# Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News



#### This term our Values focus on Trust

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I do have to start by saying a huge thank you to staff and children for coping so well, with some joy and lots of enthusiasm to new classroom arrangements. Everyone has adapted brilliantly, been patient and supported one another as we get used to new classrooms and routines. It is taking some getting used to, all 'living' under one roof! A reminder about Late Club collection places: Thatchers on a Monday, Potters on a Tuesday, outside on a Wednesday, Thatchers on a Thursday. Friday alternates between Mrs Rayner by Potters class and Miss Sides from Thatchers. If the children are outside, collection will be from Potters area.

Please remember, if you are late payment will be made automatically taken from your account, collection is 3.20pm, 3.30pm, 4.15pm or 5.30pm. For those in KS1 with older siblings in KS2, children will be from either Weavers or Foresters.

Can I please remind all parents that no child should arrive at school before 8.40am as there may not be an adult on duty while the children walk along the road. (This includes Foresters now too.)

Builders will be in school on Monday a new swipee system will make things easier to enter Potters playground without having to exit through classes doing their learning!

It has been a busy four days! Children in Foresters have thoroughly enjoyed revisiting their previous learning about the War as they have taken time to reflect on the 80th anniversary of D-Day. Year 5s will be doing this in more detail as Year 6s next academic year and are thoroughly looking forward to that! Some children in Y4, 5 and 6 are preparing for a cricket tournament next week. Thatchers class continue to practise their KS1 Dance Festival dance. We had a visit from some teachers at Kingdown who came to speak to Year 6 – all our children will be attending Kingdown next year. There have also been visits by teachers looking to apply for our teaching vacancy. (See attached letter) Children in year 4 have been completing their DfE multiplication tables check, Year 6 are finishing their editing on some pieces of writing to complete their SATS, next week the DfE phonics screening takes place plus we have been selected to take part in a reading test trial – Year 2 have received a letter about this! Plus, Potters had started their block of swimming lessons! All of KS2 are busy learning their songs for their end of year Musical Extravaganza, which we will now be able to perform at School, not Horningsham Village hall. Mrs Woodley has also been finalising the songs for our 'Compass Schools' Singing in the Park with a selected number of children.

**POWER PROJECTS** are all on the class pages of the website. We will be repeating our fabulous School Museum Day on 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

KS2 children will be invited to sing in the town park on **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June**. Please keep this Saturday free – our 'Pop Up' choir will be joining 3 of our Compass Schools to a **Sing in the Park event** with Mrs Woodley and Mrs Connolly.

**Within the community**, it has been great to hear about Millie taking part in the Athenaeum's performance of Les Misérables, I also saw some familiar faces at the Skate Park event in the Town Park and Jessica represented the Warminster Beavers, at the Royal British Legion's D Day memorial service at St Deny's Church. She lowered the Beaver Flag for the two minutes silence, before raising it and processing behind the bagpipes, to end the service. The service included a recording of a veteran's moving memories of the D Day landings, 80 years ago. Well done to all the children who have been busy in our local community – we love to hear about them all!

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June** is Crockerton Village Street Party and we have been invited to do a stall and share our planning to raise some more funds for School. Gussie and Angela are busy getting ideas and helpers for this.

At the time of print we have 2 spare spaces for tomorrow's TD day Fun Club. Speak to Mrs Bawden in the office to book.

Please check the calendar on the website as new dates are added. We have also highlighted TD days for next year as well as term dates and any events, already booked for the children.

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

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**Jemima** – Thank you Jemima, for always being in the right place at the right time, for looking out for others. It has been great to see you join in with football club too and swimming effort last term was brilliant too!

### Spirit of Crockerton in Potters

**Oscar** – You have been outstanding all week and awarded the Spirit of Potters because you have produced fantastic, independent writing, as well as super problem solving in maths.

### Spirit of Crockerton in Thatchers

**Imelda** – has been outstanding this week and is the Spirit of Thatchers because of her careful and descriptive diary writing.

## Spirit of Crockerton in Weavers

**George** – Has been outstanding all week and awarded the Spirit of Weavers because of his superb writing linked to our 'Until I met Dudley' text.

## Spirit of Crockerton in Foresters

**Jacob** - has been named as the Spirit of Foresters this week because of how sensible and helpful he has been managing the technical elements of our summer production. Thank you Jacob.

### Highest Dojo Scorer in each class

Mim, Leo, Oscar and Alfie – brilliant work all week.

Writing Bag: Rufus, Ezra, Gabriel, Harry

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

#### Potters 94% Thatchers 97% Weavers 97% Foresters 90%

Holiday requests will not be authorised and should not be booked in term time. Watch out for lots of updates in the news about attendance in schools.

Wyly	e 43 Cley Hill 42	Shearwater 34	Longleat 28
Overall: Cley Hill 76 Longleat 69 Shearwater 84 Wylye 85			
Spirit of Houses awarded to the House Captains this week!			
Gabriel	Willow	Morwen	Austin

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