The Study Centre is open for quiet family reading from 8:15am to 8:40am EVERYDAY!

Thanks to Miss Ferguson, this week's newsletter can be downloaded from our Cranmer website: www.cranmer.merton.sch.uk

Events for Week Beginning 30th November

Monday: KS2 Streetdance club 3.20pm - 4.20pm;
Tuesday: Quartz & Turquoise classes visit to Hindu Temple 9.00am - 10.00pm; Nursery AM Christmas Decoration Workshop 9.00am - 11.00am; Nursery PM Christmas Decoration Workshop 1.00pm - 3.00pm; Reception Christmas Decoration Workshop 1.15pm - 3.15pm; Kingswood Residential Parents Information meeting 6.00pm - 6.30pm; KS1 Yoga club 3.20pm - 4.00pm; Year 3 Football club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Year 6 Literacy Booster class 3.15pm - 4.15pm; Beginners Clay Club 3.20pm - 4.20pm;

Wednesday: Opal & Aqua classes visit to Hindu Temple 9.00am - 10.00pm; Year 2 Christmas Decoration Workshop 2.00pm - 3.00pm; KS1 ICT club 3.20pm - 4.00pm; KS1 Art club 3.20pm - 4.00pm; KS1 Drama club 3.20pm - 4.00pm; Year 4 Super Scientist club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Chess club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Year 6 Numeracy Booster class 3.15pm - 4.15pm; KS2 Basketball club 3.20pm - 4.20pm;

Thursday: Jade & Jet classes visit to Hindu Temple 9.00am - 10.00pm; KS1 Lego club 3.20pm - 4.00pm; Year 2 Streetdance 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Choir 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Homework club 3.20pm - 4.20pm; Clay club 3.20pm - 4.20pm;

Friday: Year 2 Football club 3.20pm - 4.20pm;

Quote of the week: “The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you’ll go.” Dr Seuss

Learning Breakfast

Cranmer’s first learning breakfast was great success!

We would like to thank all parents and carers who attended Cranmer’s first learning breakfast (and afternoon tea) last Thursday. Both sessions were really well attended and the studio was buzzing with families working together on activities to support the learning of phonics. The children enjoyed taking part and parents could see how phonics is taught in school in a fun (and sometimes messy) way. Feedback was very positive and many thanks to Mrs. McCabe and the EYFS team who helped to organise it!

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 Garnet Class for achieving the top attendance score of 99% for the week beginning 16th November. Well done to them! The overall attendance this year is 96.1%.

**EYFS CHRISTMAS DECORATION WORKSHOP**

The Foundation Stage Team would like to warmly invite you into your child’s class on Wednesday 2nd December to help with an Arts Workshop. The focus for our workshop is to make Christmas and Winter decorations with the children.

In Nursery it will run in the morning and afternoon session. In the Reception classes it will be running in the afternoon from 1.15 to 3.15.

We will be setting out some simple art and craft activities to be carried out but are also inviting parents to think of their own ideas of things to make with the children.

**CHRISTMAS SHOWS**

- Nursery AM: 8th December 09:00 (in Studio Hall Crescent Building)
- Nursery PM: 8th December 13:30 (in Studio Hall Crescent Building)
- Reception: 9th December 09:30 and 10th December 13:30 (in Main Hall Crescent Building)

- Years 1, 2 & 3 Christmas showings:
  - 14th December 9:30 to 10:30 (Crescent only)
  - 14th December 14:00 to 15:00 (1 form in Court Building & 2 form Main Hall Crescent Building)
- 15th December 09:30 to 10:30 (1 form in Court Building & 2 form Main Hall Crescent Building)
- Years 4, 5 & 6 Christmas showings (including Jet and Starlite class):
  - 16th December 14:00 to 15:00 and 19:00 to 20:00 Main Hall Crescent Building
  - 17th December 14:00 to 15:00 and 19:00 to 20:00 Main Hall Crescent Building

**A FEW DATES FOR NURSERY PUPILS**

Last day for Nursery: Wednesday 16th December
(Closed for Home Visits on Thursday 17th and Friday 18th December)

Open day for New Pupils visiting: Tuesday 5th January 2016
Return Date for Existing Pupils: Wednesday 6th Jan 2016

**IMPORTANT PARENT MEETING FOR YEAR 5 TRIP**

There will be a meeting for Y5 parents in the Studio on Tuesday 1st December at 6pm to discuss the upcoming Year 6 residential trip to Grosvenor Hall in Kent.

This is a chance to receive important information and to ask any questions.

Parents/Carers,

Please note that letters for the KS2 evening performances have been sent out. A 2 ticket allocation per family will be issued due to a limited hall space.

**Deadline for ticket requests is Friday, 4th December.**

**No crèche facility available**
**POPPY APPEAL**

We would like to say a huge thank you to everybody that got involved, whether it was a donation, buying a poppy or a sticker. Together we managed to raise a total of £192.85 for the Poppy Appeal!

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**FANTASTIC FOOTBALL**

Congratulations to both teams that competed in the year 3 and 4 football matches at Cranmer yesterday. Both games were very exciting and great sportsmanship was shown by all participants. Cranmer blues dug deep after going 0-1 down to come back and win 6-3 against a very skilled Abbotsbury side. Stand-out performances include Joshua, Tom Junior, and an exceptional display of goalkeeping from Adin.

![Football Team](image1.png)

Cranmer yellows deserve an extra-special thanks for showing the courage to step in and play with only one day's notice to rescue a game against an outstanding St Peter and Paul's team, as another school pulled out at the last minute. Despite the circumstances they played like a team who had been training together for weeks but lost out this week on the back of a world class performance from the St P & P goalkeeper. Sportsman of the week this week goes to Cain (Turquoise) who was willing to help out by being flexible with positions he played with and showed respect to both his team, St P & P and his coach.

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**Year 3 and 4 trips to Shree Ghanapathy Hindu temple in Wimbledon**

Year 3 and 4 will be visiting the Shree Ghanapathy Hindu temple in Wimbledon next week. The dates are as follows:

- Quartz and Turquoise - Tues 1st Dec (9-1)
- Opal and Jade - Wed 2nd Dec (9-1)
- Aqua and Jet - Thurs 3rd Dec (9-1)
'GOLDEN TEATIME'
Every Friday afternoon, children who have been especially chosen by their class teacher 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.

The children who were chosen this week were: Shokeeth, Hassan, Malakai, Pappy, Hannah, Tanish, Zebedee, Amylou, Alan, Reece, Jessica, Jakisan, Kayleigh, Taliyah, Joseph, Joyce and Jayden

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.

NB: Reception Classes do not join Star of the week Assemblies until the Spring Term. Children in Reception Classes receive their Star of the Week award in class.

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