

Cromford Church Of England Primary School



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November Newsletter

I would like to start by thanking you all for your donations towards the Royal British Legion on Remembrance Day and to the year 6 students who visited each class selling poppies and other items from the school poppy box. If you didn't get chance to donate and still wish to do so, you can visit www.britishlegion.org.uk.

Ofsted

As you're all aware, Ofsted attended our school on 2nd and 3rd November 2022. We are now able to share the outcome of the visit with you. We are delighted to be able to tell you we have been rated as a good school in all areas. I'm sure you will agree with us that this is a fantastic achievement. The report is attached for you to read and will be published on the Ofsted website on 9th December 2022.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this outcome through parent views, speaking to inspectors and your general support.

Sickness

Just a reminder that if your child has sickness and/or diarrhoea, they must remain off school for 48 hours after the last episode to prevent it spreading. In the event of any absences, please call the office on 01629 822248 before 9:15am.

Children in Need 2022

Children in Need took place on Friday 18th November. Thank you for all your small change donations, the children really enjoyed taking part in the penny trail.... We raised a whopping £120.15 which has already been sent to Children in Need.



Aladdin Pantomime

You can now pay for the pantomime trip via ParentPay. We are asking for a contribution of £15.00 per student. The trip is taking place on Friday 16th December 2022. Children will need to be in school at 8:30am as the coach will be leaving school at 8:45am promptly.



Swimming is for years 2,3,4,5 & 6.

Last day of swimming is 30th November 2022

PTA

The PTA would like to thank everyone for their support during the Conker Evening, over £100 was raised!

The PTA are running the Christmas Fair again this year. It will take place on **Friday 16th December** from 3:15pm. They will have a variety of stalls for you to visit and a raffle at £1 per ticket. Don't forget to "**Decorate your bag**". They will be used on the "hook a bag" stall. We can't wait to see all the colourful, creative designs!!

For full details please see the PTA letter that was sent out on 25th November 2022.

PTA sponsored Welly Walk

We'd like to thank the PTA for organising and running the Welly Walk, the children loved it! Thankfully, the weather was kind to us! Thank you to all the grown-ups who sponsored the children, you helped us raise over £400!!!!!! The money raised will be given to school as stated in the sponsorship form from the PTA.



Other Dates

Tuesday 13th December AM - Robins Class - Nativity Performance (Tickets limited to 2 per family).

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Wednesday 14th December - Christmas Dinner and own clothes day. **This year we are asking you to donate a bottle for our bottle tombola rather than money. (It can be a bottle of anything!).**

Thursday 15th December - Carol Service at St Mary's Church at 2pm, juniors will be doing a mini nativity.

Friday 16th December - Pantomime at Derby Arena and PTA Christmas Fair from 3.15pm.

Tuesday 20th December - Christingle at Cromford Methodist Church 4pm.

Wednesday 21st December - Christmas Party Day, remember your party clothes!

INSET 4 - Thursday, 22nd December.

CHRISTMAS BREAK - Thursday 22nd December to Friday 6th January.

HALF TERM - Monday 20th to 24th February.

EASTER - Monday 3rd to Friday 14th April 2023.

MAY DAY - Monday 1st May 2023.

HALF TERM - Monday 29th May (Bank Holiday) to Friday 2nd June 2023.

INSET 5 - Monday 5th June 2023.

SUMMER BREAK - Starts Monday 24th July 2023.

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