

Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News

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Supporting Foodbank in the run up to Christmas. WARMINSTER FOODBANK

We are sure that you will agree, that this year is going to be difficult for many people, therefore our support this Christmas is needed even more. Once again, the children of Crockerton School, with your help, are supporting the local Warminster Foodbank.

Each class will be asked to bring their donations on the following weeks.

FORESTERS: w/b 7th November WEAVERS: w/b 14th November

THATCHERS: w/b 21st November POTTERS: w/b 28th November

The Foodbank is asking for the following items:

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.

Bikeability

It was wonderful to hear how fantastic the Year 6 group were this week, completing both level 1 and 2 of bikeability. Instructors wanted me to know that their behaviour was impeccable on both days in wind and rain! The best they have ever had apparently – we love to hear that our children are wonderfully behaved, enthusiastic and great listeners whilst representing the school!

Anna, Barny, Charlie, Evie, William, Eddie, Meredith, Josh, Luke, Olly, Joel, Sophia – congratulations.

STEAM Fair Foresters Class – 8th November - please pay for this event as soon as possible to ensure it can go ahead. An email has been sent out.

NSPCC Safety Day – thank you to Miss Sides for coordinating this day for our classes. It has given the children a lot of important information and reminded them about how they can stay safe and who may be able to help them.

Following this day – **a reminder about Car Safety** – please can parents ensure that children remain seat belted until their car stops at Stop and Drop, in the morning? Car doors must not be opened until the car is fully stationary. Some children are trying just too hard to be too quick and ultimately compromising on safety. Please do talk to your child about this, so that they remain safe. Thank you.

Website Form Thank you for the responses about the school website. All feedback is most welcome.

Uniform – Trainers should only be worn with PE kit on PE days. School shoes with uniform please and a reminder that all long hair should be tied back.

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

Covid/Flu - There seems to be an increase in cases. If your child has covid or flu symptoms please do keep them off school until feeling better. If your child is sick, they must not come into school until 48 hours clear of the last episode.

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WINNING HOUSE – rewarded with EXTRA PLAY! **197, 186, 181, 112**

Class highest scorers : Oliver, Harry R, Charlie M and Jack

Potters, you have the Respect Acorn this week for coming back to school so brilliant after a half term holiday - Mrs Woodley

Thatchers, - Your class has been given the Perseverance Acorn - you are all trying to keep your skipping ropes neatly on your peg, and picking some up if you spot them on the floor! Thank you - Miss Brown and Mrs Rayner

Weavers, you have been awarded the Compassion Acorn too, through your carefully considered poetry for the World War 1 veterans. Miss Brewer and Miss Sides

Foresters, you have been awarded the Compassion Acorn for showing compassion to the soldiers during D-Day in the poem 'We Can't Imagine'. Miss Hedley

Head Teacher Certificates: Going Above and Beyond this week!

Elliot for his enthusiasm and contribution in our World War II topic.

Oliver for his fabulous poppy poem.

Logan for his poetry writing; drafting, editing and publishing.

George M for an amazing first week in school. It is great to have you with us.

Jessica for enthusiasm and effort in music.

Arthur because he puts in 100% effort in all he does.

Samuel for excellent effort with all learning this week, especially using great vocabulary.

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

Freya - Respect – Presenting her work based on NSPCC Safety Day confidently, and to an audience of prospective parents.

Charlie – Compassion – for knowing when to say sorry.

Sasha – Compassion – always being a kind friend.

Austin – Friendship – knowing how to be a good friend.

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

Evie – for just being deserving of a book and hot chocolate.

Thomas – for perseverance in reading.

Jake – improvement in reading.

Aderyn – brilliant reading at home and at school!

Maths Achievement Award

Olivia – for super column method when subtracting

Isabella – for carefully counting in 4s on the beadstring.

Theo – for focussing quicker in maths.

Violet – Mrs Rayner has been impressed with fabulous learning all week.

Presentation/Handwriting Certificate

Anna in all her work.

Bethany for all round presentation.

Jemima – lovely presentation.

Freddie – Super letter formation during Sounds-Write.

Bronze Silver Gold – for going above and beyond

Bronze: Luke and Oliver Silver: William C and Elliot Gold: Sophia



Attendance: 95% or above is always our target!

Potters 98% Thatchers 100% Weavers 95% Foresters 100% - FANTASTIC!

Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in peace and harmony.

2 Corinthians 13:11