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Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

From all of the staff and governors of the school, we wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New year.

Thank You!

Thank you for your donations towards the many charities we have collected for this term. By wearing a poppy, the children and staff in the school were able to recognise the sacrifices made by the Armed Forces community, past and present, raising £253. Children in Need raised a whopping £353.

The NSPCC Big Breakfast raised a fantastic £270.

£266 was raised at the Festival of Carols last week. This was donated to Andy's Children's Hospice, which offers free palliative care to children and young people in Lincolnshire from birth to the age of 25 with any progressive life-limiting illness. School captains Lucas Denham and Harriett Stratford presented the cheque to staff members at the Sleaford Branch last week.

The Christmas Fayre was a great success. £2171.24 was raised at the event. I would like to take the opportunity to thank all parents, grandparents and children who attended, and a big thank you to the dedicated members of the PTA. Mrs Karen Newton and her team worked extremely hard for many weeks during the build up to the event. Well done!!!

The next PTA meeting will take place at 14:00 on Friday 12th January 2018

Well done to all of the children who entered the Christmas Cracker competition.



Congratulations to the winners:

Connie Huesken, Lilly Taylor, Georgia Lister, Elissa Chambers, Hattie Newton, William Matheson, Jack Simpson, Georgia Kelly, Jakob Grun and Ellie Thornton



Carol Service and Infant Nativity



Thank you to all of the families who joined us for our Festival of Carols. I am sure that you all enjoyed the service, and I would like to congratulate the children on putting together such a fantastic performance. Well done to the Infant

classes for their productions of 'Angel Express'. I am sure you all enjoyed the fantastic singing from the children as much as I did! Well done to all!!













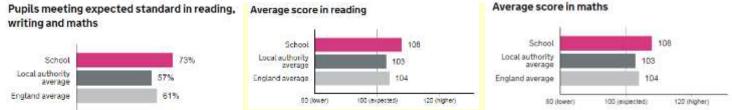




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Fantastic SATs Results Show School to be at the Top!

Once again, everyone at Cranwell Primary School is delighted that the hard work of our pupils and teachers has been rewarded with such an outstanding set of results. The data shows, that compared to the National and Local figures our children performed significantly better across all subjects. The results place the school in the top seven schools in Lincolnshire.



Phonics

94% of our children reached the required Phonics score in Year 1 compared to 82% Nationally.

By the end of Key Stage 2

81% of our children reached the expected standard in Year 6 for Reading compared to 68.5% Locally and 71.5% Nationally. 78% of our children reached the expected standard in Year 6 for SPAG compared to 73.1% Locally and 76.9% Nationally. 86% of our children reached the expected standard in Year 6 for Mathematics compared to 70.3% Locally and 74.9% Nationally. 86% of our children reached the expected standard in Year 6 for Writing compared to 72.8% Locally and 76.3% Nationally.

Mathletics

Mathlete of the week winners: Week ending 10th December Top child = Alex McConnell (4180) Top KS2 = Kaitlin Roberts (2940) Top KS1 / FS = Owen Wright (2436) Top Classes: KS1/FS 1/2MM (9033) KS2 4P (23646)

Week ending 17th December Top child = Alex McConnell (2982) Top Classes: KS1/FS FSL (1315) KS2 4P (4912)

Well Done Leo!

The online admissions system is

would like to apply for a

September 2018.

available for parents and carers who

Reception/Foundation Stage place.

Children who are born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August

2014 are due to start Reception in

Well done to Leo Faik (Class 2/3CO) who finished runner up in Dr Caroline Johnson's Christmas Card competition. Leo was presented his prizes by the Conservative MP for Sleaford & North Hykeham. Leo's design is found on Dr Caroline Johnson's Christmas card which is even sent to the Prime Minister! Well done Leo!!

Starting School in 2018?

Is your child starting school in September 2018? Visit www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/parents/schools/school-admissions to apply for a place.



Upcoming Events

Return to School Wednesday 3rd January 2018

Next PTA Meeting Friday 12th January 2018 @ 14:00 in School

This Academic year:

Term 2 ends: Tuesday 19th Dec 2017 Term 3: Wednesday 3rd January – Friday 9th Feb 2018 Term 4: Monday 19th Feb – Wed 28th March 2018 Term 5 : Monday 16th Apr – Friday 25th May 2018 Term 6 : Monday 4th Jun – Friday 20th July 2018

Academic Year 2018-2019

Term 1 Tuesday 4th September – Friday 19th Oct 2018 Term 2: Tuesday 30th Oct – Tuesday 20th Dec 2018 Term 3: Wed 7th January – Fri 15th Feb 2019 Term 4: Mon 25th Feb – Fri 5th Apr 2019 Term 5 : Tuesday 23rd Apr – Friday 24th May 2019 Term 6 : Mon 3rd Jun – Friday 19th July 2019

Telephone 01400 261271 E-mail <u>enquiries@cranwell.lincs.sch.uk</u> or visit

www.cranwell.lincs.sch.uk

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. 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 parent waiting area.

Thank You

Can I ask you 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.