

# Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News



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Thank you to everyone who has supported their child to provide an exhibit for our **School Museum**. The children and staff thoroughly enjoy this event. If your child did not manage to bring in something to share on this occasion, can I urge you to support them next time. It is important that the children have a positive experience of extending their learning at home and meeting deadlines, especially our KS2 children in preparation for their KS3 homework.

**Changes to the last week!** We are swapping Thursday and Friday. On Thursday, we will do our Bunny Drive in school - please can I ask for £1 donation to purchase some Egg prizes. (In a named envelope please)

On Friday 4th, we are doing our Easter Walk and Salvation Day. Please can you drop children at Christchurch Hall, on Upper Marsh Road between 8.40am and 9am. If your child is booked onto Breakfast Club, please let me know. We have a day planned around Warminster, including St Lawrence Chapel. We are still confirming final details with Craig from Christchurch and a letter will follow. Collection may be from the Church Hall on Upper Marsh road at the end of the day (2.20 or 30pm)

With a brilliant trip arranged to the **Wiltshire Outdoor Learning Team** on 2<sup>nd</sup> May, Foresters would like to raise money to keep the cost of this low. On Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March, in play and afterschool, Foresters are organising a Toy and Clothing (children's) Sale – they need more donations for their pop-up shop!

Please also allow your child to bring in some money so that they can visit the sale during playtime – if there are enough supplies, it will also be available at the end of the day too!

Don't forget, **Parent/Teacher** meetings next week – Tuesday and Thursday. KS2 meetings will take place in Foresters and KS1 and Reception meetings will take place in Thatchers. Children do not need to attend these meetings. Access will be from the front playground to these classrooms. Late Clubs are only for those children booked on and will take place in Potters. (Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday) Yoga will remain in Weavers.

As part of our carefully planned **enrichment opportunities**:

On the 1<sup>st</sup> April, Thatchers class will be going to Salisbury Cathedral

Foresters are going to W.O.L.T. on May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Thatchers will also be doing a Langford Lakes visit on 9<sup>th</sup> June

Potters Warleigh Farm 16<sup>th</sup> June

Foresters class have their Residential trip in September (extra cost)

At the end of term 4, we will be **Sharing the Miracle** once again within our community by giving Easter Eggs – **If you can send Eggs in during the week beginning 24<sup>th</sup> March**, it would be hugely appreciated. Please also discuss with your children who they would like the eggs to be delivered to this year – Potters and Thatchers shared some ideas including Longbridge Deverill Nursing Home, the local Fire Service or Policemen or nurses who have been visiting Potters and even the builders who built our new KS2 building!

Staff completed their **first aid** training during the sunny TD day this week. It is great to have the whole team trained – we covered DR.ABC, CPR, using a defib, cuts, burns and head injuries and much more! I hope you all had a great day too!

<https://www.riverwerekchurches.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/Photographic-Project.pdf>

This is a wonderful opportunity for those who like to take photographs... please do take a look.

We have 2 teams at a Frome **Rugby** Club on Wednesday – good luck! We also entered 10 children in an introduction to Badminton event at Kingdown.

In the Summer term, we have **Quadkids**, a **dodge ball 'B'** team competition and **Tri-Golf** at Erlestoke Golf Club. With the **Swim Gala** at the end of June. I also hope that our Sports Leaders will arrange some intra-school competition within our House Teams. I hope that all children in KS2 take part in a sporting event either at school or at another venue.

**Race Night Friday 28th March**, Warminster Cricket Club.

We are all looking forward to this event! Thank you to Paul Farrell for organising.

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

**Finley** – I was so impressed with your friendship and maturity, when I saw that you had stepped in to help another child, during your Y1 MOT maths, when Mrs Connolly had to pop out to get herself some water!

**Matilda** – has been awarded the **Spirit of Potters** because of her excellent reading skills, always practising at home.

**Monty** - has been awarded the **Spirit of Thatchers** because he has recounted the Easter Story with respect and understanding.

**Piper** – has been awarded the **Spirit of Weavers** because of her detailed explanations about Brunel's greatest achievements.

**Isabella** – has been awarded the **Spirit of Foresters** because of her super work converting units in Maths.

## Vision and Values Recognition

**Penelope** – for growing to maturity, in her thoughtful prayers and actions.

**Hugo** – for always showing joy in his learning – especially when planning a weather forecast.

**Henry M** – for his determination and perseverance to explain which of Brunel's achievements was his greatest.

**Orla T-R** – for her mature and respectful responses when reading 'Windrush Child' in English.

## Highest Dojo Scorer in each class

**Oliver, Rowan, Percy and Ella** – for demonstrating our Vision, Values and Rules during the school week.

**Writing Bags** – for your brilliant writing this week

**Elsie, Jessica, Bear**

**THANK YOU** – To the Writing Ambassadors for great organisation of the Little Nest.

## Lunchtime Awards: So many still having wonderful playtimes!

**Oscar M** for playing with others with respect and being the 'puller' on the sled in the Friendship Forest! **Maisie** for her great balancing along the logs. Always so polite and talkative to the adults on duty.

## Classes with good attendance at 95% or better:

**Potters 98% Thatchers 97% Weavers 95% Foresters 94%**

**Longleat 89 Cley Hill 82 Wylye 80 Shearwater 76**

**Overall: Cley Hill 54 Longleat 45 Shearwater 57 Wylye 58**

**Logan**

**Orla B**

**Jake**

**Lissy**

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