



Academy News

29th March 2019

Who would have thought that this term could go by so quickly? We only have 1 school week left until the Easter break. With Easter weekend falling at the end of the holiday, we then see a very short time between this holiday and the May bank holiday. How are we going to get all the learning squashed in?!?

Don't forget the clocks go forward an hour on Saturday.

Our value this half term is:



A letter was sent home this week to parents of children in Year 5 & 6 looking at some issues we have had reported with social media and communication between some of our young people. If your child has access to messaging, please monitor this carefully.



Wow—what an amazing day it was! The children looked great and cakes were amazing! Thank you to all who took part and supported this event. Our target was to raise £200 which we smashed—a total of £290.41 was paid into the bank on behalf of Carbrooke Primary and Carbrooke Pre-School. Can we get to £300 next year?



Don't forget the sport café on Wednesday morning next week. This is a whole school event so everyone is welcome to attend. It will start at 9am and run until about playtime (10.15am) Some events will be over at the Millennium Green, but please come to school first and sign in so we know who is 'officially' here. As this is our first one of these, please excuse any initial hiccups that may occur!

In addition to the Sport Café next week, we also have a Science Café for the whole school on Thursday 25th April, again at 9am. This is being run by the teaching assistants across the school. We are looking at supporting leadership at all levels—please give us your feedback on the day.



Children on Gold
22/03/19 — 105
29/03/19— 97



- Friday 22nd March 2019
- Turtle Class— Grace & Mason
 - Dolphin Class — Harley & Ella
 - Elephant Class — Layla & Rosy
 - Polar Bear Class — Elsie & Dominik
 - Tiger Class — Lexi & Madison
 - Staff award— Mrs Robertson
 - Attendance award— Polar Bear & Rhino Class
 - Team Points— Morpurgo Team (Yellow)
 - Value Award— Ezra Idonije

After Easter After School Club will be based in the school hall instead of the mobile, please come to the side gate where the children come on to the playground in the morning to collect your child.

Handwriting Awards

- 22/03 & 29/03
- Troy & Zee
 - Joe & Melissa
 - Rosy & Ryan
 - Freddie & Dominik
 - Sky & Rhianna



- Friday 29th March 2019
- Turtle Class— Katelyn & SJ
 - Dolphin Class — Mollie & Aaliyah
 - Elephant Class — Ross & Jacob R
 - Polar Bear Class — Jimmi & Caitlyn
 - Tiger Class — Courtney H & Mariana
 - Staff award— Mr Smith
 - Attendance award— Polar Bear & Rhino Class
 - Team Points— Dahl Team (Blue)
 - Value Award— Zach Donaldson & Cole King



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A fantastic achievement by Mr Smith, the staff and the children this week—a Bronze award for our teaching of languages. Watch this space during the next school year when we are hoping to apply for our Silver award.



We are preparing for a visit by the Church of England school inspectors, looking at our provision for RE, but also how we embed our vision and the values across the school. Although the review is written mostly by the school, we would welcome comments from parents and children about the work we do in school to use as quotes.

This visit is a routine one, known as a SIAMS inspection, and will just be a single day. We have data around parental engagement from the cafes and activities we run here already, but would really like some feedback from individuals about how you view our provision. Many thanks.

Carbrooke Pre-School are holding an Easter Egg hunt on Friday 19th April, between 10am and 2pm, on the Millennium Green. The cost is £2.50 per person, and there will be refreshments, a raffle, the hunt and much more.

Please try to go along and support the fundraising efforts of the pre-school, and have a bit of family fun too!



Happy Birthday to:

Lilianna (5) Ryan (8)
Sam (9) Martina (5)



Dates for your diary:

- 02/04 Year 3 India Day
 - 03/04 Whole School Café (Sport linked) 9am**
 - 03/04 Special Easter Lunch (roast beef)
 - 05/04 Easter Service at Church 9am**
 - 05/04 School Closes for Easter Break
 - Tuesday 23rd April School Opens for Summer
 - 24/04 Church Service—Value of Responsibility**
 - 25/04 Whole School Café 9am—run by TA's (tbc)
 - 06/05 Mayday Bank Holiday (school closed)
 - 13-16 May Key Stage 2 (Yr 6) SATS week
 - 17/05 Year 6 Swimming—in pool safety
 - 20-24/05 Assessment week in school
 - 22/05 Year 6 Bike Check
 - 24/05 School closes for half term
 - Monday 27th—Friday 31st May school closed
 - Monday 3rd June - School Opens for Summer 2
 - 05/06 Church Service—Value of Service**
 - 05/06 Year 6 Cycling Proficiency
 - 10-14th June—Year 1 Phonics Screening
 - 12/06 Year 6 Cycling Proficiency
 - 19/06 Year 6 Cycling Proficiency
 - 23/06 NSOP Theatre Royal Performance**
 - 29/06 Carbrooke Village Fair**
 - 01/07 Whole School Visit
 - 09/07 Sports Day**
- Items marked in **BOLD** are those that parents are invited to attend.

As we head towards the Easter break we are aware of the vast amounts of lost property that is building up again. Please check that items have names in, and if they have faded over time then perhaps name again with a permanent marker? Children do need to take responsibility for their belongings, but we are unable to return them if they are not named.

Maths Marvels:

22/03 & 29/03

Katelyn & Mason
Jessica, Jake & Oliver
Divine & Amerlie
Helen & Tyrone
Ella & Amelia



Please do remember that **class teachers are the first port of call** with issues regarding your child. They can be seen, by prior arrangements, at a mutually convenient time.

If you would like to come in and talk to a member of the Senior Leadership Team please ask the office staff to book you a time. Please note, it is also possible to ask for a telephone discussion if this is more convenient.