



Friday 13 March

Red Nose Day Big Breakfast

On Friday 13th March 2015 you are all welcome to join us for another Big Breakfast to help support Red Nose Day. Doors will open at 8:15am and for £1 you can enjoy cereal, toast and fruit juice. I am sure you agree this is a very worthwhile cause and one we can support together. All of the family are welcome.

Children may wear non-uniform and make their "face funny for money". Ideas for what your child can do to decorate their face can be found on the official website at www.rednoseday.com

Parent Interviews

Parent Evenings will take place between the 23rd and 25th March 2015. You should have received letters with times available from the teachers of your child's class. The School Governors will be serving refreshments at the front of school and are available to answer any of your questions. The traditional Bookfair will be available within the hall for children to purchase books.

Road Safety

Can we please all take a little more care driving in and around the school area. It has been brought to my notice that this morning an accident was narrowly avoided on the junction of Cherry Tree Crescent. Parking in and around school is often congested at drop off and collection times, as are most schools around England. It was interesting to see on 'Look North' News last night that the County Council is considering implementing a CCTV camera system to monitor parking around school neighborhoods.

I plea to all parents of our school, that you are always considerate where you park when dropping off and collecting your child. Yes, you may think you are parked sensibly and your car is not in the way or 'not harming anyone' where it is, but can children cross safely where you have parked? Will your car make it difficult for other cars to get past?

As I have often stressed in past newsletters, please spare a thought for all the local residents living around the school perimeter, especially in Cherry Tree Crescent and Baghdad Road, Delhi Square and the Spar Car Park.

Please can we show full consideration and ensure we do not park on, or obstruct any driveways or paths.

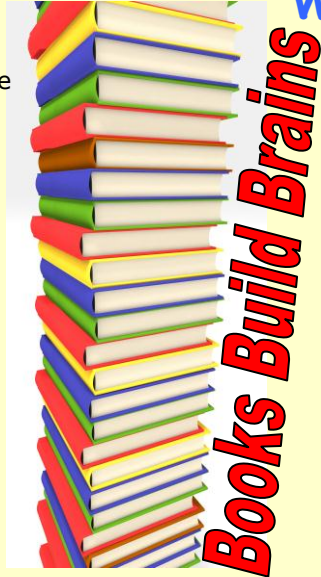
School are aware of Lincolnshire Police's increase in visits to these areas and warning parents they are issuing tickets where appropriate. The Police are also considering implementation of a 'Name and Shame' system whereby photographs of inconsiderate parking will be publicised and tickets issued.

Many thanks for helping to respect our neighbours.

Cranwell Primary School

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World Book Day



On Friday 6th March the school celebrated World Book Day with us by dressing up as their favourite book character. The children had a brilliant day and in many classes enjoyed finding out about famous authors. Thank you for your continued support!!

The children in F2L enjoyed activities based around storybooks on Friday. Mr Nicholls organised a day all about books! They read dinosaur words out of a bucket for 'Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs', completed a repeating pattern elephant for Elmer, wrote a picnic list for the Teddy Bears and designed underpants for the Aliens In Underpants story! They also enjoyed listening to lots of stories. Ruby (4) said; "I liked writing my picnic list best because I like writing!" Benjamin (4) "I liked dressing up as a dinosaur . I love dinosaurs and the story Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs."

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Performance Poetry

We are very lucky to have David Mason visiting our school on Wednesday 18th March 2015. David is a performance poet and will be treating the children in KS1 and KS2 to some live performance poetry. This will then support their poetry work back in the classroom. 5/6H and 5/6B will be working with him to complete some drama work and then a descriptive piece. David has written over 25 books, ranging in price from £6 to £7. Should you wish to send your child with any money to purchase this book, please feel free to do so, however, there is no obligation to do so.

Rugby Success

On Tuesday 10th March a team of children attended a Tag Rugby competition at Carres Grammar School. Monty Brown, Joshua Simpson, Jamie Quick, Jake Hobster, Marcus Wildblood, Chloe Errington, Cerys Batt and Sam Bullement displayed some excellent skills and team work. The team were



fortunate to have support from Mr Greg Brown (Monty's Dad!) who gave coaching advice and skills progression. The team played six games in their pool and remained undefeated throughout. In the semi-finals a very tight match saw the team's first defeat where the game ended 1-0 to Claypole, who were the eventual winners of the tournament. They then had a play off for third place and again this was a very tight match. Luckily the team displayed their team spirit and determination to win this important match. Well done to the Team!!

Disco

The PTA Spring Fling Discos have been arranged for Thursday 19th March. See opposite for timings. The PTA will be sending out details about the event shortly. Apologies for the incorrect date sent out on the last newsletter.

Primeval Primary by Matthew Green 5/6H

Please find below an excellent report written by Matthew Green 5/6H as part of a homework piece.

Yesterday Evening, a startling discovery was made at Cranwell primary school. During the current construction works to build new classrooms it appears that dinosaur bones have been discovered!



The construction workers from the firm "Bodgeit & Scarper" made the discovery when digging foundations for the new classrooms. Nick Briggs, site manager (age 36) stated "I hit something hard but I wasn't expecting this"

The bones have now been formally identified as belonging to the colossal Tyrannosaurs Rex. Head teacher Mr Wilson said that, "I've been working here 10 years and I've never ever seen anything like this." The digger driver, Sean Mc Gregor said that he'd thought he'd hit a pipe but when he took a closer look he realised that it was the right leg of a T-Rex. It was later identified by a museum in Lincoln as a T-Rex Leg Femur.

Construction Work has been suspended while archaeologists investigate the area further. Mr Wilson said He hoped work would start again sometime in the future.

Helping One Another

Hi, last week class 5/6B went outside with their reading partners F2S. They taught them how to throw and catch a ball accurately and also how to skip using a skipping rope. The children really enjoyed helping their Reading Partners learn and improve on their skills.



Dates:

Red Nose Day – Big Breakfast:

Friday 13th March 2015:

Spring Fling Disco:

Thursday 19th March 2015:

Foundation and Key Stage 1: 3:15 – 4pm:

Key Stage 2: 4:15pm – 5:15pm:

Parent Interviews:

Monday 23rd - Wednesday 25th March 2015:

PTA Meeting:

Tuesday 21st April 2015 @ 9:30 am in School:

Thurston Outdoor Adventure Residential Trip:

Monday 27th April – Friday 1st May 2015:

Parent's Afternoon:

Thursday 21st May 2015:

Grandparent's Day:

Friday 22nd May 2015:

This Academic year:

Term 4 ends – Thurs 26th March 2015:

Term 5: Monday 13th April – Friday 22nd May 2015:

Term 6: Monday 1st June – Wednesday 22nd July 2015:

Next Academic year:

Term 1: Thurs 3rd September – Thurs 22nd October 2015:

Term 2: Mon 2nd November – 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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