



The Caton Chronicle

Spring Term Newsletter: 31st March 2023

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Team points

- 1st Place: Green (144)
- 2nd Place: Red (143)
- 3rd Place: Yellow (88)
- 4th Place: Blue (79)

100% attendance

A huge well done to the children who achieved 100% attendance this term. They have shown great resilience!

They are:

Penny, Stanley, Rose, Pippa, Heidi, Thomas C, Aiden, Lucie, Adie, Jesse, Finley, Charlie M, Ollie Harris, Lloyd, Kirk, Aoifie, George, Hanna, Dexter, Hollie, Isla H, Robin, Lena, Max O

Easter Visitors

We have been lucky to welcome several visitors into school this week to tell us all about the true meaning of Easter to Christians. Thank you to Reverend Helen Scamman and Alan Wadsworth and Debbie Green from NISCU.

Reception Zoo Trip



Reception Class had a wonderful trip to Blackpool Zoo on Monday. The sun shone and the animals were all out soaking up the rays. The children led the way, reading the zoo maps and choosing which animals they wanted to see. We even saw some

extinct dinosaurs which squirted water! A fabulous way to end our topic on animals.

Class 4 hit the Catwalk - c'était magnifique!

Yesterday, Years 5 and 6 impressed us with their French skills in their very own fashion show. This term they have been learning the topic of clothes in French. They have learnt how to use verbs in the 1st and 3rd person and how to make adjectives agree with the nouns they describe. To consolidate their learning, they used bilingual dictionaries and all their knowledge to create their own fashion show script. They were fabulous! Bravo Class 4!



Key Stage 2 Production

We are delighted to announce that our KS2 pupils will be presenting **The Wizard of Oz** for their summer production. Auditions have been held and parts allocated. It will be 'all go' when we return after the Easter break!

Class 1 Assembly

Class 1 wowed us with their wonderful 'Dear Zoo' assembly this afternoon. They spoke, sang and danced beautifully and we even had a surprise visit from Reggie the greyhound! Well done Reception!



EASTER CLUB

Mrs Smith is doing an Easter Club on Tuesday 4th April from 10am to 2pm at Caton Primary Sports Hall. There will be games, crafts, football, netball, baking, competitions and other fun activities while finding out what the Bible teaches about the meaning of Easter.

Please bring a packed lunch and please wear clothes and footwear that are comfortable for the activities.

The cost is £4, free if that's difficult. Drinks and snacks provided.

Please contact Suzanne Smith on 770106 or smithsuzanne100@yahoo.com for more information or to book a place.

Please book asap if interested to help with planning and making sure there are plenty of helpers for the number of children. THANK YOU!

EASTER ACTIVITIES

Crosses

The children tied the crosses they had made to the railings of the Baptist Church this morning. We hope everyone enjoys looking at them as they drive past.



Egg Rolling

We had great fun this morning with our annual egg rolling competition! What a relief that everyone had remembered to hard boil the eggs! Well done to the winners! We hope they enjoy their prizes.



PTA NEWS

Dinosaur Egg Hunt

The school grounds were transformed into Jurassic Park and the children used their detective skills to win an Easter egg. Thanks to the PTA for organising this enjoyable event and to everyone who supported it, including the children from Infinity Pre School.



Bags 2 School

Every child has gone home with a bag today. Please try to fill them up with unwanted clothing, bedding etc. The more we collect the more money we raise for school. The bags should be sent into school no later than 19th April please. Normal bin bags can also be used.

Family Fancy Dress Night

On Thursday 20th April the PTA will be holding a family fancy dress or 'swishing' party from 6:30pm until 8:30pm! Come in your normal clothes and dress up once you get here! For a cost of £5 per person, there will be games and lots of dressing up fun for all the family, as well as the chance to take home 5 items of clothing of your choice! These items will be taken from donations for the Bags 2 School event. Alcoholic and soft drinks and nibbles will be served.

DIARY OF EVENTS - 2022/2023

Date	Event	Action	Who
17/04/23	School opens after Easter		All
20/04/23	PTA Fancy Dress Party (without the fuss!) - 6:30pm to 8:30pm	Join us for a night of hilarious family fun!	All
24/04/23	PTA Bags 2 School collection	Drop off donations any time between 17th and 19th April . Bags have gone out today.	All
01/05/23	Early May Bank Holiday	School closed	All
02/05/2023	Rescheduled KS2 football at Arkholme.	Ensure full kit is at school on the day.	KS2
03/05 - 04/05/23	Year 5 Bikeability	Information to follow	Y5
05/05/23	Coronation celebration lunch	Come dressed in red, white and blue	All
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

