



# CARTMEL CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Newsletter 18th November

### 2016

I'm really thrilled to share with you two wonderful pieces of news this week. Mr and Mrs Stagg have welcomed their baby daughter Willow Elspeth into the world. We are so pleased for the safe delivery and look forward to them visiting us in the near future.

Also this week, Mr and Mrs Walker are delighted to announce that they are expecting their first child around May next year. I'm sure you will join me in wishing them all the very best over the forthcoming months.

I will, of course, keep you updated on maternity cover for Mrs Walker's class once plans have been arranged.

With best wishes, Mrs Battersby

#### **Walking boots**

**Jack Bowden in Class 2 had some new walking boots and wore them for the forest school trip at the end of November. Jack took his boots off to go back into the classroom and they have now gone missing. PLEASE COULD EVERYONE HAVE A LOOK AT HOME TO SEE IF YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN HAVE ACCIDENTLY PICKED THEM UP BY MISTAKE? There are some brown walking boots in school if anyone has lost them or picked up Jacks by accident.**

#### **Light up a Life Service**

This year the Light up a Life service will be on Sunday the 11th December at the Priory church.

The school choir will be singing and we would appreciate as many children to attend as possible.

Everyone welcome to come along. Starts at 3.30pm

#### **Christmas Pantomime**

Please remember to pay for the pantomime trip on school money. The cost of the trip is £12.50.

A reminder that no dogs should be on school premises off the lead. Please be vigilant in and around school buildings.

#### **Water bottles**

Please can you ensure your child/children have a named water bottle which will stay in school at all times. This will ensure the children are kept hydrated and will help minimise the spread of winter bugs. Please only water in your child's water bottle, no juice allowed.

#### **Puppet Making**

Children will be receiving a sheet of paper home with some instructions on how to make a Pinocchio puppet. Please could children make a puppet and bring it to the Pinocchio pantomime on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

#### **Bra Donation**

We are collecting any unwanted bras in school, to send over to women and girls in Africa. There will be a box in the school office if anybody would like to make a donation.

#### **Swimming**

**There will be no swimming for the Y5/6 children on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November due to cluster sporting events. The last swimming lesson for this term is 30<sup>th</sup> November. Y5/6 children will have 2 addition lessons at the start of the New Year.**

#### **Class 1s Bikes and scooters.**

If there are any parents available to service class 1s bikes and scooters in school please let school know. They could do with a quick check up.

#### **Christmas Hamper**

Please remember to bring in your Christmas hamper donation as soon as possible as we need some time to make them up. Also please remember to sell your Christmas squares to help raise funds for the school. Can all squares be returned to school by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

#### **Nearly New Sale**

Due to lack of support we have had to **cancel** the nearly new sale. Friends are hoping to raise money to help towards the cost of sending all the children on a day visit to Tatton Park and to help fund a science workshop for the whole school. Without your support enables the trips to take place and often at a substantial cost. Please contact the school office if you can help friends in any way?

#### **Bags 2 School**

Please remember to bring in your full bags2school on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November. More bags are available in school if needed.

## Dates for your Diary

Event	Time	Date
<b>Multi Skills with Keith</b>	3.00pm to 4.00pm	Every Wednesday
<b>Football with Dan</b>	3.00pm to 4.00pm	Every Monday
<b>Christmas Crafts</b>	3.00pm – 4.00pm	Every Monday for 4 weeks
<b>Singing Club</b>	3.00pm – 4.00pm	Every Thursday for 4 weeks
<b>Swimming</b>	12.30pm	10 sessions. Every Wednesday
<b>Cluster football festival</b>	1.00 To 3.00	Wednesday 23rd November.
<b>Bags to school collection</b>		Monday 28th November.
<b>Pinocchio pantomime</b>	During school hours.	Tuesday 6th December.
<b>Whole School Nativity</b>	1.30pm to 6.00pm	Wednesday 7th Dec Thursday 8th Dec
<b>Light up a Life service</b>	3.30pm	Cartmel Priory Church 11/12/16
<b>Christmas jumper day</b>	All day	14 <sup>th</sup> December 2016
<b>Christmas lunch/parties</b>	In school time	14 <sup>th</sup> December 2016
<b>Last day in school.</b>	Finish at 2.00pm	16 <sup>th</sup> December 2016

### After School Clubs

Please note that children not collected on time from any after school club will be sent to Cheddars After School Club. A charge will be made.

Please can parents/carers remember to inform school if someone other than themselves are collecting children from school. Please let a member of staff know verbally, by phone or email. A password will be issued to people not know to staff.

**Cheddars** Breakfast Club – open daily 8.00am to 8.30am and After School Club - open daily 3.00pm to 5.30pm.

These are 'pay as you' go clubs unless arranged otherwise with a member of staff. Please see school office for further details.

### School Angels

Please remember to use this website when ordering items over the internet. It doesn't cost you anything and the school will receive a donation. **If we don't keep on using school angel then we will simply loose it.** Thank you. **Total raised so far £211.17.** Please keep using this site.

The web address is

[www.schoolangel.org.uk/cartmel-ce-primary-school](http://www.schoolangel.org.uk/cartmel-ce-primary-school)

Sites include Amazon, John Lewis, M&S, Argos, Joules, Asda Direct, Boden. Please take a look.

Any children going to afterschool club next Thursday can make pizzas if they wish too. Please inform school if your child has any allergies. Please can your child bring in their favourite topping as school are providing the pizza base tomatoes and cheese. Please sign and return the slip below if your child/children will be attending afterschool club next Thursday and wish to make pizza.

Name of child-----

Signature-----