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Monday, 5th June 2023

Dear Families,

It's been wonderful to welcome you all back to school today after the half term break. We're looking forward to an exciting end to this academic year with a fun filled Castleway half term.



Welcome to Team Castleway

Today we've said a big hello to Oliver and Thom who have joined us in Year 5 and Year 3. I love welcoming new families to our school and the fact that more and more people are choosing our school is something that I'm incredibly proud of.

Come as You Are Day & Pride Picnic – 29th June 2023

After the success of last year's Pride Picnic, we're doing it all again! Thursday, 29th June will be 'Come as You Are Day' where we encourage all children to dress in a way to demonstrate who they are. We're also inviting Primary School families to join us for our second annual Pride Picnic too from 12 noon! Music, fun, togetherness and celebration!

Castleway's
'Come as You Are' Day!
and
Pride Picnic
Thursday, 29th June 2023

We're proud to be an inclusive and diverse school. To celebrate the end of Pride Month, we're inviting children to come in to school wearing what ever represents them. We're also inviting parents families to join us for a special picnic lunch too!

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Attendance Astro!

As you know, our astro turf has been a big hit since it was installed before the half term break. We're going to be using the astro turf as an attendance reward during the last break of the day for the class with the best attendance from the previous week. Our attendance figures from the week before we finished for half term were not the best but well done to Reception Class for achieving 96% attendance and therefore they are the Attendance Astro winners for this week.

Each week, we'll share our class attendance scores in the Friday Update and they'll be colour coded as follows:

- 100% - Gold
- 96 – 99% - Green
- 91 – 95% - Yellow
- 90% or below – Red

Attendance – Week Ending 26th May 2023

Reception	Year 2	Year 5	Year 6	Year 3	Year 4	Year 1
96.43%	93.75%	93.04%	93.24%	92.44%	91.25%	89%

I'm looking forward to seeing the table being a lot greener each week... and hoping for a smattering of gold too!

Sports Day Plans

As you'll know, we shared our dates for our sports days before half term. We're looking forward to these events!



Coffee Morning

Please remember that all Castleway families (from both schools) are invited to join Miss McDonough each Monday morning straight from drop off. Miss McDonough has strong connections with many local agencies and support groups, many of them join her on a regular basis.

We'd love to see you at Coffee Morning on Monday. Please come along.

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Unity BGT Performance

In assembly this morning, we watched Unity’s audition from the recent series of BGT. I asked our children to tell me why they thought I’d chose this clip to watch this morning. Their answers were spot on and really quite touching. I’m incredibly proud of how inclusive, accepting and simply fabulous our children are.

Have a watch of the video by clicking the image and see if you can tell why I shared this video this morning.

Dates for your Diary

Please see the revised ‘dates for your diary’ below. Any changes, updates or amendments are detailed in yellow.

When?	What?	Who?
WB: 19/06/23	Year 2 & Reception Swimming	Year 2 and Reception children
29/06/23	Come as You Are Day	All Nursery & Primary children
29/06/23	Pride Picnic at 12 noon	Primary School Families
WB: 03/07/23	Year 1 Swimming	Year 1 children
10/07/23	Year 2 Residential Visit	Year 2 children
12/07/23	Nursery School Family Picnic & Sports Day	Nursery School Children & Families
13/07/23	Primary School Sports Day	Primary School Children & Families
18/07/23	School’s Out for Summer!	All Nursery & Primary children
04/09/23	Return to School	All Nursery & Primary children

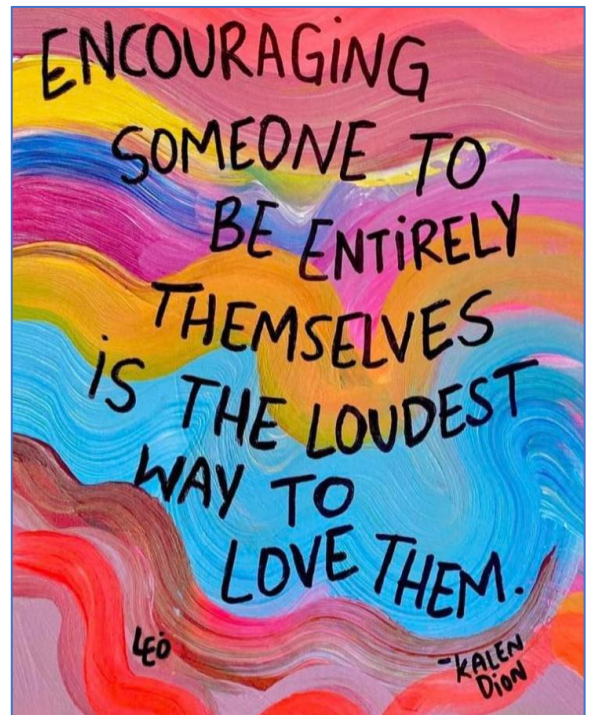
Look out for the Friday Update as usual this week with all of the usual news, celebrations and all-round fabulousness from Team Castleway.

The image I’m sharing here says it all.

We are entirely ourselves. We are Castleway.

Kind regards,

Mr. S. Mycroft
Headteacher



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