



Newsletter May 2022

**Carleton Primary School** 

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Hello everyone, I hope this newsletter finds you well. We are racing through what has become a very busy term to finish off this school session. You will find a detailed 'dates for your diary' section below. We are delighted to invite parents in to spectate class races during our sports day on 17<sup>th</sup> June, please see details below. We are keen to hear your views on different aspects of school life and will shortly be issuing a questionnaire to gather your thoughts and suggestions moving forward. We will do the same with pupils, staff and other stakeholders to allow us to plan for the new school session. As the weather (hopefully) improves over the next few weeks, please ensure your child comes to school prepared with suitable clothing and sun cream if necessary. P7 parents, there are transition dates detailed below, as well as dates for our P7 leavers disco and leavers assembly. As always, please contact the school if you have any comments or queries.



Maxine Hayes and the Carleton Crew

## **Community News**

We are delighted to be reinstating our links with groups within our community, as well as forging new relationships. Here is a flavour of some of our involvement so far this term: Sandra and Chris from St Margaret's Church will be delivering the 'Walk through the Bible' programme to P6 over the coming weeks. This input is a fun, interactive way to learn about stories from the bible and the pupils really enjoyed their first session.

Our P5 and P5/6 classes recently held a fundraising Bring and Buy sale in the school. Huge thanks to everyone for supporting this, and to the pupils who showed great Enterprise skills.

Some of the funds will go towards the school trip, and the children are busy voting on a charity to donate the remainder to.

Following on from a successful session in March, pupils from P6 and P7 will be participating in another cluster league session at Auchmuty High School on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May from 3:30-4:45. This time the pupils will be participating in football and netball activities.

Our Community Champions have been out and about! They visited the CAREA hub to help plant seed potatoes. They also collected items for our local food bank and delivered a huge amount of donations! Thank to everyone who supported this cause.

We have been able to start up a P6/7 after school football club run by some of our parents who are involved with local football teams. We are grateful for their support with this. Bikeability training for our P7 cohort has commenced and will run for the next few weeks. Huge thanks to our team of trainers - Dylan from Active Schools and PC Martyn Reidie.

Our Eco team (and Ethan!) went to Preston House with Mrs Varney to help plant potatoes as part of our involvement with the Dandelion Project.

## Parent Council

Thank you to the new members who came along to our recent Parent Council meeting. The Parent Council have offered to cover the cost of S1 ties for our current P7 pupils. These will be distributed at the end of term. Please contact the school to find out more about joining our Parent Council.

	Dates for your Diary
25.05.22	Virtual Parents Evening 3:30-5:30
26.05.22	Room 3 and 1 trip to Cairnie Maze
	P3/4 and P3 to Auchmuty football event
	(am)
30.05.22-	First Chances Summer School (P7 group)
31.05.22	
31.05.22	5.00-7.00pm Virtual parents evening
01.06.22	Jubilee School Lunch
	Rooms 6, 7 & 8 trip to Deer centre
03.06.22	Extra holiday - Queen's Jubilee holiday
04.04.00	School closed
06.06.22	Holiday Monday – school closed
08.06.22	Rooms 12 & 13 trip to Dynamic Earth
08.06.22,	Glenwood High School Transition days
09.06.22,	
10.06.22	
14.06.22,	Auchmuty High School Transition days
15.06.22,	
16.06.22	
15.06.22,	Glenrothes High School Transition days
16.06.22,	
17.06.22	
14.06.22	Meet the Teacher afternoon for pupils
15.06.22	Room 14 trip to Dundee Science Centre
17.06.22	Sports Day - Parents are welcome to
	spectate races at the following times:
	Rooms 1, 2, 3 & 4 - 1:10 - 1:40
	Rooms 6, 7 & 8 - 1:45-2:15
	Rooms 12, 13, 14, 15 & 16 - 2:20-2:50
20.06.22	P7 Activity Days
21.06.22	
22.06.22-	Fordell Firs Residential for P7 pupils
24.06.22	
24.06.22	School reports home
28.06.22	P7 leavers disco 5:30-7pm in school hall
29.06.22	P7 Assembly to Parents – 2pm
30.06.22	Last day of term. School closes at 3:05pm

To report an absence, please call the school office or send a message through Groupcall at 07860 003680 -<u>Please do not email the school to do</u> this, thanks.

<u>Should you need to pick up your child</u> <u>during the day for an appointment,</u> <u>please call the office in advance,</u> <u>many thanks.</u>

Please be courteous when parking on the road outside of our school, for the safety of our pupils and other drivers. Only authorised vehicles are permitted to enter the car park, thank you.

<u>A reminder that pupils are not</u> permitted to go to the shop at <u>lunchtimes. Home dinners remain the</u> responsibility of parents and should <u>not return to school from</u> <u>12:40 to 1:30pm.</u>

If you collected seed potatoes from the school we are keen to receive updates through Seesaw to see how your crops are progressing! We still have some soil available to collect if you need more. Please call the school to arrange pick up.

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