



Cranwell Primary School

Newsletter

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Term 6
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KS2 Sports' Day

Key Stage Two Sports' Day
Thursday 13th July @ 9:45am



Final Assembly

Parents of children in Year 6 are welcome to join us for our final assembly on Wednesday 19th July at 13:30. Doors will open from 13:15.

In the past, parents have organised certain surprises on the last day for the Year Six children leaving Cranwell, before moving to secondary school. Please note, this arrangement is not organised by the School or the PTA, and is normally organised by those parents wishing to participate. If parents do organise any vehicles (limo etc) please can you let the school office know, so that we can arrange parking facilities if required. Many thanks.

Stars in their Eyes

Parents of children in Year 6 are welcome to join us for 'Stars in their Eyes' assembly on Tuesday 18th July at 13:15.

Sun Protection

Don't forget to apply sun cream to your child before school and send them to school with sun hats and a water bottle. Water bottles and sun hats are available from the school office.

Visual Literacy

In 5B's visual literacy we have been looking at the book Flotsam, where we saw some unusual underwater creatures. We then designed and made our own mythical underwater creature. We made them out of salt dough and waited for them to dry (which took a long time). When they did dry, we painted them with some fantastic colours. We had a special visitor in the classroom (Professor Stratford) who invited us to write encyclopaedia entries for our new creatures so we all became professors! The reason why I enjoyed this lesson so much was because we got the chance to make our own animal, design a habitat for it and make up everything about that animal using our imagination during visual literacy week.

By Olivia Barrett Class 5B

Flag Raising



On Monday 19th June, Leah, Grace and Amie represented the School to commemorate Armed Forces Day celebrations at North Kesteven Council Office's flag raising ceremony, giving us an opportunity to show our support for the men and women who make up the Armed Forces Community, past, present and future. A trumpeter, military representation, local dignitaries and Members of the Council were present. The girls also joined a combined choir with local schools, singing together to mark the occasion.

Mathletics

Mathletes of the week were:

- 1st Jessica Stanley (2120)
- 2nd Matthew Docherty (1580)
- 3rd Jack Baldrey (1540)

KS1 / FS : 2/3 CO (12038)
KS2: 5B (3907)



School BBQ

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our school annual BBQ this week. The event was a great success and hopefully enjoyed by all. Thank you to the members of the PTA and members of staff for organising the event.



Leaving or Posted?

To help us plan for new admissions we would appreciate it if you could let us know if your child/children will be leaving Cranwell Primary School during the Summer term. Many thanks!

Frozen Fridays

The PTA will be holding 'Frozen Friday' selling ice creams each Friday after school - weather permitting.

Bike Sheds

Can we please request that parents ensure that children are not running in and around the bicycle sheds. Please note, any loss, damage or theft of bikes and scooters in the sheds are not the responsibility of the School, but we do request all parents help in ensuring accidents do not happen within this area.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Road Safety

Please take a little more care driving in and around the school area. Parking in and around school is often congested at drop off and collection times, as are most schools around England. I plea to all parents of our school, that you always consider 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?

Please also spare a thought for all the local residents living around the school perimeter, especially in Cherry Tree Crescent, 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 visits to these areas and are warning parents they are issuing tickets where appropriate. Many thanks for helping to respect our neighbours.

Planned Works

We are delighted to announce that in the next couple of weeks, work will begin on revamping the front entrance area and the school office.

As a result, the school office will be temporarily moving next to the entrance for the 'Before and After School Club'. We understand that this is not the friendliest and easiest access to the school office, but is the only place that will still remain secure for the children of our school. Children and parents will still be able to access both playgrounds through the normal route, however, this may be restricted. This will only be for the last 3 weeks of the Summer Term and the first few weeks of the Autumn Term, by which, the project will hopefully be completed. We appreciate your patience and understanding during this time, and apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Classes for September 2017

As normal procedure, we are unable to predict exactly whose class your child/children will be in for the next academic year. A decision cannot be made until September, when all children return to school, along with the new intake children who enter the school in different year groups. As with every year this is something we cannot foresee as admission forms are even received on the first training day in September. This then means a reshuffle of some of the class lists to accommodate these children. Staff are unaware of who will be in their classes and will receive their class lists, as usual, in September. More information will be issued concerning the first day back towards the end of term. I'm sure we have your understanding concerning this matter.

Music Tuition

Are you interested in Music Tuition from September? We will have spaces for Brass (Cornet, Trombone, Baritone, Euphonium) Woodwind (Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone) Strings (Violin, Viola, Cello, Guitar), Drums and Singing. Anyone wanting to pop in to chat to the music teachers or organise a taster session can do so by getting in touch with the school office.

Upcoming Events:

Key Stage One & Foundation Stage Sports' Day
Friday 30th June 2017 @ 1:15pm

Key Stage Two Sports' Day
Tuesday 27th June 2017 @ 1:15pm

Whole School Picnic
Friday 14th July 2017

Stars in their Eyes Year 6
Tuesday 18th July 2017 at 13:15

Year 6 Final Assembly
Wednesday 19th July 2017 at 13:30

This Academic year:
Term 6 ends: Wednesday 19th July 2017

Academic Year 2017-2018:
Term 1 Tuesday 5th September – Friday 20th Oct 2017
Term 2: Tuesday 31st Oct – Tuesday 19th Dec 2017
Term 3: Wed 3rd January – Fri 9th Feb 2018
Term 4: Mon 19th Feb – Wed 28th Mar 2018
Term 5 : Monday 16th Apr – Friday 25th May 2018
Term 6 : Mon 4th Jun – Friday 20th July 2018

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