# Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News

 Together we learn and grow, beyond expectations, guided by our faith and values.

 This term our School Value is Compassion.

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### Children In Need

Thank you all for your support. We will be sending Children in Need at least £130.

# Christingle in Church: IMPORTANT INFO Please Read.

We are having a Christingle Service at Church starting at 2.15pm for 30 minutes.

This will be the finale to our Incarnation Day at school and children will be working in their House Groups. From 1.15pm we will be transporting children to church by bus. Please can ask for a **£2 contribution** to help cover costs.

We will stagger pick once again from Church as below. PLEASE DO NOT DRIVE ALL THE WAY TO CHURCH but use the layby and the car park (in at the first driveway and out through the second)

## Collection times

(Please let us know if there are issues with these slightly different times)

## Cley Hill: 3pm Longleat 3.10pm Shearwater 3.25pm Wylye 3.30pm

There are some spare spaces in Church if any parent would like to attend our Christingle Service. Apologies that we cannot offer this to all parents, but *please telephone if you would like to attend*. We may have to limit the numbers.

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Supporting Foodbank in the run up to Christmas. WARMINSTER FOODBANK

Thank-you, Weavers for your donations last week – it's never too late! Thatchers can donate next week; with POTTERS: w/b 28<sup>th</sup> November

Remember - packet cereals; tinned vegetables, meat, fish, soup, fruit or rice pudding; Tea bags, jars of coffee, UHT milk fruit juice (long life); Pasta sauces, pasta, savoury rice and jam; all toiletry/household items: toilet rolls, soap, shower gel, feminine hygiene products, kitchen rolls, nappies. Cleaning products. Plus, CHRISTMAS TREATS – chocolates/biscuits etc. PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL EDIBLE ITEMS ARE AT LEAST THREE MONTHS IN DATE.

If anyone is in need of a food support themselves during this time, please do email me.

**Naming Uniform** – We are still finding a huge amount of uniform, including coats, that are un-named. Hoodies, sweatshirts and coats are taken off frequently and in many different rooms during the day. If named, they are returned promptly to children. However, unnamed items cannot be and children are often anxious and obviously parents cross, if they cannot find sweaters and hoodies. PLEASE NAME EVERYTHING CLEARLY.

**Swimming** has finished for now. A new letter will follow confirming the next block, including a one-off lesson for KS2 children who have not been attending swimming. Thatchers and Potters children will swim in Term 5 and Term 6 respectively.

25m success swimming frontcrawl and backcrawl: Olly, Meredith, Bethany, Caiden, Megan, Orla, Wilfred. Please can I politely ask, that parents carefully consider their driving speed around the school lanes?

Mornings and afternoons are now quite dark so extra caution is needed. Both walkers and drivers need to be particularly cautious on Broadmead Lane.

Quiz night - Friday 18th November

There are a few tickets left if anyone would still like to come along. Telephone the office before 11am. **Christmas Wreath Making** - Thursday 1st December 7pm

Tickets also available from reception ( $\pounds$ 20) This will be a lovely evening with Christmas music, mulled wine and mince pies, and you'll make a beautiful Christmas wreath to take home!

November	December
1st EXTRA SWIM LESSON 1 of 3	1st Wreath Making
2 <sup>nd</sup> OPEN DAY for new parents Sept '23	5th Christingle Service at Church
8 <sup>th</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup> EXTRA SWIM Lesson 2/3 of 3	8 <sup>th</sup> Xmas Jumper Day
8 <sup>th</sup> Foresters STEAM Fair @Trowbridge	8 <sup>th</sup> Singing at Shearwater
18 <sup>th</sup> Friends Quiz	12 <sup>th</sup> Potters and Thatchers Nativity
22 <sup>nd</sup> Parents Evening 3-7pm	14 <sup>th</sup> Carol Concert KS2
23 <sup>rd</sup> Parents Evening 3-7pm	15 <sup>th</sup> Winter Walk
23 <sup>rd</sup> Flu Spray date	16 <sup>th</sup> Xmas Fair
30 <sup>th</sup> Second Hand Toy and Book Sale –	16 <sup>th</sup> End of Term - 2.10/2.20pm finish
fundraising for Foresters' Young Voices	

## RA PLAY! 219, 216, 190, 160

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Class highest scorers : William C, Blue, Isobel and Violet

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Potters, you have the Perseverance Acorn this week for continuing to give everything a go… and your skipping is really improving - Mrs Woodley

Thatchers, - Your class has been given the Compassion Acorn for encouraging one another as preparations start for the Nativity - Miss Brown and Mrs Rayner

Weavers, you have been awarded the Respect Acorn, for talking to each other and to staff with kindness and respect -Miss Brewer and Miss Sides

Foresters, you have been awarded the Trust Acorn for your sensible approach to learning while working with different adults and friends Mrs A and Miss Hedley

### Head Teacher Certificates: Going Above and Beyond this week!

Charlie for giving 100% in his learning this week.

Matilda – a super effort in all areas of learning.

Bethany for being such a supportive learning partner.

**Joseph** for striving towards targets.

Nathan for focused learning and enthusiasm in all lessons.

Jake for focused learning and enthusiasm in all lessons.

**Hugo PW** for brilliant listening and attention all week.

### Spirit of Crockerton Certificate: Demonstrating one of our Church School Values.

**Barny** - **Respect** – shown when working with others.

Blue – Perseverance – turning some tricky mornings into positive ones.

Ezra - Perseverance - to work independently.

**Rufus – Compassion** – helping his friends so kindly.

**Reading Bag** – enjoy the hot chocolate but return the bag on Monday please.

Anna – for being a great reading buddy.

Millie – for sharing stories with others so enthusiastically.

- Anya excellent line reading for her nativity.
- Albie fantastic reading all week.

#### Maths Achievement Award

Monty – encouraging others during maths.

Harry R – for his excellent work with addition and subtraction skills.

Jessica – excellent independent learning and problem solving.

Austin – rapid and effective problem solving within 8.

#### Presentation/Handwriting Certificate

Meredith taking care to present all work neatly.

**Seth** for beautifully joined handwriting in our curriculum book.

Molly – working neatly in all lessons.

Millie – beautiful handwriting this week.

Attendance: 95% or above is our target this year! Potters 99% Thatchers 99% Weavers 90% Foresters 98%

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