



# Carnarvon Primary School Weekly Newsletter 5



Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2025

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## STAR OF THE WEEK

Today's 'Stars of the Week' are:

|              |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|
| RE - Ava     | RLR - Tabitha   |
| 1BW - Albert | 1CS - Archie    |
| 2B - Shay    | 2D - Zachary    |
| 3AN - Enoch  | 3HM - Poppy H   |
| 4A - Fraser  | 4S - Finn H     |
| 5A - Jack B  | 5L - Florence B |
| 6C - Freddie | 6H - Noah       |



Well done to you all!!

## GLADIATOR STEEL VISIT

We were lucky enough to have a real life Gladiator visit school on Monday, courtesy of our PTA, to deliver a message about healthy eating, exercise and hydration. After talking to the children in assembly, he then visited all of the classrooms to answer questions and have pictures taken, the children particularly loved doing the Steel pose for the photos.



Week commencing 6<sup>th</sup> October 2025

## Diary

- Mon** Carnarvon v Coddington football match
- Wed** Macmillan Coffee Afternoon for Reception parents at 1.45pm  
Reception Parents' Phonics Information Meeting at 2.30pm
- Thu** Choir singing at Fosse Way View Care Home
- Fri** Harvest Festival collection of all donations received  
Year 3 overnight camp

## School meals

- Mon** Cheesy BBQ pizza with potato balls and sweetcorn.  
Golden syrup flapjack.
- Tue** Beef Bolognese with garlic bread, carrot and cucumber sticks.  
Fruit ice lolly.
- Wed** Chicken enchiladas with rice and tomato salsa.  
Strawberry mousse with crushed meringues and raspberry sauce.
- Thu** Roast meat-of-the-day filled cob with jacket wedges and roasted summery vegetables.  
Jam Roly Poly.
- Fri** Hot Dog with ketchup, peas and French fries.  
Donuts.

## VISITORS TO SCHOOL THIS WEEK

We are happy to say that the Ofsted Inspectors were very complimentary and positive about the school, and the children, during their visit this week.

We will not be getting a report, and their visit doesn't impact our current rating of Good, as this was a pilot study, to assist them with the implementation of their new inspection framework. However, this was a valuable learning experience that will help us to prepare for future inspections.

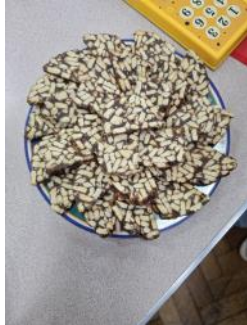
Thank you.

Mr Board

# CARNARVON PTA CELEBRATION OF CULTURE AND LANGUAGES

What a wonderful afternoon this was, with our parents creating some beautiful and interesting displays for the children to explore during the afternoon, and then an amazing turnout after school! The PTA and school would like to thank you for supporting this event. We think everyone enjoyed the food in particular, and we look forward to

creating something even bigger and better for next year.



## YEAR 4 PGL RESIDENTIAL

We have an exciting residential trip planned for Year 4 during the Summer Term at a new PGL centre called Dearne Valley.

Dearne Valley is in Conisbrough, Doncaster and we will be going on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2026 for one night, returning on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2026. The children will be participating in a range of outdoor activities over the two days and will benefit from an overnight experience away from home. Dearne Valley have secure accommodation with en-suite rooms with bunk beds, and they have a very experienced team to introduce the children to a range of exciting outdoor activities. The activities are intended to build on the children's resilience, confidence and team-building skills. The children's activity programme is still to be advised, but may include archery, archery tag, climbing wall, problem-solving activities, high ropes and campfire with bush craft evening activities.

The overall cost will be £177. This includes transport, accommodation, all activities and meals.

We have set a payment option (via ParentPay) to allow you to pay in instalments. Please can all parents pay something before Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025 to confirm that your child will be going, the system will let you pay anything between £10 and £177.



## CARNARVON CHRISTMAS FAIR

Carnarvon Christmas Fair will take place on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December. If you have a business and would like a stall at our fair to sell festive gifts/produce, or, if you can help on a stall for half an hour, please come in and talk to the school office.

We would also appreciate any donations of:

Raffle Prizes, do you work for a company that will donate a prize? Have you unwanted gifts at home that you could donate?

Tombola prizes, any smaller, new items

Bottles of wine

Clean, pre-loved soft toys, any sizes!

Chocolate.....any type for a chocolate tombola stall

Second hand, good quality toys and books

Thank you.



## SCHOOL FUNDRAISING & RUDOLPH CARDS

We are taking part in a Christmas Fundraising activity. These will make delightful and affordable gifts for family and friends this coming Christmas season, and memories for years to come. Products for 2025 are as follows; Christmas Cards, Ceramic Mugs, Coasters, Fridge, Magnet, Tea Towel, Cushion

Tote Bag, Teddies with Printed T-shirt, Large Christmas

Bauble

Please send the artwork back to the school by FRIDAY 10<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER latest. Please work out your order value and pay the correct amount in full via ParentPay.

Thank you.



## POETRY COMPETITION

In our National Poetry Day assembly last week, we launched a poetry competition. We had lots of creative entries and we were very impressed by them! 1<sup>st</sup> prize went to Chloe from 6H for her poem 'Home'. and 2<sup>nd</sup> place was Carys from 4A with her poem 'OPAL'.



Below is a photo of some of the entrants, and Chloe and Carys are both pictured here with their poems.



### OPAL

At certain times throughout the day,  
we get the chance to go and play  
In our lessons we will sit,  
but when we've had enough of it  
up we stand and out we go,  
in rain, hail, sun or snow.  
Push the pram  
Dig the sand  
Fall in the mud  
**TAKE MY HAND!!!**

When we tire, we can go  
to the quiet area and do a show,  
read a book, chat with a friend,  
we never want this play to end.  
When we hear the whistle blow  
through the door we shall go.  
When in the classroom you will find,  
children ready to  
**WORK HARD and BE KIND!!!**

By Carys

## HARVEST COLLECTION

Thank you for all the donations we have received so far. We are still collecting items for Bingham Food Warriors until Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October. Either drop them at the school office, or with your child's class teacher.

If you are able to help with this, we would like any of the following:

- Tinned food items
- Cereal
- Stock cubes
- Pot noodles
- Tea bags/coffee
- Jars of cooking sauces
- Items with a long shelf life

Many thanks



## RUDDINGTON TOURNAMENT

It was a great tournament for the boys: three wins, one draw (against the eventual winners) and one defeat, scoring seven goals along the way, and conceding only one. However, the group stages are always tight, and their fine performances were still not enough to see them through. It was an excellent start to the season though, boys - so very well done!



## CARNARVON 2 - 0 RADCLIFFE

What a wonderful game of football this was: high quality, with slick passing and lots of goal-scoring opportunities! Most importantly, it was very much a team performance against strong opponents, though Carnarvon rarely looked in danger of conceding, such was their work rate, effort and desire; a performance to be truly proud of. Well done - top of the league!

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George H from 3HM was awarded 'Man of the Match' for Bingham Blues U8's this week. He persevered when playing against a tough team and scored a great goal too!  
Well done George!



Harlow from 5L completed the Robin Hood mini marathon on Sunday. She smashed it and beat all her family who are super proud of her. Go Harlow!

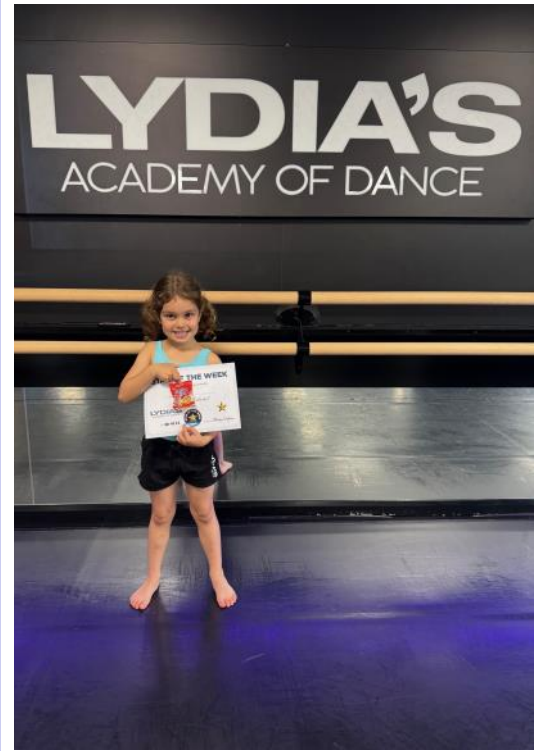


★ **Out-of-school achievements** ★

Holly from 4A completed a summer dance challenge competition that showcased three of her favourite dance moves in a video for her dance school. Holly was so excited when she found out she had won!  
Great work Holly!



Elsie from 1CS was awarded 'Star of the Week' from her dance academy, which she was so pleased about. Her family are all really proud of her.  
Well done Elsie!



Georgie from 2B was awarded 'Player of the Week' on Saturday for Bingham Wildcats.

Congratulations Georgie, your family are all super proud of you!



Reece from 5A passed his Green Belt in kickboxing.  
Well done Reece!

**VIP INVITE**

WOODS ARE COMING TO

**HARVEY HADDEN**

**VS FALKIRK FURY**

SATURDAY 4TH SEP | 7:30PM

DOORS OPEN | 6:30PM

HARVEY HADDEN SPORT VILLAGE  
WIGMAN ROAD NGS 4PB

**SCAN HERE** FOR TICKETS

TO CLAIM TICKETS USE PROMO CODE:  
**SCHOOLSVIP**

LYDIA'S  
ACADEMY OF DANCE

# STREET DANCE

Club!

MONDAY'S AT SCHOOL  
3.30PM - 4.15PM

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CONTACT LYDIA ON: 07837 084427

ALL YEARS WELCOME!  
HALF TERM FROM MONDAY 3RD NOV - MONDAY 8TH DEC  
£33.00

## Bingham Rangers FOOTBALL SCHOOL FOR 4 TO 7 YEAR OLDS

- A Great introduction to football delivered by Aspire Coaching from Carlton, Nottingham
- Fun skills and games for children of all abilities
- All coaches are UEFA qualified, DBS checked and hold valid first aid certificates



Opportunity for parents to get involved and become FA qualified coaches with club support

£5 PER SESSION



SATURDAYS  
0845-0945

BUTT FIELD PLAYING FIELDS  
BINGHAM, NG13 8GG



Register on the website  
[www.binghamtownfc.com](http://www.binghamtownfc.com)

**Bingham Town Football Club**