



CARLTON MINIOTT PRIMARY ACADEMY

Dates for your diary 2023/2024

- 26th February - Class 3 Cake Stall / Class 4 Open Classroom
- 28th February - Class 2 Open Classroom
- 1st to 4th March - FOS Bags2School
- 7th March - Year 4 School Trip / Yrs 1/2 Key Steps Gym Competition / Year 5 last swim lesson
- 11th March - Class 5 Cake Stall / Class R School Trip
- 12th March - Yrs 3/4 performance 'Easter the Musical'
- 14th March - Year 3 Swimming lessons start / Yrs 5/6 Hi Five Netball Competition / Class 3 Open Classroom / Year 1 School Trip
- 19th March - Class 6 Open Classroom / Year 3 School Trip / Yr 5 Enrichment Day at Thirsk High School
- 22nd March - School closes for Easter Holidays
- 8th April—Staff Training Day, no students in school
- 9th April - School re-opens for Summer Term

Young Voices 2024

After months of preparation and hard work, our 36 Young Voices Choir members travelled down to Sheffield Arena to sing with over 4000 other children. We were lucky to watch performances from MC Grammar, the 13 year old drumming sensation Nandi Bushell and Natalie Williams. We even sang along with them! It was a fantastic experience for the children.

The children practiced all afternoon with the performance in the evening to an audience of parents. Our children cheered, danced, sang and were a credit to the school. We hope those of you who came to watch enjoyed it as much as we did. I think the children will agree that it was a long day, but really worth it! What an amazing day!

A big thank you to Mrs Wilford for doing such a great job preparing the children for this event. A huge thank you, also, to Mrs Williamson for her hard work with the preparation, ensuring everything ran smoothly on the day. Thank you to Mrs Shipley, who created our banner, our helper and all the school staff who supported on the day.





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Dodgeball Competition

Some of our Yrs 5/6 children went to Thirsk High School yesterday afternoon to compete against other local schools.

It was a very fast-paced fun competition for them and they had a very enjoyable afternoon.



World Book Day

This year we will be holding our World Book Day on Friday 8th March. Children may dress up as a book character if they wish on this day. We have an author, Miles Salter, coming into school to work with the children. The children will then be producing writing from this visit over the next week.

Playground Markings

Thank you for bearing with us as we have our playground markings replaced on our KS2 Playground. They will be coming to put the new markings down on Tuesday 27th February. A big thank you to Friends of School for funding these new markings.

Years 3 and 4

The Year 3 and 4 children will be performing Easter the Musical on Tuesday 12th March at 6.30pm. Tickets will be sent out for this nearer the time.

Easter Competition

This year's competition will be Easter hats. The children can design them as they wish but they must have an Easter or Easter Egg theme. These need to be brought into school on Thursday 21st March for judging to take place.



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Home to School Travel Policy - Consultation

Please see below details of this consultation, below, from North Yorkshire Council.

I write to advise you that the Council has today commenced a consultation on proposed changes to the Council's Home to School Travel Policy. The necessary information can be found here on the Council's website: <https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/your-council/consultations-and-engagement/current-consultations/home-school-travel-policy-consultation>, together with an online survey form for your responses to the consultation and details of engagement events that will be held during the course of the consultation period.

The consultation closing date is Friday 12 April.

There will be additional on-line engagement events for schools only that will be notified in due course.

Regards
Amanda Newbold
Assistant Director, Education and Skills

FOS News

Easter Raffle

Don't forget that we're still looking for local businesses to donate prizes for our Easter Raffle. If you know of anyone who might be able to help, please message fos@carltonminiottacademy.org look out for tickets arriving home in the next few days. All the proceeds from the raffle will go to supporting the children's learning opportunities.

Bags 2 School

If you're having a clear out, don't forget that you can bring your bagged clothes and textiles to our next Bag 2 School collection next weekend (1-4 March). Simply bring your unwanted items to the trailer at the entrance to the Key Stage 2 playground. FOS will receive a donation for the items received.

Easter Holiday Clubs and Activities

Please see, on the following pages, details of various clubs and activities being held locally over the Easter Holidays, for your information.

More information can be found on the school website:- www.carltonminiottacademy.org

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@ Basecamp, Baldersby Park,
Thirsk, YO7 3BZ
Tickets £15!

For more information and to book head to:
www.basecamplearning.co.uk



EASTER TENNIS 25th March - 2nd April

With Adam Scaife - LTA Accredited+ Coach

MONDAY TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAY

@ Aline

@ THIRSK TENNIS CLUB

Book your place

Message/Call Adam

07876458168

Email

Adam_scaife91@hotmail.com

Social Media

@LTAMiniTennisThirsk

Book one OR multiple sessions

Costs

Tots (90 minutes) - £10

Red Ball (2 hrs) - £14

Orange/Green/Full Ball (3 hrs) - £19

Locations

Aline Tennis Club – Back Lane - YO61 1TJ

Thirsk Tennis Club – Newsham Rd – YO7 1QP

Leake Tennis Club – HRAP Knayton – YO7 4AX

Coxwold Tennis Club – Coxwold – YO61 4AD

27th March

TOTS

9am-10.30 – 3-5yrs

6-10yrs

10.30am-12.30 Red Ball

12+yrs Full ball

13.30pm-16.30

26th & 2nd

TOTS

9am-10.30 – 3-5yrs

6-10yrs

10.30am-12.30 Red Ball

8-14yrs

13.30pm-16.30 Green Ball

THURSDAY & FRIDAY EASTER MONDAY @ KNAYTON @ COXWOLD

28th & 1st

TOTS

9am-10.30 – 3-5yrs

6-10yrs

10.30am-12.30 Red Ball

8-14yrs

13.30pm-16.30 Green Ball

29th March

TOTS

9am-10.30 – 3-5yrs

6-10yrs

10.30am-12.30 Red Ball

8-14yrs

13.30pm-16.30 Green Ball

