

Cranwell Primary School

Newsletter

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Safety Big Breakfast

Come and join us at our next Big Breakfast on Friday 21st October in the school hall to mark the start of our Safety Day. The doors open at 8:15am and we look forward to enjoying breakfast together at the usual cost of £1 per person. All profits will go towards the Lincolnshire Air Ambulance. Remember...bring the whole family!! We will also be attempting to cover the Air Ambulance with loose change, so please bring some to help us reach our goal. Thank you!!



Harvest Celebrations

I received a lovely letter of thanks from St Andrew's Church thanking all children and parents for their support towards this year's harvest festival. Here are pictures of some of the children's work on display at the church.



Parent Evenings

Parent Evenings have been arranged for the week beginning 17th October 2016. The School Governors will be in school while Parent Interviews take place, providing refreshments and answering any questions you may have.

The traditional Bookfair will be available while Parent Interviews are taking place. The stalls will be displayed in the school hall for children to purchase books. The children will also have the opportunity during the week to visit the Bookfair with their class.

Stick Insect Fun

Year one thoroughly enjoyed their visit from William Matheson and his friendly stick insects. During our science lesson William told us how to care for stick insects and then explained their life cycle.

Great fun was had by all !

By William

New Equipment

A huge THANK YOU to everybody who raised sponsorship money on our school fitness day, during the Summer term. Former Olympic swimmer Joe Roebuck visited us to lead fitness sessions and talk about how sport has influenced his life. The whole school enjoyed being put through their paces and we were recently able to purchase lots of new equipment; including discus, shot puts and a rhythmic gymnastics set. These pictures show class 2/3CO enjoying the new gymnastics equipment.

Mrs Jill Owen



Construction Event

On the 29th of September all of the year 6 went to the construction event in the Lincolnshire show ground. We went to experience other jobs people do! e.g. joinery, line marking, mini diggers. The army were also there with their six man bike. Most of the year 6 said they would like to have a construction job when there older.

By Ben Doll and Alfie Greenway



Flag Fen

On Tuesday 27th September classes 5B, 5/6B and 5/6H went on a school trip to Flag Fen. Flag Fen is an archaeological site about the Bronze Age in Peterborough. At first we had to go through some safety rules then we got put into groups. Each group did some experimenting with clay and had a tour round Flag Fen. We even got to go in a Bronze Age Roundhouse! Sadly the trip ended but we all still had great fun!

By Freya Nicol



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Is your child starting school in September 2017?

Cranwell Primary School's Foundation Stage is holding an open morning on

10th November 2016
Drop in anytime between
9:30am - 11:30am



for parents and children to come and look around and meet the Foundation Stage Team



Christmas Fayre

Preparations for our Christmas Fayre are well underway. The date is Thursday 1st December 2016 between 15:15 and 16:30. If you wish to site a stall, please contact the Chair of the PTA, Mrs Karen Newton via the School Office.

Cold Weather

Please can you ensure all children are sent in with coats or fleeces now the weather is turning colder. Classes often work outside, supporting the Government's targets to promote outdoor learning. Therefore, along with playtimes, your child may be spending additional time outside.



Upcoming Events:

Autumn Discos:

Thursday 13th October 2016:
Key Stage One : 15:00 - 15:45
Key Stage Two : 16:00 - 17:00

Parent Interviews:

Week beginning 17th October 2016

Safety Day & Big Breakfast:

Friday 21st October 2016

Next PTA Meeting:

Tuesday 8th November 2016 at 9.10am

Open Morning for 2017 Starters:

Thursday 10th November 2016:
09:30 - 11:30am

Children in Need:

Friday 18th November 2016

PTA Bring a Tombola Prize - Non-uniform Day:

Friday 25th November 2016

Parent's E-Safety Training:

Tuesday 29th November 2016 at 3:15pm

Christmas Fayre:

Thursday 1st December 2016 from 15:15 to 16:30

This Academic year:

Term 1 ends - Friday 21st Oct 2016
Term 2: Tuesday 1st Nov - Tuesday 20th Dec 2016
Term 3: Wed 4th January - Fri 10th Feb 2017
Term 4: Mon 20th Feb - Fri 31st Mar 2017
Term 5 : Tuesday 18th Apr - Friday 26th May 2017
Term 6 : Mon 5th Jun - Wednesday 19th July 2017

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Festival of Carols

On Monday 12th December 2016 classes 5/6H, 5/6B, 5B, 4P, 3/4H, 3P and 2/3CO will be celebrating together at St Michael's Church, RAFC Cranwell. There will be a service, along with a short drama extract, celebrating Christmas. **The service will begin at 18:00, and we welcome parents who wish to join us for the occasion.** More details will be sent out after half-term.

No Smoking

We are a smoke free school. Please can all parents respect our **NO SMOKING** policy by ensuring we do not smoke when on school property. Our School property includes the school drive and parent waiting area, and parents should not be smoking in these areas. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Sneezes and Sniffles

We would like to thank all parents for any donations of boxes of tissues received they are very handy for this time of year - donations are greatly received.

E-Safety

We have arranged a free E-Safety workshop available for all parents which will take place on Tuesday 29th November 2016 at 3:15pm. You should have received a letter with a slip which needs to be returned to school. Please can all parents return the slip even if you do not wish to attend. Many thanks.

Thank you for your continued support.
Mr Chris Wilson
Headteacher