

CAEDMON SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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The following pupils have been awarded Headteacher Commendations this week:

Georgia Fandaoutsaki 8C History

PARENTS EVENING – MONDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

The staff are delighted that so many parents want to discuss their child's progress at Caedmon School. This has led to the need, on this occasion, for appointments to be reduced to between 3 & 4 minutes each. Appointment times are set at 5 minute intervals. Please bear with us as staff will need to be very focused in their discussions with you. If you feel that your discussions require further time then please ask the teacher to contact you for a further telephone conversation or appointment at a later date. Please do not forget that we have a further 4 consultation evenings in the school year. If times can return to 7 minutes in the future we will do so. We will also take the opportunity to review the system with parents at future Parents' Forum or Home & School Association meetings if this problem persists.

We look forward to seeing you on Monday (*R A Hewitt*)

CHILDREN IN NEED

Wednesday 18th November

There will be a bun-bake sale in the Social Area at break. Home-made buns and cakes can be brought in on Tuesday 17th or Wednesday morning, 18th November. Please take your donations to Mrs Carter's Food Tech room.



CHILDREN IN NEED - Friday 20th November

This will be a non-uniform day – the dress colour theme is BLUE. Pupils are asked to donate a minimum of 50p towards this worthy cause. As is usual on non-uniform days neither jewellery nor make-up should be worn.

HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION FORTHCOMING EVENT

Christmas Fair – Sunday 22nd November 11am – 3pm

Please come along and do your Christmas shopping, have a go on the tombola, guess the weight of the Christmas cake, name a penguin, buy delicious cakes, and enjoy a refreshing drink with a mince pie. All welcome. There will also be crafts,

gifts, cards, books, toys and other seasonal goods on sale. Younger children might want to visit Santa in his Grotto.

We are looking for donations of books (in good condition), tombola and raffle prizes, toys and other gifts for our stalls.



If you can help in any way please send any items to school as soon as possible. Thank you for your help.

ORCHESTRA

Students in the Orchestra are asked to see Mr Maltby as soon as possible to let him know if they are available to play at the Christmas Fair on Sunday 22nd November.

PINAFORE PIRATES

There is a rehearsal after school on Wednesday – EVERYBODY, including those interested in being pirates, police or in the chorus, needs to be there!

ENRICHMENT DAY

Year 9 Students and staff are looking forward to their visits to The Deep in Hull, and to the Bradford Media Centre. Please see the separate letter given to students today reminding them about transport, timings and other important information.

SKI TRIP

Those pupils who have not yet brought in their documentation for the Ski Trip should do so as soon as possible and are reminded that the November payment is now due.

HOLLAND TRIP

The final payment of £100 will be due on 4th December.

BOOTS FOR AFRICA

Please continue to send in your unwanted football boots, cleaned and tied together in pairs. A collection point has been placed in the PE Department. Whitby Town FC is offering a prize to the school collecting the most pairs of boots. Thank you for your help.

GREAT NORTH AIR AMBULANCE

We are pleased to report that a total of 47 bags of clothing and bedding were collected by the GNAA. Well done and thank you!

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK 'LONELINESS'

Loneliness is a feeling of being unwanted. It is said that you can be in a room full of people but still be lonely. Try to be a friend to anyone you think needs someone to turn to.

TIMETABLE: Week 2

MERIT TOTALS
Adventure 561 Discovery 538
Endeavour 542 Resolution 470