

NEWSLETTER



Lincoln Carlton
ACADEMY

28th June 2019

A MESSAGE FROM MRS MALAM

I just wanted to thank everyone for their kind wishes, gifts and cards for my big birthday last week. I was thoroughly spoiled and felt very lucky indeed. Fortunately, being around the children keeps me feeling youthful!

There are some staffing changes which I need to let you know about. Firstly, I am so sad to be wishing Miss Dineen goodbye and good luck as she leaves us to start a new adventure. Miss Dineen and I worked together way before Lincoln Carlton Academy was even dreamed about and I have watched her develop and grow into a most amazing practitioner. She has been at LCA since the very beginning and has been one of our school's biggest champions. She can always be relied on to hear a teacher say "I need someone" and has supported hundreds of children, including some children with significant needs and in trauma, over the years she has been in education. She will be very much missed by all, but personally I will be sad not to see her smiley face every day, have her calm persona around and will also miss her lovely hugs. I know you will all join me in wishing her all the very best.

We will be welcoming three new teachers in September. You will all know Mrs Ball, who has been training hard here at LCA to become a teacher, and we are very happy to announce that she will join us as a class teacher. The class who get her will be very lucky! We also have two further new teachers joining us Miss Solari and Miss Davies. All the new teachers are able to join us on the transition day which is Wednesday 10th July and you and your children will be able to meet them. We also welcome Mrs Setterfield to the school office. She is a wonderful addition to the LCA team.

SPARE PE KIT

We are looking for spare PE kit, swim shorts, costumes, towels and trainers as we are making a spare PE kit box for those that forget to bring their kit in. We would really appreciate it if anyone has anything that they could add. Thank you.

HEAD LICE

We have had some reported cases of head lice. Please could you check your child's hair regularly and treat if necessary. Further information can be found at; <http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Treatment.aspx>

DARLING AND PARKS NEWS

This term our topic is 'Green Fingers'. We have been fortunate to have two teachers from Priory Pembroke Academy at Cherry Willingham teaching us about ecosystems and how plastic pollution is affecting our environment. We have been building a greenhouse from plastic bottles and hope to grow things in there in the future.

In our English unit, the children have been engrossed in 'The Secret Garden'. This week, they have written persuasive letters from the perspective of characters from the novel.

SPORTS DAY

This year's sports day will take place on **Thursday 11th July**. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Sports Day will be at 9.30am to 11.00am and Key Stage 2 Sports Day will begin at 1.30pm until 3.00pm. All parents are invited to attend and we ask you to arrive 15 minutes prior to start and we look forward to seeing you all then. Please bring blankets or seating. We are hoping for the sun to be shining but in case of wet weather we will contact you via Parent Hub and Facebook with any changes of plan. Please ensure your child has his/her PE kit in school (White or purple t-shirt, blue or black sports shorts). CAFS will be present and will be selling refreshments.

END OF YEAR REPORTS

Remember to check your Parent Hub on Monday 8th July after 5.00pm. All reports will be sent out on this day. If you are having any issues with Parent Hub, please contact them directly by email: support@parenthub.co.uk or call on 0161 2024141.

JOB OPPORTUNITES

Teaching Assistant

We are looking to recruit a part time TA to join our team in September.

Start Date: 2nd September 2019

Salary: TA1 (G3.6 - £18,065 pro rata)

Contract: Temporary 1year contract (end date of 31st August 2020), 20 hours per week, 39 weeks a year (term-time only)

For further information and an application form, please visit our website

<https://lincolncarltonacademy.com/information/vacancies>

The closing date for applications is midnight on Friday 28th June 2019.

CAFS (CARLTON ACADEMY FRIENDS AND STAFF)

The silver post box is still at the school office for Mr Shiney's show on Tuesday 16th July for the Reception and Year 1 children. The last day to pay for your child's place is Friday 12th July. It's £2 per child.

CAFS are also currently in the process of organising the lost property. We are going to have a table on Friday afternoons after school where donations can be made and the unclaimed, clean uniforms can be purchased.

The CAFS Team

END OF TERM

In the last week of term, the teachers will be sending books, contents of trays, craft work and items from our displays home with the children.

Please can parents/carers send a large, strong reusable shopping bag in on Monday-Thursday in the last week to ensure children can transport their work home safely.

On the last day of term (Friday 19th July), please only send your child in with their lunch box and water bottle as we plan to have already sent all items home in the run up to the family picnic.

SUMMER WOW DAY – Thursday 18th July

We are looking forward to our Summer WOW Day on **Thursday 18th July**. Children are welcome to come to school in summer clothes for the day. Plans are still being sorted, so keep an eye on Parent Hub.

Please ensure that children wear sun cream and a hat and bring a full bottle of water. Children will take part in a range of activities throughout the day and Chef will be organising a change in the menu to fish and chips in Styrofoam containers instead of the regular pork meatballs - a real seaside treat!

FAMILY PICNIC

The family picnic will be taking place on the last day of term, Friday 19th July. If you are able to come along, please arrive for an 11.45am start. We will register the children at 1pm for the afternoon, meaning you can take your child home from 1.10pm and start your summer holidays earlier! Please leave via the school office to ensure you have been signed out of the building. Children who are staying for the afternoon or whose adults are unable to attend, will stay with adults from their class and have an afternoon of fun activities and games. Kids Club will also be running as usual from 3.20pm to 6.00pm.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 2 nd July
Year 1 Class SHARE, doors open at 8.55am for a 9.05am start
Thursday 4 th July
Monkeys Special Assembly. Doors open at 8.55am for a 9.05am start
Friday 5 th July
Year 4 Special Assembly. Doors open at 8.55am for a 9.05am start
Monday 8 th July
Reports sent out to parents today electronically through Parent Hub
Wednesday 10 th July
Moving Up Day
Thursday 11 th July
Sports Day – EYFS and KS1 9.30-11am and KS2 1.30-3pm
Thursday 11 th July
Parent Drop-in session to discuss reports – no need to book.
Friday 12 th July
Year 5 Special Assembly
Monday 15 th July
Last Swimming session
Tuesday 16 th July
EYFS Tea Party in the morning – more information to follow on Parent Hub
Tuesday 16 th July
Mr Shiney's Magic Show for EYFS & Year 1
Thursday 18 th July
LCA Summer WOW Day – more information to follow on Parent Hub
Friday 19 th July
Family Picnic
Friday 19 th July
End of Term 6.
Wednesday 4 th September 2019
Start of Term 1