



Carlisle Infant School

News from Carlisle 8th February 2024



Being Courageous



Message From Ms Brittain—Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to let you know that we have been awarded the Silver Rights Aware School Award by UNICEF UK, who spoke highly of our articulate children and how impressed they were with the work being done to ensure our pupils grow up keen to make a difference to the world they live in. Huge thanks to Mrs Coombes and our UNICEF buddies who lead this work in school.

This half-term has been filled with opportunities for the children to consolidate their knowledge and understanding and develop a passion for learning. Over the past couple of weeks Year 1 have been visited by Mr Soin from the Gurdwara, and enjoyed a fabulous space day. Reception pupils boarded a Route master bus from the 1950s and Year 2 have created amazing dragon's eyes with clay and thoroughly enjoyed Chinese noodles.

As you are aware attendance and punctuality are extremely important and give your child the best possible start in life. The aim should be to attend

100% of the time. Pupils who miss school frequently can fall behind in their learning and often need extra support to catch up with their peers. Developing good attendance and punctuality will support these habits for life.

If a child has 95% attendance, this still equates to nearly two weeks absence in a year.

If a child has 90% attendance, this equates to nearly four weeks absence in a year.

If a child has 85% attendance, this equates to nearly six weeks absence in a year.

With four of my own children, I completely understand children become ill and there are times when they are too unwell for school. However when they are well enough to attend, please ensure they are in school. If your child's attendance drops below 90% we are not able to authorise absences without medical evidence. Please support us with this by informing the school office by phone call or email when they are absent.

Finally, I would like to say thank you to the CSA and all families who support their events. Additional surfacing is currently being added to our play areas to allow children greater access in all weathers and replacement fencing is being installed where fencing is in need of repair.

I wish you all a happy half-term.

Zoë Brittain

Scooter /Bike Shelter

We are delighted that a new scooter/bike shelter is being built at Carlisle by the wonderful team at Sheddington <https://sheddington.org/>. They are looking for willing volunteers who could assist with the design and have an interest in woodwork/building to assist with the project. We are hoping to get started on this at the Dig Day on the 16th March. Please contact Sheddington directly if you think you can help. admin@sheddington.org



Be You Mufti Day Tomorrow-Friday 9th February 2024

To celebrate the end of our 'Mental Health & Wellbeing Week', children can come to school tomorrow wearing clothes that express their wonderful personalities. Thankyou for your donations.



Notices/ Reminders

Diary Dates

February

**Friday 9th—MUFTI Day-Wear clothes to express yourself-TOMORROW
—Krispy Kreme Doughnuts**

Half Term 12th February-16th February

Friday 23rd—Second Hand Uniform Sale

Tuesday 27th—Year 1 Parent Consultations-At school

Wednesday 28th—Year Reception Parent Consultations—At School

Thursday 29th—Year 2 Parent Consultations—At School

(some of Tiger Class & Seahorse Class will be held on Friday 1st March-All information has been sent-Booking will open on Monday 19th February and close on Sunday 25th February-You can log into your Arbor account to check which teacher and date your appointment will be held).

March

Saturday 2nd-CSA Quiz Night

Tuesday 5th—Y1 Bedtime Story Event Details to Follow

Thursday 7th—World Book Day-Children can come dressed as their favourite book character

Friday 8th—Parent/Carer ASD Support Group-In Surbiton-See flyer attached for further info

Thursday 14th—Y2 Scooter Training-All Day

Friday 15th –Y2 Scooter Training-Morning

Saturday 16th—Dig Day-All welcome to help clear/weed garden areas

Thursday 21st—Dancing with Don-Whole School-YR will finish at 3.15pm

Monday 25th—Y2 Tower of London-Must be at school by 7.45am Please complete Google link to give permission and payment to made via Arbor account.

<https://forms.gle/6LirM7jnV9Bvi21Y9>

Thursday 28th—End of Term –School finishes at 1.30pm

Easter Holiday –Friday 29th March-Friday 12th April

April

Monday 15th—INSET-School Closed

Tuesday 16th—Children Return

Notices

Medical Room Requests-Urgent

If your child has had an accident at school and come home in spare clothes, please can you make sure you wash and return items to school promptly.

Ms Goddard would be grateful for donations of dark coloured jogging bottoms/leggings/ socks and plastic bags. Please drop off at the school office.

Thank you.



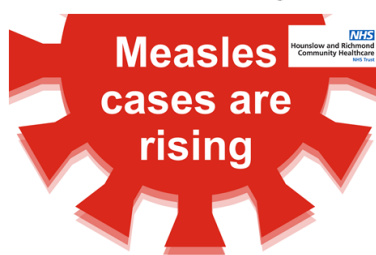
Parking!

Please can we ask all parents/carers to park carefully when visiting the school at drop off/pick up. We have received various complaints from neighbours regarding inconsiderate parking and blocking of driveways. If we receive anymore complaints we will be sending out a message with number plate registration details. Thank you for your cooperation.

Measles Outbreak-Message from NHS

As I am sure that you are aware, there is a current spike in measles in the UK, with a [number of cases confirmed in London](#).

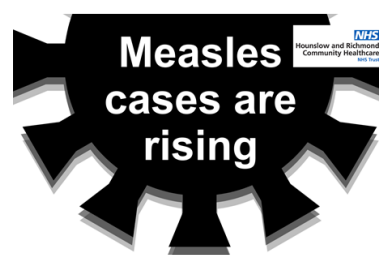
The MMR/Polio team are running a series of clinics in our boroughs to vaccinate all school age children who are missing one, or both doses of the MMR vaccine. The information for these clinics can be found on the [HRCH Children's Immunisations webpage](#)



Is your child fully protected?

Your child needs two doses of the MMR vaccine to be fully vaccinated against measles, mumps and rubella.

To book an appointment, call 020 8487 1730



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School Absence-Important Procedures

Please note, your child's absence **must be reported every day**. Unless it is vomiting/diarrhoea and we have already been informed, or an illness where we know they will be off for a number of days. Please call the school office at anytime on 0208 979-2770 and press option 1 and leave a message. We appreciate your cooperation which will save the office staff having to run around the school to see whether your child is in or not!

Medical evidence will be required for absences longer than 5 days and when attendance falls below 90%.

Please also provide written proof of any appointments and advise whether your child will be requiring a school meal.

May we also remind you that if your child has vomiting and/or diarrhoea, you must wait **48 hours** from the last episode before bringing your child back to school.



CSA News

The CSA are excited about a busy spring ahead, full of activities for everyone to get involved in! Including the famous Quiz Night (send over your booking forms by the 23rd Feb to get a table), a World Book day trail, the next school Dig Day on the 16th March,...and... 9 parents plus Mrs Carter will be running the Hampton Court Half Marathon to raise funds for a new pond! Read more, and sponsor the run on the CSA website here: www.carliseschoolassociation.org.uk

Thanks for your support! We can't wait to see you all back after half term, from The CSA Team

We are also starting to plan ahead for our summer fair in July so please get in touch if you'd like to be involved in planning, or in any other events this year. Contact Louise at carliseschoolassociation@gmail.com for more information."

Thank you!

Louise Bloom

07950663084

Chair - Carlisle School Association

www.carliseschoolassociation.org.uk

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Half Term Events

Half Term Event Details

Orleans House Gallery - free event Tues-Sun – <https://www.orleanshousegallery.org/events/play-works/>

Boundless Dance workshops - <https://www.boundlessarts.co.uk/musical-madness-half-term-event>

Methodist Church Messy Play - free event, poster attached

Rana's Baking Holiday Camp - <https://www.ranasdelights.co.uk/pages/holiday-camps>

Activities at Squires Garden Centre - <https://richmondtwickenhamfamilyhub.com/event/create-grow-workshop-squires-garden-centre-twickenham/2024-02-12/>

Activities at Crane Park in Whitton - <https://richmondtwickenhamfamilyhub.com/event/family-nature-activities-crane-park-island-whitton/>

Bake with Rana– Holiday Camp—www.ranasdelights.co.uk

Museum of Richmond-Family Workshop

Tuesday 13 to Friday 16 February, 10am to 12noon

Discover some of the great love stories in Richmond then get creative and make some love tokens and cards to take home, in a workshop led by our Museum Expert.

£6 per child, adults are FREE! Places are limited, book here: <https://www.museumofrichmond.com/families/workshops-at-the-museum/>

We also have FREE activities and trails during February, for your families <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GGqIrnPQQXIdokRGWHbKqy8otrOzSmjD/view?usp=sharing>

Scoop & Waffle Shop-Hampton Hill

Exciting children's workshops happening soon at Scoop and Waffle, Hampton Hill:

- Half term Splat slime making workshops
- After school Splat arts/crafts workshops

Participation in workshops include an ice cream with sprinkles for each child.

www.bookthatin.com/link/splatmessyplay

Coding Holiday Club

WHO: This club is suitable for children Years 1 - 6

The Jam Coding Holiday Code club combines both online and offline fun and educational activities to engage and inspire your children during the school holidays.

Coding & Computing courses covering a wide range of topics, including: Minecraft Challenges, Game Building and Stop Motion Animation

All equipment and resources are provided by Jam Coding.

No more than 2.5 hours of screen time per day, with long breaks and playground games in between.

Please bring own packed lunch (light snacks will be provided i.e. biscuits & fruit)

BOOKINGS and PRICE:

Please book via this link: <https://portal.jamcoding.franscape.io/class-overview/2657>

PERFORM-Frozen

Join us during February half-term for a glittering drama, dance and singing adventure as we head off into a magical ice-covered land. [Click for more information, your nearest venues, see what parents say or book online.](#)

Half Term Events continued...

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Richmond Rugby Club

February Half Term Rugby Camp, 13th - 15th February. Our camps run from 9 am - 3 pm for boys and girls aged 4 - 16. We accept all abilities from children who have never played before to children who have played through the years. We do not expect you to be a member of our club but someone who enjoys the outdoors and loves making new friends.

The camps offer fun, structured rugby-based sessions that help your child(ren) **develop their fundamental movement skills, hand-eye coordination, and interactions with other kids**. The children will learn how to kick, pass, ruck, tackle, and jackal safely. We aim to build strong foundations of the basics of rugby and to improve what has already been built.

We provided a unique experience where **young people can challenge their abilities, learn new skills, set challenges for themselves, and achieve those challenges, improving their problem-solving and leadership skills**. All while being in a safe and enjoyable environment.

Please click here to book.

[February Half-term Rugby Camp: Richmond Community Team\(clubs-hub.com\)](https://clubs-hub.com)

Learn to swim this half term holiday

Children can learn to swim this half term holiday with our wide range of crash courses and workshops available at Teddington Pools and Fitness Centre and Pools on the Park.

Bookings can be made by calling us on 020 3772 2999 or in person at the centre reception.

Please see the [website](#) for more information.

Local Borough/Area Information

Safeguarding concern? Are you concerned about the safety or welfare of a child? Please contact the SPA (Single Point of Access):

Phone 020 8547 5008 [Online referral](#) *

If you think a child is in immediate danger you should call 999.*The form is hosted by Richmond Council for both Kingston and Richmond.

13th
February
2024



THE PRODIGAL SON

THE FATHER'S
UNCONDITIONAL
LOVE



Hampton Mission Partnership

Come along and join in the Fun Games Crafts Activities and Food this Half Term on Tuesday, 13th February 2024 @ Hampton Mission Partnership, Hampton Methodist Church, Percy Road, Hampton TW12 2JT
10 am – 12 pm



Hampton Mission Partnership

Hampton Methodist Church

Perce Road, Hampton, TW12 2JT

info@hamptonmissionpartnership.co.uk

The Methodist Church

Free

Kids Activity Afternoon February Half Term



games



art activities



yummy food

Thursday, 15th February

2pm – 5pm

**All Saints Church Hall,
The Avenue, Hampton**

No sign up
needed,
just stay
and play

Linden Hall Community News/information

I am getting in contact to request spreading awareness about Linden Hall in Hampton and all the work we do here to support the local and surrounding communities.

Please see attached a variety of posters from our Little Larks parent toddler play group to our Community Suppers offering people surplus food and freshly prepared meals to enjoy helping out those in need through the cost of living crisis. More information on these activities and all the work we do can be found on our web-site at www.lindenhall.org.uk.

Kind Regards

Thomas Hayler

Centre Manager

Food for all the Community

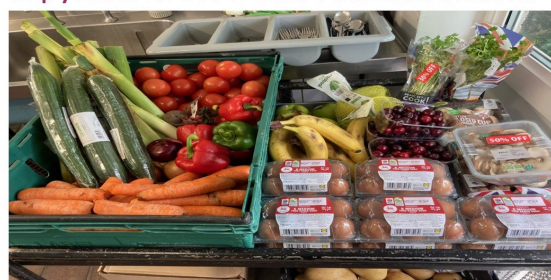
Every Tuesday 3-5pm



Linden Hall
Community Centre



Linden Hall & Surplus to Supper are offering freshly cooked meals for people in the local Hampton community to eat in or takeaway. You can take away frozen meals and any surplus food on offer that would otherwise be thrown away. It's pay as you can afford so help yourself for free or make a charitable donation.



Linden Hall Community Centre, Linden Road, Hampton, TW12 2JG

0208 941 2373 enquiries@lindenhall.org.uk

www.lindenhall.org.uk

Linden Hall Community Centre Hall Hires

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enquiries@lindenhall.org.uk
0208 941 2373



Linden Hall in the heart of Hampton has a range of rooms on offer to hire. Whether it be for a child's birthday party, group activity, exercise class or meetings, Linden Hall has a space to suit your needs at a very reasonable rate for regular bookings and one off events. For information on availability please contact enquiries@lindenhall.org.uk



Our Hall Hire Rates

	Regular	One off
Bookings	Bookings	Bookings
Main Hall	£32.50p/h	£45 p/h
Lounge	£17.50p/h	£25 p/h
Therapy Room	£15p/h	£20 p/h
Hair Dressers	£15p/h	£20 p/h
Child's Party		£120 for 3hrs
Fri&Sat eve hire		£45 p/h

Main Hall

Lounge

Therapy Room

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Hampton Fund



Join us at our
Parent and Toddler Group:

Monday & Wednesday 9.30-11.30am

£4 per adult plus 1st child, (50p per extra child, under 1s FREE)
FREE biscuit & drink for the children. Tea/coffee & snacks for sale.
Linden Hall Community Centre, Linden Road, Hampton, TW12 2JG
enquiries@lindenhall.org.uk www.lindenhall.org.uk

DRESS UPS



BABY AREA

WENDY HOUSE



LARGE OUTDOOR AREA

RIDE-ON TOYS

SNACKS



Call 020 8941 2373 for more details



ASD

Parent/Carer Support Group



Friday 8th March 2024

9.30 to 11am

at

Grand Avenue Primary School, Surbiton, KT5 9HU

Coffee, biscuits and general support

I will bring along some laminators, pouches and Velcro for you to make some visual timetables etc. if you would like to.

If you would like to come along, please register by following this link:

<https://forms.gle/sqSDZ8ok8fiRVV7K8>

or contact

Jane Pidduck (e-mail jpiddu2@grandavenue.kingston.sch.uk)