

# Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News



This term our Values focus on Trust

<https://crockerton.wilts.sch.uk/>



Thank you to all those who are wearing correct footwear to school! Please do keep this in mind for September! Remember, children do not need rucksacks 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.

With us all well settled into our new arrangements while we wait for our fabulous KS2 building to be ready, we have upped our **health and safety and safeguarding** arrangements a little.

1. We have improved signage to ensure we can see where Emergency Exits have changed.
2. A fire practice was completed this week, based on our new classes – everyone out in a fraction over 2 minutes.
3. Staff have been reminded that if children leave early or leave school for an appointment or sporting event that they need to be signed out by parents, or the register of those out of school is given to the office.
4. All staff have also been consulted about a new Lockdown policy – this will be shared at FGB and teachers will then sensitively share procedures with the children. This policy is used if an incident was happening outside of school eg traffic concerns, a medical emergency, excessive smoke or if there was an intruder on the grounds etc
5. **\*Please do not drop your child off at school if there is no adult on the car park entrance. Drop off only starts for cars at 8.40am\***

**Parent Governor vacancy** Please see attached information regarding this vacancy – Gussie is our Chair of Governors and always happy to talk it through.

**Wessex Rivers Trust** worked with Thatchers this week and they had such a great afternoon in the local vicinity, embedding their geography and science knowledge. Thank you, Miss Sides for organising this.

Year 6 attended the **Junior Young Citizens** at Pottern near Devizes. This is such an important visit for our Year 6 children learning life skills with different organisations. I do hope they consider the safety and advice shared with them as they head into their next stage of education.

Another brilliant day at our very own **museum of Power Projects** and the admission was free. Thank you to you all for filling our museum with thoughtful, detailed and interesting projects based on our summer term learning.

Thea, Jessica, Lottie and Molly are organising a 50p Toy Sale, during morning play and if there is enough stock left, after school on **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July** in the Potters area. There will be some toys, books (and hopefully some ice lollies – after-school only) The girls have decided that any money raised they would like to donate to the Blue Cross Animal Charity. Well done girls, all your own idea and you explained what you wanted to do and how, brilliantly – well done for being such fantastic, courageous advocates.

This week, we welcomed **16 ‘soon to be’ Potters** for their first visit. They were all amazing and we look forward to seeing them again on Tuesday for our school bump-up morning. Miss Trim will also be joining us as well as some children who will start in other year groups. We also welcome Aria, Orla and Cole and their family next week too, who will start in Foresters, Weavers and Thatchers – what an exciting time to join us!

Our Summer Walk, 19<sup>th</sup>, sees us all meet at **Heaven’s Gate** between 8.40 and 9am with good shoes or walking boots, water and a packed lunch. Depending on weather, coats, hats, suncream may also be needed. We play at Heaven’s Gate for about 90 minutes (children can bring a toy, pen and paper, card games to play with but must carry it!) and then we walk to the ‘pond’ at Shearwater for lunch before returning to school for some quiet time. If Breakfast club is booked, please email me with your consent to travel in my car and I will take them to Heaven’s Gate. We will need parents to help at Heaven’s Gate and also the walk back, so please let your class teacher know if you can. They will also be able to help if you need further clarification about the day.

Crockerton’s Got Talent – children from KS2 can perform in front of the school and a panel of judges.

Leavers service – parents of Year 6 can attend the service at 1.15pm- full school uniform for this service but a green t-shirt can be signed during the day.

<https://www.crockerton.wilts.sch.uk/web/calendar/630634> Updated for the last few weeks!

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

Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in peace and harmony.  
2 Corinthians 13:11

# Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News

This term our Values focus on Trust

<https://crockerton.wilts.sch.uk/>



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

**Alexander** – Well done Alexander for always playing so calmly and sensibly in the playground. It is great to see you either playing basketball or with some of the other playground equipment and always with a smile on your face.

## Spirit of Crockerton in Potters

**Elsie** – You have been outstanding all week and awarded the Spirit of Potters because of her focus and determination in all she does. What a super week you have had Elsie.

## Spirit of Crockerton in Thatchers

**Anya** has been outstanding this week and is the Spirit of Thatchers because she shows so much enthusiasm for all of her learning.

## Spirit of Crockerton in Weavers

**Molly** – Has been outstanding all week and has been awarded the Spirit of Weavers because of her excellent newspaper reports in English.

## Spirit of Crockerton in Foresters

**Clara** - has been named as the Spirit of Foresters this week because of her fantastic Greek temple composition in art.

## Highest Dojo Scorer in each class

**Oscar, Millie, George M and Sam** – brilliant work all week.

**Writing Bag:** Alexander, Jasmine, Jessica, Jacob

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

**Potters 100% Thatchers 97% Weavers 95% Foresters 94%**

There has been great attendance this year – please keep going through to the last day of term!

Potters have had 100% attendance for 4 weeks in a row – fantastic!

**Wyllye 100 Longleat 90 Cley Hill 84 Shearwater 82**

**Overall: Cley Hill 85 Longleat 79 Shearwater 96 Wyllye 97**

## Spirit of Houses awarded to the House Captains this week!

**Charlie**

**Rowan**

**Jemima**

**George S**

Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in peace and harmony.  
2 Corinthians 13:11