

Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News

This term our Values focus on Trust

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What a fantastic Show on Wednesday – A Night at the Musicals was great, with so many children taking part so confidently. We all absolutely loved the different songs that were sung, the facts about some famous musicals and meeting Andrew Lloyd Webber was a real treat! And yes, the staff all loved going to theatres together, including Fisherman Friends! Thank you to all the children who entertained us and to the staff for supporting and encouraging the children throughout the Summer term to get them ready to perform!

Please remember to sign up to the **Reading Challenge** this Summer... library membership is free and keeping your child's reading and comprehension skills frequent, is vitally important over the 6 week break. I look forward to seeing everyone's certificates in September.

Potter's' Kings and Queen Day was another huge success. Sealing secret letters with wax, baking and painting portraits of Henry VIII. Children staged a battle and danced to Tudor music, before their lunch Banquet. Thank you to Mrs Woodley, Mrs Connolly and Mrs Boxall for supporting the children.

This week we received news that Ella was awarded the highly commended certificate, part of the Chris Bell award, for her efforts in this year's KS2 Dance Festival.

Governor vacancy Remember to speak to Gussie, or myself if you have an interest to become a School Governor. This can be such a rewarding role. Also, vacancies for Foundation Governors – ask around your friends and family.

Crockerton's Got Talent – yet another annual fixture in our school diary to help children gain the confidence to perform to others. We have had singers, musicians, magicians and dancers all entertain us today. Our 2 winners will perform at the Leavers Service tomorrow.

Remember, children **do not need rucksacks** at school for bookbags and lunchboxes. Just small ones, for swimming kits and on a trip day! Please check lost property and ensure your child has their bookbags and belongings at the end of the day.

Please remember, if the Monday 22nd July Noon **deadline for dinners** for the first week back is not met, your child will need a packed a lunch for Tuesday 3rd – Friday 6th September. KS2 children can book a cold packed lunch but please do order a hot meal that is not available to KS2.

Good Luck to all our **Leavers**... just our Y6 children this year and 2 families who have finished their Primary Education. You did so well with your SATs this year and gave 100% effort.

Our whole School Community enjoyed our annual **Summer Walk**. Thank you to parents for dropping off at Heaven's Gate. The weather was glorious and we were able to spend time together at Heaven's Gate before heading down to Shearwater for lunch and then back to school for a film. Thank you to all our parent helpers who walked with us.

On Tuesday 23rd July we will finish school at **2.20pm or 2.30pm** (1 hour early) – There will be NO LATE CLUB this day.

Children return to school on Tuesday 3rd September. Our new Potters have 2 days of home visits and will be in on Thursday until 1pm before starting full time on Monday 9th September.

Tomorrow is Mrs Pullinger's last day at Crockerton School. I hope you all get a chance to wish her well. She has been an asset to our school since she started, first as a PGCE student but then as Foresters' class teacher. We will all miss her a lot but wish her the very best for the future. Please do come back and visit!

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2 Corinthians 13:11

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Head Teacher Certificates: Going Above and Beyond this week!

Percy – I have spotted you recently, being really focused and sensible around the school. You have talked respectfully to both adults and staff and tried your best in your work and play. Well done, Percy, a great finish to the year!

Spirit of Crockerton in Potters

Freyja – has been outstanding all week and awarded the Spirit of Potters because of her fantastic independent writing, with fully punctuated sentences.

Spirit of Crockerton in Thatchers

Charlie - has been outstanding this week and is the Spirit of Thatchers because he has shown determination to read a text independently and with great understanding.

Spirit of Crockerton in Weavers

Teddy – has been outstanding all week and has been awarded the Spirit of Weavers because of his good decision/choice making, being a responsible learner, and ending the week (and year) on a high!

Spirit of Crockerton in Foresters

Aria - has been named as the Spirit of Foresters this week because of her amazing performance in the Key Stage 2 production, learning all the words in less than 2 weeks! Well done.

Highest Dojo Scorer in each class

Aderyn, George, Isla and Harry – brilliant work all week.

Ella - Highly Commended for Chris Bell Award in KS2 Dance Festival.

Classes with good attendance at 95% or better:

Potters 98% Thatchers 96% Weavers 94% Foresters 95%

Yet again we have been rewarded for our attendance with percentages above National and local averages.

Longleat 55 Shearwater 43 Wylde 42 Cley Hill 38

Overall: 1st Shearwater 102 2nd Wylde 100 3rd Cley Hill 90 4th Longleat 86

Spirit of Houses awarded to the House Captains this week!

Olivia

Clara

Matilda

Alfie

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