

## Happy VE Day everyone!



## WE MISS YOU!

## James hits 50!



*Hi, I'm James from Year 5, you might have seen me raising money on Facebook for the Prince of Wales Hospice by riding 50km on an exercise bike, so far I have raised £277 for the charity.*

*I decided to raise money for the hospice because I like to help people who are vulnerable and in need, and they looked after my Nana last year. I found it quite stressful and hard after about 20km but I managed to do 25km on Thursday. That night I had cramp, but that didn't stop me. My favourite part of the challenge was when I did the last 5km, I did this outside on the drive the neighbours cheered me on and when I finished my Mum sprayed me with Champagne.*

*Thank you to everyone who has sponsored me.*

**What an achievement James, the whole of our Carleton Park community are extremely proud of you!**

## Pastoral Phone Calls

Phone calls from your teachers have been happening this week. I have received a weekly update from our teachers and again it is great to hear how the children are doing. A focus on the calls has been first and foremost our children's health and well-being and secondly their engagement in home learning activities and challenges.

Please continue to encourage your children to stay involved with the school and our community by having a go at the social media challenges – we really do love to see how you do!

The teachers aimed to contact you throughout the week – again for whatever reason if you missed the call feel free to contact the admin email and let us know a time that is suitable for you, we will do our best to accommodate this.

\*If you have not been contacted – please contact the school's admin address.

# New Home Learning Packs

New home learning packs will be available to download from our school website on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May: <https://carletonpark.patrust.org.uk>

The home learning pack now sees a shift towards project based learning. This will be brilliant in engaging our children and sustaining their attention over longer periods of time. It is also exciting to be able to explore the project with your own imagination and creative twist!

Alongside this newsletter a further letter has been sent out that outlines further actions to take if you require a pack printing out.

If your child/children complete home learning packs prior to new packs being released please continue to access the online learning sites that have previously been communicated. Teacher phone calls are also a useful time to ask for advice on activities and potential ideas around timetabling your home learning activities.

## Artwork to Decorate Pinderfields Hospital

You may have seen a request from one of our parents who works at Pinderfields Hospital; Key workers at the hospital would like some wonderful artwork to decorate their windows. If your child would like to take part please post your creations to:  
Helen Close, Women's Management Team, Rowan House, Pinderfields Hospital,  
Wakefield, WF1 4DG

## Teacher Challenge #1 The winner is...

 Carleton Park J & I School  
@carletonparksch

 Drum roll please!!!!

The winner of our first CP Challenge is..... George! Not only was Miss Dedicoat amazed with Matt Lucas' retweet George, she was also very impressed with your impeccable timing! Well done. Your Amazon prize will be sent to you via our admin team.



**Well done George we are super proud of your effort and success!**

@carletonparksch George is so excited that Matt Lucas has re-tweeted his song and commented! He's had over 16K views too 😊



## Challenge #2 is now live...

The second teacher challenge was completed by Miss Worsnop (Year 2 teacher) this week. Miss Worsnop set an active challenge and then shared her own superb video! This challenge gives you the opportunity to create your own paper aeroplane (not as easy as it looks) and have a bit of fun with the family. You could also get some active maths by counting your steps, multiplying them by different numbers, working out a cumulative total of steps for either yourself or the whole family – plus many more creative ideas!

## Get involved everyone!

## Teacher Challenge Prizes £!£!

**Amazon vouchers** will be sent out to the winner of the challenge.  
The winner will be decided by the staff member who posted the challenge!

\*Continue to check when the challenge goes live and test yourself, it may be something sporty, musical, artistic...

## Social Media Sites

If you have not already done so please keep an eye on our regular activities and updates on our School Facebook page & Twitter Page [@carletonparksch](#) – it has already proved extremely popular as a way of keeping in regular communication and seeing what amazing activities our children have been doing!

Evie (Y5) with an important message!



Erin (Y2) with her VE Day preparations.



Ewan (Year 2) and Connor (Reception) climbing a tree while out on their bikes and.....



.....are also having a go at growing their own sunflowers.



You can send your photos in via the 'send message' option on our Facebook page, Twitter account or if you have any problems with this, email to [admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk](mailto:admin@carletonpark.patrust.org.uk)

Thank you so much for your continued support during this time.



*"After every storm, there is a rainbow. If you have eyes, you will find it. If you have wisdom, you will create it. If you have love for yourself and others, you won't need it."*