





**Cranmere Primary School and Nursery**  
**Headteacher's Newsletter Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018**  
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Dear Parents and Carers,  
 Last Saturday the 'Beast from the East' weather conditions did its best to cause disruption to the Esher District Cross Country Championship at West End Common in Esher but I am pleased to say that it did not work! Our children, staff and families were fabulous despite the bitterly cold wind and snow. **Annabel** gained a fantastic 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the Year 4 girl's race which is a super achievement. Many of our children achieved results in the top ten and within the top 20. All of our children did very well in each of their races and overall out of the fifteen schools participating, we came 7<sup>th</sup> which we are really pleased to have achieved. My thanks to Miss Wood, Mrs L Gunasekara & Miss Brand for their hard work in organising and training the children for the event. I would also like to thank all parents for bringing their children out and supporting the teams on such a cold day. Despite the weather it was a very exciting event with a good outcome for Cranmere. A huge WELL DONE to: **Annabel, Eva, Mille, Amelia, Teddy, Ollie, Max & Matthew (Year 4), Ava, Niamh, Kristiana, Lexie, James, Charlie, Jude & William (Year 5), Michaela, Zara, Izzy, Sophia, Ollie, Daniel, Ozzy & Oscar (Year 6)**. You were all truly amazing! Wishing you all a pleasant and much warmer weekend than last week. Kind regards, Kathie Daniels

Resilience	Resourcefulness	Respectful	Reflective	Responsible	Reasoning
<b>6Rs were awarded to:</b>					
<b>Strawberries:</b>	<b>Harrison</b>		<b>Ladybirds:</b>	<b>William</b>	
<b>Tigers:</b>	<b>Benjamin</b>	<b>Pumpkins:</b>	<b>Grace</b>	<b>Goldfish:</b>	<b>Adriana</b>
<b>Sunflowers:</b>	<b>Adam</b>		<b>Buttercups:</b>	<b>Lily</b>	
<b>Parakeets:</b>	<b>Charley</b>		<b>Turtles:</b>	<b>Frankie</b>	
<b>Dolphins:</b>	<b>Emily</b>		<b>Bluebirds:</b>	<b>Millie</b>	
<b>Swallows:</b>	<b>Ollie</b>		<b>Oceans:</b>	<b>Cassie</b>	
<b>Emperors:</b>	<b>Whole Class!</b>		<b>Amethysts:</b>	<b>Whole Class!</b>	

 Lunchtime Golden Book awards this week went to: **Evan (Ladybirds), Mason (Strawberries), Milo (Pumpkins), Edward (Buttercups), Bea (Sunflowers), Maheen (Turtles), Millie (Bluebirds), Ziad (Dolphins), Sam (Swallows) and Nicole (Amethysts)**,

**Emperors** are our attendance winners this week. Well done!

 A **Headteacher award** was presented this week to **Kallum (Bluebirds)**. Very well done!

**Hampton** collected the most House Points in March. Their reward is a mufti day. All children in **Hampton** house may come to school in mufti on the last Friday of April (Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April).

**Decorate an Egg Competition Reminder**  
 Don't forget to bring in decorated eggs on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March. A prize will be awarded to the winner in each class.

**Another win!**  
 Tuesday 21st March Cranmere A and B team played against St Lawrence at home. Once again both squads fought hard throughout. The B team stormed to victory from the start winning with an impressive 8 - 0. Many of the A team stepped into play in the B squad and all played giving 100% throughout. The final score for the A Team was 0-10. Once again the squad were excellent representatives for our school. We are very proud of them all.

Term dates for the next academic year are now available on our website.

**Letters sent home this week:**

- Easter Dodgeball club being run at Cranmere over the holiday



Wow, where has this term gone, just a few more days to go!

Before we finish up for Easter, some of the year groups will be performing their end of term productions. We still need helpers to serve refreshments for the year 3 and 4 production on Tuesday March 27th 5-6.30pm, please let us know if you are able to help.

Hopefully you have received your T-Towel order this week. If not they will be with you via book bags shortly. We think they look great so hope you are pleased with them. We have a few spares for each year group, so if you missed out on the pre-order and would like to buy some, please email [cranmerefriends@hotmail.com](mailto:cranmerefriends@hotmail.com), £3.50 each or 3 for £10.

#### Upcoming Dates/Events:

Clothes Aid Collection - **Friday 20th April** - a chance to get rid of your unwanted clothes/shoes/books and help raise money for the school at the same time! Charity bags to follow in book bags next week.

Cranmere Party - **Saturday 28th April** - £15 a ticket to include, welcome drink, buffet and DJ. Colets Health Club- Thames Ditton, 8pm til late. Payment via the office or online, using reference Surname/Party. Please send us an email to confirm your payment online at [cranmerefriends@hotmail.com](mailto:cranmerefriends@hotmail.com) and we will send you an eticket.

**Saturday 16th June:** Cranmere Summer Fair, Seaside theme (hopefully accompanied by seaside weather!), come along for lots of fun :-)

#### Congratulations!

Congratulations to Oliver on winning 'Your School Lottery'. Please sign up at [yourschoollottery.co.uk](http://yourschoollottery.co.uk)<<http://yourschoollottery.co.uk/>> for your chance to win, just £1 a week.

#### Did you know?

We have 2 Mufti days coming up in the next half term in exchange for a small donation to Friends:

St George's Day Mufti - **Monday 23rd April** - children to dress in red / white / dragon outfits.

Royal themed Mufti - **Friday 18th May** - in honour of the Royal Wedding.

Have a great Easter break!

Cranmere Friends

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## DATES for your Diary 2017-2018

NB. Dates added since last newsletter are in **bold**

<b>SPRING TERM 2018</b>	
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Reception Parents Phonics Drop in session 11.00 - 11.30am (1 <sup>st</sup> Session)
	NSPCC Visiting School
	Year 3 & 4 Production Dress Rehearsal 2pm
Tue 27 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Y6 WWF Woking
	Reception Parents Phonics Drop in session 11.00 - 11.30am (2 <sup>nd</sup> Session)
	Year 3 & 4 Production 6pm
Wed 28 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Reception Parents Phonics Drop in session 11.00 - 11.30am (3 <sup>rd</sup> Session)
Thurs 29 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Easter Egg Theme Competition
	End of Spring Term - Nursery closes at 1.45pm & main school at 2.00pm
<b>SUMMER TERM 2018</b>	
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Children return to school
Weds 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Road Safety Training 9am until 10.00am. All Parents welcome.
<b>Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Hindleap Residential Meeting for Y4 Parents 2.45pm</b>
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> April	Clothes Aid Collection
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	St. George's Day - Dress as a dragon competition or wear red/white (for a donation to Friends)
<b>Fri 27<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Hampton mufti day (March house point winners)</b>
Sat 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Cranmere Friends Party 8pm to late at Colets
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> May	BANK HOLIDAY - School closed for the day
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> - Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATS
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Royal Wedding - Dress as a king/prince/queen or princess for the day (for donation to Friends)
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup> - Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Y4 to Hindleap Warren 7.30am departure (further details to follow)
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup> May	INSET Day - Staff only to attend
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> May - Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> June	HALF TERM
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 to Isle of Wight
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception to Ladyland Farm
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Cranmere Summer Fair 12-3pm
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Junior Citizen
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Y1 to Wisley
Weds 27 <sup>th</sup> June	International Sunglasses Day - wear sunglasses to school for donation to Sight For Surrey
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 to Clapham Magistrates Court
<b>Fri 6<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Sports Day. Further details to follow.</b>
<b>Mon 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>KS1 Production - pm performance</b>
<b>Tues 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>KS1 Production - am performance</b>
<b>Mon 16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>KS2 Production - pm performance</b>
<b>Tues 17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>KS2 Production - am performance</b>
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Summer Term
<b>AUTUMN TERM 2018</b>	
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> September	Inset Day
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> September	Children return to school