

The Caton Chronicle



Spring Term Newsletter: 6th January 2023

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Wonderful Worker

Class 1: Darcy
Class 2: Edward
Class 3: Thomas W
Class 4: Heidi

Super Citizen

Class 1: Adie
Class 2: Henley
Class 3: Ollie
Class 4: Penny

Golden Pen

Class 2: Shifra
Class 3: Koen
Class 4: Alice

Team Points

1st Place: Green (80)
2nd Place: Red (52)
3rd Place: Yellow (50)
4th Place: Blue (46)

Times Tables

Izzy: 8
Jesse: 3,4
Elias: 7
Charlie: 6,8
Euan: 12
Evie: 9,11
Lucy: 4,8,12
Harris: 6, 8,9
Penny: 8
Kirk: 11

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Happy new year! We hope that you have all had a restful Christmas. Thank you for sending your children back to school on time and ready to learn. We have many new exciting topics this term to inspire the children - you should have received a letter on Tuesday outlining the learning that we have planned for the spring term. Copies of the letters are also available on the class pages of our website.

PTA Update

Our next PTA event is a Burns night which will take place on Friday, 27th January. There will be a ceilidh band, a bar and food (hotpot, cheese and onion pie or a vegan option on request). Put on your dancing shoes and come along to this fantastic social event. Kilts optional!! Tickets are £10 for adults and £5 for children (Key Stage 2 upwards only). Doors open at 6:30 pm, dancing starts at 7pm, food served at 8pm and further dancing from 8:30 pm until 9:30 pm. The event will close at 10 pm. Friends from outside the school community are very welcome. Please purchase your tickets in plenty of time to help us plan this event. Tickets will be available next week from the school office.

Uniform

Please could we politely remind parents of our uniform policy which is available to view on the website.

<https://catonprimary.school/parents-a-to-z/school-uniform/>

Shoes, not trainers, should be worn; jewellery is not permitted; and hair should be a natural colour. Thank you for your cooperation.

Holiday Requests

Any planned absences should be requested **in advance** by completing a holiday request form, available from the school office. Please note that holidays will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances.

Term dates for 2023/24 have been sent home and are also on our website. Please check these carefully before booking family holidays.

DIARY OF EVENTS - 2022/2023

Date	Event	Action	Who
15/01/23	Closing date for primary school applications for Sept 2023	https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/ Apply online	Pre school
27/01/23	PTA Burns Night celebration	Tickets available from the school office	All
31/01/23	Young Voices Concert, Manchester	If you have missed school T Shirt order, you can order online	Y4/5/6
02/02/2023	KS2 Swimming Gala	Information to follow	KS2
09/02/2023	KS2 Acro-gymnastics competition	Information to follow	KS2
09/02/23	Valentine's Disco - 5:30pm-7pm	Save the date	All
10/02/23	School closes for half term		All
20/02/23	School opens after half term		
01/03/2023	KS2 Netball competition	Information to follow	KS2
02/03/23	World Book Day	Information to follow	All
21/03/2023	KS2 Football competition	Information to follow	KS2
30/03/23	PTA dinosaur egg hunt - straight after school	Save the date	All
31/03/23	School closes for Easter		All
17/04/23	School opens after Easter		All
01/05/23	Early May Bank Holiday	School closed	All
03/05 - 04/05/23	Year 5 Bikeability	Information to follow	Y5
08/05/23	Bank holiday - Coronation of King Charles III	School closed	All
09/05/ - 12/05/23	Key Stage 2 SATs week		Y6
19/05/23	PTA family quiz night	Save the date	All
20/05/23	Caton Gala - Kings and Queens theme	Save the date	All
24/05/23	Sports day	Save the date	All
26/05/23	Backup sports day (in case of rain on 24th)	Let's hope we don't need this!!	
26/05/23	School closes for half term		All
5/06/23 - 6/06/23	Inset days	School remains closed	All
7/06/23	School reopens after half term		All



08/06/23	KS2 Kwik Cricket competition	Information to follow	KS2
06/07/23	KS2 Rounders competition	Information to follow	KS2
13/07/23	Key Stage 2 production - 6:30pm	Save the date	All
14/07/23	Key Stage 2 production - 1:30pm and 6:30pm	Save the date	All
21/07/23	Leavers' and end of year assembly - 12:30pm		All
21/07/23	School closes for the summer		All

