# The Caton Chronicle



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#### **World Book Day**

Wow, what a day we had! The children and staff looked fabulous in their Dahl and Donaldson inspired fancy dress. From witches and stickmen, to foxes and Gruffalos, we were spoiled for choice. Reception had a fantastic time tracking the Gruffalo through the woods.



# Class 2 will be sleeping well for the next week after making their own dream catchers and escaping to the world of giants.



#### Team points

**1st Place**: Red (111) 2nd Place: Blue (72) 3rd Place: Green (64) 4th Place: Yellow (40)

#### **Turkey Earthquake Appeal**

Thank you to everyone for your fantastic fundraising efforts. The total raised is just over £1200. A special mention should go to the Bullocks, Eddie and Ada for their huge contributions.

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#### **PTA Update**

There will be a pre-loved uniform sale on Friday, 17th March. If you have any uniform to donate to the stall, please contact Gil Hamilton.

On Monday 24th April, We will be collecting items once again for the Bags 2 School initiative. It's an easy way to get rid of unwanted items and make money for the school. Items to donate include:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

So start collecting now! Bags can be dropped off from the Thursday beforehand. Class 3 enjoyed a feast in honour of Fantastic Mr Fox, for which they made their own 'donuts' and drank their 'cider'.



At the same time, Class 4 brewed some bewitching potions and created some excellent floating recipes.



The teachers enjoyed every minute of the action-packed day that celebrated everything amazing about the world of books.



Finally, we would like to say a huge thank you to all of the parents and families that came into school to see the children's hard work.



## Netball



Well done to our netball team who played in the Lune Valley tournament on Wednesday. Over the duration of the morning, the team improved their skills enormously and grew in confidence. They scored a number of goals and defended admirably. We are proud of their attitude towards their opponents and the effort that they put in.



## **DIARY OF EVENTS - 2022/2023**

Date	Event	Action	Who
17/03/23	Red Nose Day - Caton's Got Talent and cake sale	Entries in by Monday Cake donations welcome	All
17/03/23	PTA pre loved uniform sale - 3pm	Contact Gil Hamilton if you have pre loved uniform to donate	All
21/03/23	KS2 Football competition	Information to follow	KS2
27/03/23	Class 1 trip to Blackpool Zoo	Return reply slips	R
30/03/23	PTA dinosaur egg hunt - straight after school	Save the date	All
30/3/23	Class 4 French fashion show at 2:30pm	Please support the children	All
31/03/23	Egg rolling competition	Bring a named hard boiled egg	All
31/03/23	School closes for Easter		All
17/04/23	School opens after Easter		All
24/04/23	PTA Bags 2 School collection	Drop off donations any time from 20th April. Bags will be sent out shortly.	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



