

Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News



This term our Values focus on Respect <https://crockerton.wilts.sch.uk/>

Bishop Andrew visited school yesterday – it was lovely to show the Bishop around our school – the children thoroughly enjoyed talking to him and shared confidently, when Bishop Andrew asked what they wanted their school to be like ... suggestions included a place of fun, friendships, where we show compassion, to be harmonious, we are all happy and so many more.

Together we built a prayer; Millie read the Bible passage from 2 Corinthians beautifully and Rowan, Ella and Alys also shared a poem about our new building.

It was a very special service and I hope the children also enjoyed remembering what it was like and thinking about the impact of our wonderful new building and being grateful for all who made it happen!

Race Night Friday 28th March, 7pm start Warminster Cricket Club

Tickets are £5 each – no food or £20 with unlimited food. Maya will be providing a curry buffet with rice, poppadoms and naan.

Races can be sponsored this time at £30 per race, we need 3 more businesses for all races to be covered. This will be a great night and our thanks to Paul Farrell for making this possible.

Friends have clarified that the school **disco** is taking place as planned...7th March – more details will follow asap.

After half term – from the Monday – when the **children get dropped off in the morning, children will go up the car park** and into school. Potters are practising this today after their welly walk. All children will go up the ramp and head to their classes.

At home time – please continue to talk about road safety to your child and ensure all children walk with you, by the walls, to their cars.

Power Projects are out for the Spring Term and the Museum Day will be held on 21st March 2025. These dates are on the website and the [calendar](#) is on the website.

There is a **TD day** on Thursday 20th March – if you need childcare this day, please do get booked on to Mrs Newbery's Fun Club 8am to 3.30pm. Numbers are limited and the cost remains at £25, which will secure your place.

World Book Day will come around quickly after half term. This year's we will be having a focus on book characters linked to our School Vision and Values.

Y6 girls have been invited to Kingdown to join the Y7 girls at a friendly football event on Friday 7th March. Email has been sent.

Well done to all the **KS2 swimmers** who have been timed for frontcrawl, breaststroke and backstroke – they did brilliantly and the staff at the sport centre were very impressed with some lovely strokes. After half term, we go back to group 1 – those who swam from September. After Easter, Thatchers will swim and then in Term 6, Potters will swim!

Please can I politely ask that parents do not park in the **school car park** whilst collecting their children. Many thanks.

Late Clubs: Monday and Thursday – Thatchers; Wednesday and Friday (Plus Yoga) Weavers; Tuesday from Potters.

Please collect by 4.15pm - any late collections will be charged for Extended Club

At the end of term 4, we will be **Sharing the Miracle** once again within our community by giving Easter Eggs – Please do not send these in yet but if you do see any offers on Easter Eggs – please be aware!

Please do have the most relaxing half term break – it has been a very busy term and I hope you all, especially my staff, have a very well-deserved break.
Everyone back on February 24th please!

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2 Corinthians 13:11

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Head Teacher Certificates: Going Above and Beyond this week!

Rufus – I look forward to seeing you arrive at school every morning with a smile on your face. I also love that you ask me how I am too. Thank you, Rufus.

Esmae – has been awarded the **Spirit of Potters** because of her amazing reading. We're so proud of you Esmae.

Tilly - has been awarded the **Spirit of Thatchers** because she has thought carefully to extend her writing.

Henry C – has been awarded the **Spirit of Weavers** because of his hard work and determination in English.

Millie – has been awarded the **Spirit of Foresters** because of her fantastic knowledge and explanations when creating her fraction revision mat.

Vision and Values Recognition

Teddy – for perseverance with writing this week. There was some super, independent work!

Seb – for his encouragement of others.

Imelda – for encouraging your table to work well as a team.

Seth – for always being a trusted and respectful role model, and a compassionate friend to all.

Highest Dojo Scorer in each class

Penelope, Millie, Penelope and Harry F – for demonstrating our Vision during the school day

Writing Bags – for your brilliant writing this week

Leo, Violet, Thomas

Lunchtime Award go to **Freyja and Elsie F** for their joy in creating delicious food in the mud kitchen and also to **Alys, Millie Orla B and Ella** for practising songs in the classroom sensibly.

Thank you to all the staff who have worked relentlessly this term... planning fantastic lessons and getting reports written and to all the children for being so respectful and enthusiastic towards Bishop Andrew and Curate Craig – they were both made to feel so welcome.

Classes with good attendance at 95% or better:

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

Cley Hill 79 Wylye 78 Longleat 68 Shearwater 63

Overall: Cley Hill 42 Longleat 37 Shearwater 48 Wylye 46

Imi

Cassidy

Marla

Lottie

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