

Cranwell Primary School

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Newsletter

Proposal for Planning Permission Received for Land off Sycamore Drive

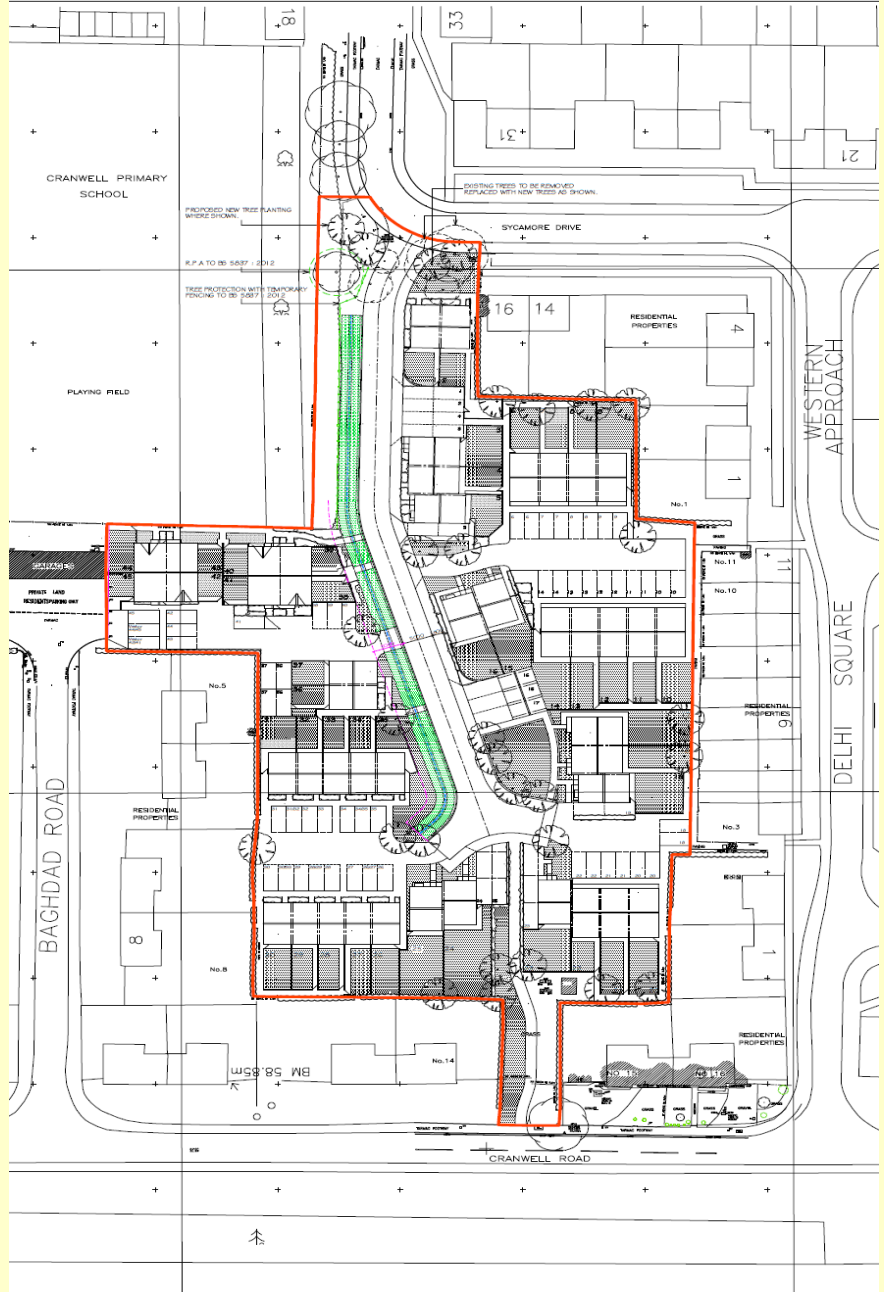
The School this week, received notification of a Planning Application for the land off Sycamore Drive, between the School and the Spar Shop. We received the notification from North Kesteven District Council Offices.

The plans are for the erection of 44 dwellings. Please see below the outline of the proposed development; but you are able to view the application in more detail by visiting www.n-kesteven.gov.uk/planningonline

Any comments you wish to make on the above application must be received by North Kesteven District Council by 10th December 2015.

You are able to comment online following the links from the application or you can email your comments to planning@n-kesteven.gov.uk

A meeting is being held prior to the next Parish Council Meeting at 6:45pm at the Village Hall, Cranwell Village on Monday 7th December 2015, whereby I believe, residents will have the opportunity to voice their concerns.



Thank You

Can I ask for us all to spare a thought for all the local residents living around the school perimeter, especially in Cherry Tree Crescent, Sycamore Drive, Dehli Square and Baghdad Road. Please can we ensure we show full consideration and not park on, or obstruct any driveways. Also, can we please make sure children do not walk over people's gardens in these areas! Many thanks for helping to respect our neighbours.

Here at school we also try to promote to the children about cycle safety and being aware of pedestrians along the tight paths around school. If your child cycles to school, please help us to promote awareness of others, and ensure lights are on bikes if cycling home after clubs and helmets are worn.

Starting School in 2016?

Is your child starting school in September 2016? Visit www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/parents/schools/school-admissions to apply for a place. Information packs are also available from the school office.

The online admissions system is available for parents and carers who would like to apply for a Reception/Foundation Stage place. Children who are born between 1st September 2011 and 31st August 2012 are due to start Reception in September 2016.



Cranwell Primary School PTA News

Cranwell Primary School PTA raises extra funds for our children which are used to benefit their education and enhance their enjoyment of school life. Remember that as a parent you are automatically part of Cranwell Primary Schools PTA and we are always in need of more help.

We understand that not everyone has the time to attend PTA meetings as life can be hectic with small children, jobs and partners away. There are however many ways you can help; perhaps behind the scenes preparing for an event, running a stall for 30 minutes, or suggesting some new fundraising ideas.

Helping with the PTA is a fantastic way of becoming part of your child's school community and to make friends. Our events take place purely through volunteers support so please get involved, make a difference and have some fun!

PTA Annual Chair's Report 2014 - 2015

The elected, Cranwell Primary School PTA has once again worked extremely hard and we have had a fantastic year despite all the building works going on in and around school!

The events we have run in the past year have included ...

- Halloween Disco
- Christmas Fayre
- Summer Barbecue
- Ice – cream sales
- Spring Disco
- Family Quiz
- Bake Off
- Year 6 Leavers Party

This has allowed us to donate ...

- * £1000 for new curriculum equipment
- * The purchase of new digital cameras
- * Ice lollies on sports day for every child
- * A leaving gift for each year 6 child
- * Chocolate lollies from Santa

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has helped to make our events over the last year so successful. Thank you to all the parents and Cranwell Primary School staff who came along to our events, organised and ran a stall, baked cakes or came with a great idea.

I'd like to give a special thank you to Karl Kinsella who is always kind enough to stay back and lock up after our events and also to Cranwell's very own DJ aka Kieran Scholes who regularly gave up time to take to the decks at our discos. Our next meeting is Tuesday 8th December at 9am in the school. Please come along, meet new people and share your ideas. Danielle Grainger
Cranwell Primary School PTA Chair

The positions held within the PTA are:

- Chairperson - Danielle Grainger
- Vice – Chair - Jason Roffey
- Treasurer - Lisa Schofield
- Secretary - Carley Matheson
- Media - Karen Newton

Christmas Fayre

Preparations for our Christmas Fayre are well underway. The children are busy making things to sell on their class stalls. There will be a vast number of stalls, refreshments, games, raffle, tombola, face painting, crafts and children can even see Father Christmas who will be visiting too.

If you wish to site a stall, or you are able to help at the event, please contact the Chair of the PTA, Mrs Grainger via the School Office.

Friday 4th Dec is None Uniform Day!

Please come to school in Christmas jumpers or festive colours, in exchange for a small unwrapped gift for the school Christmas Fayre tombola e.g food items, toiletries, candles.

This year we would like each year group to donate a "Christmas Coloured gift" as follows-

- Foundation-Red
- Year 1- Gold/Yellow
- Year 2-Green
- Year 3-Silver/White
- Year 4-Purple
- Year 5-Blue
- Year 6-Pink



"Save the Date" Christmas Fayre-Thursday 10th Dec 3pm-4.30pm.

The PTA would like to thank you for your continued support. We are a small voluntary group of parents whose aim is to raise money for the school whilst providing opportunities for the school family to come together. We meet once a month, all parents welcome to attend our meetings, share your fundraising ideas, and meet new people.

Christmas Cracker Competition

The PTA is inviting you to use your imagination and create your very own, Christmas cracker!!

Crackers can be big, small, sparkly, funky, bright, traditional, unusual...anything you want them to be, with a small wrapped treat or sweets as the surprise inside.

We hope all children will participate in this fun event. There will be prizes for the best-dressed crackers in key stage 1 and key stage 2.

All crackers will be raffled at the school Christmas Fayre.

Please can all crackers be in school no later than Tuesday 1st December.



Upcoming Events:

Christmas Cracker Final Entry Date:
Tuesday 1st December 2015

PTA Non-Uniform – Bring-an-item:
Friday 4th December 2015

PTA Meeting:
Tuesday 8th December 2015 @ 9am

Infant Productions:
Tuesday 8th December 2015@ 1:45pm
and
Wednesday 9th December 2015@ 6:00pm

Christmas Fayre & XMAS Bake Off:
Thursday 10th Dec 2015 from 3:00 – 4:30pm

Festival of Carols:
Monday 14th December 2015 @ 6pm St Michael's Church
RAFC Cranwell

This Academic year:
Term 1 ends: - Thurs 17th December 2015
Term 3: Tuesday 5th January – Fri 12th February 2016
Term 4: Monday 22nd February – Wed 23rd March 2016
Term 5: Monday 11th April – Friday 27th May 2016
Term 6: Monday 6th June – Thursday 21st July 2016

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