Thanks to Miss Ferguson, the weekly newsletter can be downloaded from our Cranmer website [www.cranmer.merton.sch.uk](http://www.cranmer.merton.sch.uk).

**EVENTS FOR WEEK BEGINNING 30th JANUARY**

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<td><strong>Wednesday</strong></td>
<td>Coral class visit to the Christian Resource Centre 9.00am - 10.30am; Moonstone class visit to the Christian Resource Centre 10.30am - 12.00pm; Amethyst class visit to the Christian Resource Centre 1.00pm - 2.30pm; KS2 Gymnastics club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Chess club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Boxing class 3.20pm - 4.20pm;</td>
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<td><strong>Thursday</strong></td>
<td>Year 3 &amp; 4 Tennis club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Irish Dancing club 3.20pm - 4.10pm; Yoga club 3.20pm - 4.10pm; Homework club 3.20pm - 4.15pm; Clay club 3.20pm - 4.20pm;</td>
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<td><strong>Friday</strong></td>
<td>PTA Cake Sale 3.20pm - 5.00pm;</td>
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**FRIDAY ASSEMBLIES (9am)**

- 3rd March - Opal
- 17th March - Sapphire
- 24th March - Year 4 Spring Assembly

**FUTURE EVENTS**

- 10th February - CPTA Bake and uniform sale
- 13th - 17th February - HALF TERM
- 20th Feb - Staff Inset Day
- Monday 27th February 6.30 p.m. - Sayers Croft Parents Meeting
- 27th February - 3rd March - Book week
- 2nd March - World Book day

**Quote of the week:** ‘Where there is love there is life’. Mahatma Gandhi

**PARENT/CARER SURVEY**

Thank you to all the parents who have completed the Parent/Carers survey. Your opinion of the school is highly valued. If you haven’t already had the chance to complete the Parent/Carer survey, please do so on the school website:


Closing date Friday 10th February at 12pm.

**Cranmer’s Golden Rule**

‘To work hard and be respectful every day; to believe and achieve, that’s the Cranmer way.’ Cranmer’s Golden Rule is a crucial component of our ethos and high standards. The Golden Rule underpins all that we do and applies equally to children, staff and the school community.
Congratulations to Ruby Class for achieving the top attendance score of 97.7% for the week beginning 23rd January. Well done to them!

‘GOLDEN TEATIME’
Every Friday afternoon, children who have been especially chosen by their classteacher for following Cranmer’s golden rule, will be able to have tea with Mrs Hick. One child will be chosen from each class as a reward for their hard work, respect for others, and as a celebration of their achievements.
They are:

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR NEXT WEEK!
MONDAY 6TH FEBRUARY AFTER SCHOOL TO FRIDAY 10TH FEBRUARY

The book fair is back! Starting Monday 6th February in the afternoon to Friday 10th February. We will be selling a wide range of books from your favourite authors as well as a selection of stationary. It will be in the Studio Hall, Crescent building and will run from 8.20am-8.40am before school and 3.30pm-3.50pm after school, finishing on Friday morning.
There will be NO Book Fair on Monday morning or Friday afternoon. The double doors from the studio to the playground will be open for easy access for parents and children.

Thank you to Mrs McCabe for organising this.

SAYERS CROFT MEETING
On Monday 27th February at 6.30pm there will be a Sayers Croft meeting for Year 3 parents in the studio hall (Crescent building).
A crèche will be provided

HALF TERM IS ALMOST HERE
Cranmer finishes on Friday 10th February at 3.15pm for the half term break. School resumes on Tuesday 21st February.
We do wish all Cranmer friends and families a happy half term break.

SAINSBURY’S ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS
STARTING 25TH JANUARY 2017

ACTIVE KIDS launches on Wednesday 25th January. There are three ways to collect: Supermarkets - £10 spent = 1 voucher, local stores £5 spent = 1 voucher and online shopping

Please send in your vouchers and place in the boxes provided in the Crescent and Court reception areas.
YEAR 6: NO BOOSTER NEXT WEEK

Dear Year 6 Parents/Carers, there will be no booster classes next week. Session will continue after half term.

LIKE CRANMER PRIMARY SCHOOL!

There is now a Facebook page for Cranmer Primary School. This will be used to update you on any school news and reminders. All interactions will be monitored and treated in the same way as they would be in person. The page can be found at https://www.facebook.com/Cranmer-Primary-School-1684746341840167/ or by searching for Cranmer Primary School.

3 WEEKS TO GO - ORDERING UNIFORM WITH STITCH DESIGN

On Wednesday 8th February you will no longer be able to buy uniform at the school. From Monday 20th February you will be able to buy uniform from Stich Design.

Stitch Design is an online uniform service that is designed to provide you with your uniform order within 3-5 days throughout the year.

If you need your order for return to school in September, it is advisable for you to order by the middle of August. Although they try very hard to stock up for the total Summer demand, it is simply impossible to accurately predict demand, and if they do run out of an item, it will take them approximately 2-3 weeks to replenish stock after the middle of August.

Please register online at www.stitchdesign.co.uk choose ORDER YOUR SCHOOL UNIFORM HERE and enter the school’s postcode: CR4 4XU

The PTA will be holding a Pre-loved Uniform sale on 10th February.

Please note the school will no longer provide new uniforms from the 8th February 2017.
SCHOOL UNIFORM

We are proud of our school and its uniform and our policy is that all pupils should wear uniform.

Boys and girls are expected to wear sensible school shoes (black). Boots, canvas shoes, open toed sandals, trainers and shoes with heels of more than 2.5 cm are not acceptable. Boots can be worn to and from school in the winter and school shoes brought to change into for the classroom.

We have noticed recently that quite a few children are wearing boots in school – please note that black school shoes must be brought into school in which to change into. A letter will be sent home to parents of children not wearing the correct uniform.

Hair should be tidy, with shoulder length / long hair tied back with navy blue or black hairbands. We do not permit unacceptable fashion styles such as steps, lines, cutouts, mohican’s etc...

No jewellery, other than simple watches and one pair of ear studs only is allowed; the ear studs are to be worn in the lobe, not in the upper ear.

PROSPECTIVE GOVERNORS’ BRIEFING

WEDNESDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2017 AT 6.45PM AT POPLAR PRIMARY SCHOOL

Currently Cranmer does not have any vacancies here, however if you are interested please see below for more details regarding the upcoming meeting.

The Governor Support Service is holding a Prospective Governors’ Briefing on Wednesday 8th February 2017 at 6.45pm (for a 7pm start) at Poplar Primary School in Merton. They are liaising with School Governors One Stop Shop (SGOSS) to identify potential prospective governors.

The briefing will last for one hour followed by an opportunity to ask questions.

Please ensure any interested parties book a place via e-mail to governor.support@merton.gov.uk or by calling 020 8545 3307.
STAR OF THE WEEK AND MIDDAY SUPERVISOR STAR OF THE WEEK

Every week one child is chosen from each class who has achieved especially marked results in work, behaviour or kindness. Midday supervisors also award a star per class, per week for good lunchtime behaviour.

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<td>Osić – Fabulous writing skills and boat making ideas.</td>
<td>Preston – Being resilient when building his boat.</td>
<td>Muhammad – Being a helpful friend.</td>
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<td>Sharni – Always being well behaved and playing nicely.</td>
<td>Logan – Behaving well in the canteen.</td>
<td>Deita – Finishing all of her food and playing nicely in the playground.</td>
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<td>Enzo – Always well behaved in the canteen.</td>
<td>Evita – Outstanding as always and excellent eating.</td>
<td>Elif – Sitting nicely and eating well.</td>
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<td>Roxanne – Working as a team to build a floating garden.</td>
<td>Anya – Trying hard to improve her writing.</td>
<td>Rihaam – Speaking so clearly in our assembly.</td>
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<td>Evan – Excellent light show!</td>
<td>Jonty – Making friends and playing with a boy who finds it hard to make friends.</td>
<td>Chloe – Being kind and helpful.</td>
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<td>Hrithik – Being kind to others.</td>
<td>Eric – Great eating all week. Well done!</td>
<td>Preston – Good manners and sitting beautifully.</td>
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<td>Kezia – Being a good role model with her behaviour.</td>
<td>Lashae – Helping to build an excellent model and great team work. Well done, great resilience!</td>
<td>Mikah – Being the STEM week trail-blazer and overcoming adversity to achieve his goal!</td>
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<td>Lucy – Keeping the Golden rule.</td>
<td>Lucy – Following instructions well.</td>
<td>Brooke – Outstanding STEM week designing.</td>
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<td>Joshua – Always well behaved.</td>
<td>Joshua – Playing well.</td>
<td>Eusha – Always making healthy lunch choices. Well done!</td>
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<td>Asnave – Always following the Golden rule.</td>
<td>Muzaina – Amazing progress in Maths.</td>
<td>Steven – Always working hard and following the Golden rule.</td>
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<td>Liam – Always respectful.</td>
<td>Ellie – Always polite and well mannered.</td>
<td>Brianna – Kind and considerate to all.</td>
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Hosted by Cranmer Primary PTA

Friday, February 10th
3:25pm in Main Hall

Come support our
Valentine’s Bake Sale

Cakes, Cupcakes, Cookies
and loads more...

Don’t forget to bring your cash

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MMF Guitar Afternoon
working towards
Royal Albert Hall Performance

- An afternoon of enjoyable ensemble music-making for guitarists of all abilities
- An opportunity to perform at the country’s most prestigious concert hall
- Tutor by a team of experienced professional guitarists

![Image of MMF Guitar Afternoon](image)

Music is For Life - Royal Albert Hall, 2015

Pupils of all abilities who are currently having classical guitar lessons are invited to take part in an afternoon of music-making with fellow students on Saturday February 4th from 2 - 5pm, led by accomplished tutors from the MMF team. As well as looking at exciting guitar repertoire and developing ensemble skills, pupils will also be taught two songs that will be performed as part of the MMF Massed Guitar Ensemble for the Music is For Life Concert at the Royal Albert Hall.

Tickets £45 - this includes the afternoon and free membership to MMF Music Centre for the Spring Term to access additional Saturday morning rehearsals leading up to the concert on May 9th.

Contact - Please contact Edward Babar at edward.babar@mmf.org.uk for all enquiries and to sign up.

Only 35 places available so book soon to avoid disappointment.