

A big thank you for supporting the Cake sale, by donating and buying cakes. £164.00 was raised, made up to £200 with staff donations. Thank you!!

# Cranwell Primary School Newsletter

# Safety Big Breakfast

Come and join us at our next Big Breakfast on Friday 18th 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. Remember...bring the whole family!!

# Dogs

Please can you take notice of the 'No Dogs' signs which are displayed at all entrances to the school property. If you are a dog owner, please ensure our pathways are kept clean of dog excrements, preventing upset of having to clean the mess off shoes. This is clearly a health and safety issue to all children within the school. Many thanks for your consideration in this matter.

Please note, dogs are not permitted on the school grounds, including the drive and the parent waiting area.

### Cold Weather

Please can you ensure all children are sent in to school 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.

# Parent Evenings

Parent Evenings have been arranged for the week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> October 2019. If you have not received a time slot, please contact your child's class teacher. The School Governors will be in school while Parent Interviews take place, providing refreshments and answering any questions you may have.

A Bookfair will be available while Parent Interviews are taking place. The stalls will be displayed in the school hall for children to purchase books.

## PE Kit Reminder

All children should have a named P.E. Kit of plimsolls, trainers, dark coloured shorts/leggings and a **white** t-shirt. Infant children unable to fasten laces should be provided with slip-on plimsolls, these should be kept in a bag in the cloakroom. For children in KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6) warmer clothes are required:

- Tracksuit / Jogging bottoms / Jumper, especially for the cooler months during terms 1, 2, 3 and 4 as some PE lessons will be conducted outside
- No jewellery to be worn at any time. All earrings must be removed prior to P.E lessons as members of staff may not touch/remove them
- No football or rugby shirts may be worn as an item of P.E kit
- No tight vest tops may be worn
- No hot pants/revealing shorts may be worn

Thank you for your support in this matter.

## PTA

Thank you to all the parents and staff who came along to the PTA meeting on 24th September. It was lovely to see so many new faces. We are very excited for the year ahead.

This term we have the following events planned:

- Collection of foreign coins. Please bring any spare foreign money to school, there will be a bucket in the fover.
- Toasty Tuesdays every Tuesday. This can only run with the help of volunteers, if you are able to join our rota and help out every so often please leave a message with the office.
- 29th October next PTA meeting. All welcome.
- 6th November Autumn Disco. Letter to follow shortly.
- 12th December Christmas Fayre. More details to follow.

Thank you, your PTA team.











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## **Mathletics**

Mathletes of the week winners:

#### Week ending 15th September 2019

- 1 Maddie Haynes (4220)
- 2 Sophia Caswell (3630)
- 3 Akira Wilson (2918)

KS1 - 1MS (11,664) KS2 - 5B (25,353)

#### Week ending 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019

- 1 Maddie Haynes (5050)
- 2 Sophia Caswell (3420)
- 3 Ruby Hart = (2856)

KS1 - 2C = (11491)KS2 - 3CO = (13166)

#### Week ending 29th September 2019

- 1 Adam Abdallah (4080)
- 2 Alexander Page (3310)
- 3 Oliver Kitt (2824)

KS1 - 2C = (17,292)KS2 - 5B = (17,931)

#### Week ending 6th October 2019

- 1 Sophia Caswell (3230)
- 2 Maddie Haynes (3010)

3 - Marcelina Roj (2610) KS1 - 1MS = (11,923) KS2 - 4/5N = (15,370)

# **Aviation Centre**

Yesterday class 6H went to the Cranwell Aviation Heritage Centre. We looked at the four forces of how a plane flies (lift, drag, weight thrust). After that we made paper aeroplane's and tested who would get the furthest. We then looked at the Jet Provost, which was a plane that was used for training people how to fly. After lunch we dressed up and did a play! It was about a German spy. Then we looked around the exhibit which had interactive boards, a simulator, displays and a real life cock pit of a plane called the vampire! By Caedan Parr 6h









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## Headlice

We have had a number of cases of head lice reported by parents. Please see the link below to help prevent and treat.

http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Introduction.aspx

#### Christmas Card

# Design Competition

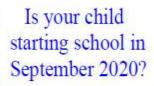
Once again, our local MP, Dr Caroline Johnson, is running a Christmas Card Design Competition. The winner will have their design used on the front of her Christmas card this year, with the runners-up displayed on the back.

The competition is open to any child attending a primary school in her constituency. Designs must be no larger than A4, with no glitter or 3D materials used. Please send original artwork (with your child's name, age, year group and school on the back of the design) to:

Dr Caroline Johnson MP House of Commons London SW1A 0AA

Entries must be received by Dr Caroline Johnson by no later than 1<sup>st</sup> November 2019, with the winner announced on 11<sup>th</sup> November 2019.

# Cranwell **Primary** School





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

> 11th October 2019 Drop in anytime between 9:30am - 11:00am





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

# Road Safety

Can we please all 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 ask all parents that you always consider where you park when dropping off and collecting your children. 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 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's visits to these areas and are warning parents they are issuing tickets where appropriate. Many thanks for helping to respect our neighbours. For BASC Parents:

Currently, due to NKDC Planning Permission Conditions, access to Baghdad Road outside the hours of 08:30 to 0915 and 14:45 to 15:30 is prohibited. The School Governors have contacted NKDC in an attempt to open the gates for longer periods, however, in the meantime, please take care when turning vehicles to exit the driveway. Thank you for your understanding with this matter.

# PTA providing Toast

Toast will be available on Tuesday break times for all children at 20p a slice.

Please send any money in a purse or named and sealed envelope to avoid any confusion.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Parent and Teacher Association (PTA) Next Meeting Tuesday 29th October 2019 Meet at 9am

Parent Interviews:

Monday 14th - Wednesday 16th October 2019

Safety Day including Big Breakfast Friday 18th October 2019

#### This Academic year: 2019-2020

Term 1 ends - Friday 18th Oct 2019 Term 2: Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> Oct – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Dec 2019 Term 3: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Feb 2020 Term 4: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb – Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> Apr 2020 Term 5 : Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Apr – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020 Term 6 : Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> Jun – Tues 21<sup>st</sup> July 2020

#### Academic Year 2020-2021

Term 1 Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 2020 Term 2: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov – Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec 2020 Term 3: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021 Term 4: Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb – Wed 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021 Term 5 : Monday 19<sup>th</sup> Apr – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021 Term 6 : Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Jun – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2021

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