

## The Score in the Dore

Wednesday 6th March 2024

## World Book Day

This week is World Book Day and we have LOTS of lovely celebrations planned! We hope you are enjoying the bedtime stories were are posting on Class Dojo each day. Our main event is Friday 8<sup>th</sup> when we invite the children to wear their comfies (NO pyjamas please). The children

will enjoy a hot chocolate (free) book and cuddly toy sale. All 50p each and we have some money raised from the book library. We are inviting friends to pop in after cuppa and share a the end of today's

and be given the chance to attend our books and teddies will be priced at AMAZING books on offer! All sale will be used for our AR parents, grandparents and school to cuddle up with a story. Please see flyer at newsletter, this event is

FREE and we would love to see you there.

## 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 this Friday 8th March.

#### Parent Interview Notes

Eldest/only children received a note about parent/interviews which are taking placing the week commencing 18th March. We kindly ask this is returned by Monday. Please note all children will finish at 12:15 Monday 18th and Friday 22nd and at 1p.m. Tuesday 19th, Wednesday 20th and Thursday 21st.

#### Costume Notes

Pupils in P5-7 are bringing home a note today with a list of any items they will need for the school production after Easter.

#### 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.

#### **Vomiting & Diarrhoea**

If you child experiences vomiting or diarrhoea you must keep them home until 48 hours after the last episode. Children suffering from a high temperature should also not attend school.

#### **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 <a href="https://www.bigbatteryhunt.co.uk/">https://www.bigbatteryhunt.co.uk/</a>



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#### 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 <a href="https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/carrowdoreprimary/?utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=pmc&utm\_content=gs-email1">https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/carrowdoreprimary/?utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=pmc&utm\_content=gs-email1</a> 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.

## 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 to keep everyone safe.

#### PE Uniform

Pupils in P3-7 should come to school on PE days wearing their PE kit - a pair of <u>plain</u> 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. 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.

#### **Healthy Break**

Please remember to send a **healthy** snack for break (no chocolate, crisps or sweeties) 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 11-03-24

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Fish Fingers Baked Beans & Chips/Salad Flake meal Biscuit	Beef Meatballs	Chicken Curry &	Roast Gammon,	Chicken
	with Pasta &	Naan Bread	Stuffing & Gravy	Goujons
	Sweetcorn	Peas & Rice	Broccoli Mashed &	Sweetcorn, Salad
	Sponge &	Strawberry	Roast Potato	& Chips Fruit &
Flake illeal discuit	Custard	Mousse & Fruit	Muffin	Ice Cream

Please note due to ongoing supply issues this menu is subject to change!

#### The Week Ahead

Date	In School	After School	
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup>		3:05 PTA Meeting	
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	P2 Class Trip	P1-3 Sports Club P4-7 Sports Club	
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>			
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>			
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>			
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#### Words of Wisdom

Reading should not be presented to children as a chore, a duty. It should be offered as a gift.

Kate DiCamillo



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

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

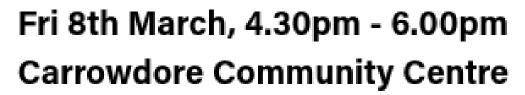
FREE entry and refreshments! We would love to see you there.

Changing lives through a love of books and reading

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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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