



Cranmere Primary School and Nursery
Headteacher's Newsletter Friday 8th June 2018
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Dear Parents and Carers,

Our children in Emperors and Amethysts classes have enjoyed a fantastic end of primary school residential trip to the Isle of Wight. They have been exceptional in their senses of adventure and spirit as well as being great ambassadors for Cranmere. My thanks to a wonderful staff team who supported them and joined in with great enthusiasm to ensure that the experience was a memorable one for everyone. Wishing all our families a lovely weekend.

Kind regards, Kathie Daniels

Resilience	Resourcefulness	Respectful	Reflective	Responsible	Reasoning
6Rs were awarded to:					
Strawberries:	Annabel	Ladybirds:		Aria-Star	
Tigers:	Elen	Pumpkins:	Sophie	Goldfish:	Zachary
Sunflowers:	Oscar	Buttercups:		Willow	
Parakeets:	Bianca	Turtles:		Ollie	
Dolphins:	Noah	Bluebirds:		Maddie	
Swallows:	Fergus	Oceans:		Cassie	
Emperors:	Away on residential		Amethysts:	Away on residential	

Lunchtime Golden Book Awards this week went to: Georgia (Ladybirds), Ada (Goldfish), Michael (Pumpkins), Carissa (Tigers), Mason (Buttercups), Joe (Sunflowers), Leila (Turtles), Sebastien (Bluebirds) and Kristiana (Swallows). Thank you for being wonderful during lunchtimes in our playground!

Strawberries are our **attendance winners** this week. Well done to you all!

Headteacher awards this week were presented to Ella (Tigers) and Aran and Cassie (Oceans). Congratulations to you all!

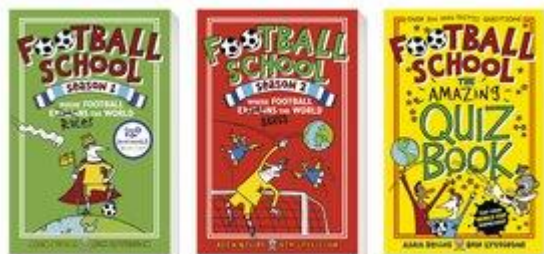
Ember collected the most house points in May. Their reward is a mufti day. All children in **Ember** (apart from those in **Y6** who will be on a trip) may come to school in mufti on Friday 29th June. Y6 must be in uniform.

Writing inspired by The Fifa World Cup 2018

To celebrate the forthcoming Fifa World cup in Russia, we would like to invite the children to take part in an exciting reading challenge to write about their favourite subject... but with a World Cup twist!

Taking inspiration from the factual, fascinating and funny lessons in Alex and Ben's Football School books, we would like to celebrate this Year's World Cup by challenging the children to create their very own Football School book! The project can be as big or as small as they would like to be, with the book containing a single lesson on a specific subject, or multiple lessons on a range of subjects. Some ideas are attached.

The children should be encouraged to think like journalists, statisticians, historians and explorers as they find out everything they can about the World Cup. What do they know about its history, the nation's taking part and their different cultures and traditions? What are the countries' national anthems and famous football chants? Which stars are they most excited to see play? Pupils should aspire to the same high writing standards Alex and Ben set in their books and think about how they can make their lessons look really exciting, with fun illustrations and surprising facts. We would like to encourage the children to send their writing into school to share. Everyone that takes part will receive a certificate.



History Day

This year has already seen plenty of incredible moments of female activism and empowerment. From the foundation of new movements and celebrations of important milestones (such as 100 years of the vote), there is no denying that 2018 is the Year of the Woman. So, in honour of this, we plan to have a **History Day**. Within classes, children will learn of the successes of influential women from past or present (particularly those in areas which are often 'gender stereotyped'). History Day will be on **Wednesday 20th June**.

The Elms are running another of their popular **holiday clubs** at Cranmere during the first two weeks of the Summer Holidays. The clubs run from 9am to 5pm on Monday to Thursday. Week 1 from 23rd July to 26th July. Week 2 from 30th July to 2nd August. You can book a half day, a full day or any number of sessions up to the full week. Early Bird and sibling discounts are available. Please see their website for more information or to book your place: www.elmsholidaycamps.co.uk

Lost property reminder

Please note that lost property is now stored in a plastic container outside Nursery. Recently we have noticed an increase in the number of unnamed items. It would help us greatly and get lost property returned to it's owner much quicker, if all items brought into school were clearly named (even if only with a biro). Many thanks.

Elmbridge Museum Family Fun Event - 'Awesome Anglo-Saxons'

Saturday 9th June - 2pm to 4.30pm

Thames Ditton Library, Mercer Close, KT7 OBS

Create your own Saxon inspired jewellery and find out about the Anglo-Saxons in Elmbridge.

Fee: £1.50 per child. Info at elmbridgemuseum.org.uk or call 01372 474568.

Letters sent home this week:

1. Y6 visit to Pizza Express
2. Cranmere Art Exhibition
3. Friends - Film Club



SUMMER FAIR SPECIAL!!

Lots of summer fair emails this week and next, mufti days, ticket/brochure sales, raffle tickets etc! Thought it was best to sum up on a simple list to make sure you don't miss anything:

Raffle Tickets - went home in book bags this week. Amazing list of prizes so be sure to return yours. £1 a ticket, £5 a strip, please write your name and contact number on the back and pop back to the office in an envelope with the correct money.

Friday 8th June - Mufti day in exchange for a **BOTTLE**.

Wed 13th & Thur 14th June - **Punch & Judy Show Tickets on sale, front gate, drop off and pick up, £1.50 a ticket, limited tickets available.**

Friday 15th June - Mufti day in exchange for '**GOOD AS NEW**' gift.

Saturday 16th June - Cranmere Summer Fair, not to be missed! Fair kicks off at 12pm and finishes at 3pm.

Brochure Sales - Who's up for a challenge? If you can help to sell Summer Fair Brochures please get in touch. There is a prize for the adult/child who makes the most sales!

We look forward to seeing everyone at the fair!

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Sally on winning 'Your School Lottery'. You've got to be in it, to win it! Sign up at yourschoollottery.co.uk

We are pleased to announce the winners of the artists creating amazing pieces for our Summer Fair Brochure:

Front Page: **Charlotte** (Buttercups)

Front Page Runners Up: **Scarlett** (Amethysts) and **Rufus** (Sunflowers)

Wordsearch 1: **Fergus** (Swallows)

Summer Wordsearch: **Lauren** (Amethysts)

Wordsearch 3: **Lexie** (Swallows)

Bonker Beachballs: **Charlie** (Bluebirds)

Spot the Difference: **Olivia** (Dolphins)

Well done to all of you! We were so impressed with all the art work we received and thank you to everyone who took time to create their masterpiece.

Many thanks,

Cranmere Friends

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DATES for your Diary 2017-2018

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

SUMMER TERM 2018

Mon 11 th June	Y2 Sea City Museum
	Y5 swimming
Wed 13th to Tues 19th June	Travelling Book Fair
Thurs 14 th June	Y6 (Emperors) to Pizza Express Esher
Fri 15 th June	Mufti day in exchange for a 'good as new' gift donation
	Reception to Ladyland Farm
Sat 16 th June	Cranmere Summer Fair 12-3pm
Mon 18 th June	Y6 Junior Citizen Walton Fire Station
	Y5 swimming (last one)
Wed 20th June	History Day
Fri 22 nd June	Y1 to Wisley
Mon 25 th June	Y5 to visit Juniper Hall
	Y2 Film Club
Tues 26th June	Y3-Y6 Film Club
Weds 27 th June	International Sunglasses Day - wear sunglasses to school for donation to Sight For Surrey. See attached leaflet.
Wed 27 th & Thurs 28 th June	Art gallery viewings
Thurs 28th June	Y4 World War 2 Workshop
Fri 29 th June	Y6 to Clapham Magistrates Court
	Ember mufti day (except Y6 due to their trip to the Magistrates Court)
	African workshops
Mon 2 nd July	Y1 Film Club
	Welcome meeting for new Reception parents 6-7pm
Tues 3 rd July	Y6 Induction Day at Esher High Secondary School
	Reception Film Club
Tues 3 rd & Wed 4 th July	Y6 Induction Day at Three Rivers Secondary School
Wed 4 th July	Y6 Induction Day at Hinchley Wood Secondary School
	Whole school Kidzfit Health & Fitness Workshop
Thurs 5 th July	District Sports
Fri 6 th July	Sports Day. Reception, Years 1 & 2 - 9.00am until 11.30am Years 3,4,5 & 6 - 1.00pm until 3.00pm Whole school results 3.05pm
Mon 9 th July	KS1 Production - 2.15pm to 3.15pm
Tues 10 th July	KS1 Production - 9.15am to 10.15am
Wed 11th July	New Reception children "Meet the Teacher" session one 10-11am

Thurs 12 th July	Y6 (Amethysts) to Pizza Express Esher
Fri 13 th July	Y4 Habitat Workshop
	New Reception children "Meet the Teacher" session two 1.30-2.30pm
Mon 16 th July	KS2 Production - 1.30pm to 3pm
Tues 17 th July	KS2 Production - 6pm to 7.30pm
Wed 18 th July	Nursery end of term celebration party 9am-Midday
Thurs 19 th July	Last Day for children: Nursery closes at 12.00 noon and rest of school at 2.00pm
Fri 20 th Jul	INSET - Staff only to attend
Mon 23 rd Jul	INSET - Staff only to attend
AUTUMN TERM 2018	
Tues 4 th Sept	Inset Day - Staff only to attend
Wed 5 th Sept	First day for children to return to school Reception children stay until 1.00pm - collect from school front gate Owls in Nursery 1 st day (12.15pm)
Thurs 6 th Sept	Reception children stay until 1.00pm - collect from school front gate
Friday 7 th Sept	Reception children stay until 1.00pm - collect from school front gate
Mon 10 th Sept	Reception children stay all day 1 st day for Puffins in Nursery
Sat 29 th Sept	Welcome Tea for New Starters to Cranmere 10.30 am until 12 noon Open morning for Prospective Parents 11.00 am
8th to 12th Oct	Y6 Bikeability
	Mon 22 nd Oct - Fri 26 th Oct HALF TERM
Mon 29 th Oct	INSET DAY - Staff only
Sat 1 st Dec	Cranmere Christmas Fair 12 noon until 3pm
Tues 18 th Dec	Last day of Autumn Term: Nursery closes at 1.45 and rest of school at 2.00pm
Wed 19 th Dec	INSET DAY - Staff only

Arts and crafts • Games • Multi-sports • Football

PICNIC ON THE GREEN

**LOWER GREEN
SATURDAY 14TH JULY
12:00 - 3:00PM**

**BRING A PICNIC AND A BLANKET
AND ENJOY AN AFTERNOON
OF FAMILY FUN**



**Lower Green Community Centre
Recreation Ground
Farm Road, Esher
KT10 8AU**



WE'RE TAKING PART IN...

27/06



NATIONAL
SUNGLASSES
DAY



READY?

