



The Score in the 'Dore

Wednesday 28th February 2024

School Fund

If you have chosen to pay your School Fund termly, we invite you to pay £10 for this term. The payment can be found in the School Money account of your eldest child. We greatly appreciate this support and thank all those families who have already given.

PTA Mother's Day Raffle

The PTA are selling raffle tickets for the chance to win a £30 voucher for Olive, Greyabbey, perfect for spoiling your Mum to a Mother's Day brunch or lunch out! Tickets can be purchased via the Shop on School Money, priced £1.00 and the draw will take place next Friday 8th March.

World Book Day

Next week is World Book Day and we have LOTS of lovely celebrations planned! Watch out on Class Dojo for some bedtime stories next week read by the teachers. The children will be learning a special song that we also hope to share with you. Our main event is Friday 8th when we invite the children to wear their comfies (NO pyjamas please). The children will enjoy a hot chocolate (free) and be given the chance to attend our book and cuddly toy sale. All books and teddies will be priced at 50p each and we have some AMAZING books on offer! All money raised from the book sale will be used in our AR library. We are inviting parents, grandparents to pop in after school to cuddle up with a cuppa and share a story. Please see flyer at the end of today's newsletter, this event is FREE and we would love to see you there.

Big Battery Hunt

We have entered a competition to collect old batteries for the chance to win amazing prizes including £3500 of outdoor equipment, Nintendo Switches and more! Children should bring any old batteries into school, each class will have a collection bucket and the class with most batteries at the end of each month will earn 15 minutes extra playtime.

Find out more here <https://www.bigbatteryhunt.co.uk/>



Easy Fundraising

Carrowdore Primary School, are registered with easyfundraising, which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. You can find our easyfundraising page at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/carrowdoreprimary/?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pmc&utm_content=gs-email1 Thank you so much!

School Money

Please remember to book your child on for dinner, break and milk each week as this saves staff a lot of time in the mornings. Bookings should be made for the week ahead; we will unbook your child if they are absent. You can make a last minute booking up to midnight the night before.

Outstanding Payments

Please pay any outstanding monies for milk, break, dinners and swimming.

P7 Swimming

P7 swimming is scheduled to take place this Friday.

Allergy Aware

Due to children with severe allergies please do not to send nuts or coconut into school. e.g. Nutella. Please note Prime drinks contain coconut water and should not be brought to school.



Car Park

We kindly ask parents, grandparents, childminders etc. NOT to bring their cars into the turning circle either at drop off or pick up time. Please park and walk your child to/from the gate each day.

PE Uniform

Pupils in P3-7 should come to school on PE days wearing their PE kit - a pair of **plain** navy shorts or jogging bottoms, their school polo and sweatshirt and a pair of trainers.

Covid-19

COVID-19 testing is no longer recommended or available for most people but we have some reported cases. If your child has a positive COVID-19 test result, they should stay at home and avoid contact with other people for three days after the day they took the test or from the day their symptoms started (whichever was earliest). After three days, if they feel well and do not have a high temperature, the risk of passing the infection on to others is lower and they should return to school. This is because children and young people tend to be infectious to other people for less time than adults.

Healthy Break

Please remember to send a **healthy** snack for break (no chocolate, crisps or sweets) or pay for school healthy break - 50p per day for toast and fruit and 10p per day for milk.

Dinners

The cost of school dinners will remain £2.60 per day, this cost is set by the Education Authority. Dinners should also be paid via School Money

1 day	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days
£2.60	£5.20	£7.80	£10.40	£13.00

Dinner Menu w/c 04-03-24

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Margherita Pizza Coleslaw & Chips Carmel Pot	Breaded Fish Peas Chips, Salad Sponge & Custard	Chicken Curry & Naan Bread Peas & Sweetcorn Rice Jelly, & Fruit	Roast Chicken, Stuffing & Gravy Carrot & Parsnip Mashed & Roast Potato Chocolate Sponge & Custard	Hot Dog with Spaghetti Hoops & Chips Fresh Fruit Pot & Ice cream
<i>Please note due to ongoing supply issues this menu is subject to change!</i>				

The Week Ahead

Date	In School	After School
Monday 4 th		3:05 PTA Meeting
Tuesday 5 th		P1-3 Sports Club P4-7 Sports Club
Wednesday 6 th		

Thursday 7 th		
Friday 8 th	World Book Day – Book Sale	2pm World Book Day Event 4pm Messy Church

Words of Wisdom

I do believe something very magical can happen when you read a good book!

J.K.Rowling




Cuddle up with a cuppa, biscuit & book

Join us on
Friday 8th March
at 2 p.m.

for a cuppa, refreshments and the
chance to share a story with your
children.

FREE entry and refreshments!
We would love to see you there.

Changing lives through a love of books and reading

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Fri 8th March, 4.30pm - 6.00pm
Carrowdore Community Centre



Please note this is an all age event
children must be accompanied by a
responsible adult

food

(please let us know if special dietary needs)

No charge

(donations to cover costs welcome)

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