child loves to be creative and likes to draw, paint, colour,
cut and collage then come to Little Brushes art classes.
The aim is to have a go and more importantly have fun!

Age 5+

£16 per child

Workshops fill up very quickly so please secure your place with payment in
advance.

All materials will be included with a snack and drink at half time. Please wear old
clothes or an apron as it can get quite messy.

contact: Sara Lusvardi 07794689421 or
via Facebook @Littlebrushesartclub



OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2023 HALF – TERM KIDS CLUBS








<u>DAY</u>	<u>Primary School</u>
Tuesday 31 st October	Stokesley
Thursday 2 nd November	Great Ayton Roseberry



 **07966626816**  **Contact Mark Shimwell**

A variety of sports, football, multi-skills, fun, games, music, etc

ONLY £15 for 1 child, £25 for two siblings, £35 for three siblings

    **Bring packed lunch & drinks**    

 **Drop off between 9-10am / Collect between 2-3pm** 

LIMITED SPACES - PLEASE BOOK TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

For boys & girls aged 4-11



Free half term netball camps



FUN AND FREE HALF TERM HALLOWEEN CAMPS

GRANGETOWN NETBALL

Friday 3rd November
Y5 & Y6 9-12pm
Y7 & Y8 1-4pm

Email: grangetownnc@hotmail.com to book your **FREE** place!

Grangetown Youth and Community Centre, TS6 7HP



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