THE STUDY CENTRE IS OPEN FOR QUIET FAMILY READING FROM 8:15am to 8:40am EVERYDAY!

Thanks to Miss Ferguson, the weekly newsletter can be downloaded from our Cranmer website www.cranmer.merton.sch.uk

EVENTS FOR WEEK BEGINNING 17th APRIL

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday: Jade class visit to the Wandle Trust 10.00am - 12.00pm; Quartz class visit to the Wandle Trust 1.00pm - 3.00pm

Thursday: Jet class visit to the Wandle Trust 10.00am - 12.00pm; Aquamarine class visit to the Wandle Trust 1.00pm - 3.00pm; KS1 IMAX cinema visit 9.30am - 3.00pm;

Friday: Opal class visit to the Wandle Trust 10.00am - 12.00pm - Turquoise class visit to the Wandle Trust 1.00pm - 3.00pm;

FRIDAY ASSEMBLIES (9am)

5th May - Turquoise
12th May - Emerald
19th May - Diamond
26th May - Aqua

FUTURE EVENTS

18th April - First day of term
24th April - PTA AGM (9.00 a.m.)
8th May - KS2 SATs week
3rd - 7th April - Year 6 Easter School
22nd - 26th - Artsbeat week

EASTER HOLIDAYS ARE HERE! MAIN SCHOOL RESUMES ON TUESDAY 18TH APRIL.

We wish all of our Cranmer families a very happy Easter break

Quote of the week: “Only those who attempt the absurd can achieve the impossible.” — Albert Einstein

EASTER FAYRE SUCCESS

We hope you all enjoyed our Easter Fayre last week; we raised over £700 for future playground projects. It was lovely to see so many happy children taking part in all the crafts and enjoying themselves and we want to say a huge thank you to all the parent, carer and teacher volunteers who worked so hard to make it happen.

CRANMER PARENTS AND TEACHERS ASSOCIATION AGM

On Monday 24th April the PTA will be holding their Annual General Meeting at 9am in the Study Centre. We will be discussing past, present and future fundraising, so if you have some spare time we would love for you to attend.

We would love to meet you and answer any questions you may have. Tea, coffee and pastries will be provided.

See you there
Cranmer PTA

RED NOSE DAY

Last week we had Red Nose Day and we struggled to keep up with the demand of nose sales but hope everyone was able to buy one in the end.

We sold 640 red noses and with the donations as well, Cranmer raised an amazing £824.35p which all will make its way to the charity.

‘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: together with our core values: Respect, Trust and Resilience, underpins all that we do and applies equally to children, staff and the school community.
Congratulations to Emerald Class for all achieving the top attendance score of 99.3% for the week beginning 20th March. Well done to them!

SAYERS CROFT!

Last weekend, 58 children year 3 children and 12 adults piled into a coach and set off for Sayers Croft. Just over an hour out of London, Mitcham’s finest were marvelling at the beautiful countryside we drove through, and a huge cheer erupted when we saw the sign that signalled our arrival.

The children got settled in to their new homes quickly - Shere and Peaslake dormitories - and, worked in pairs to make their beds and unpack before tucking into some delicious dinner. On that first night we had a big campfire, courtesy of Mr. Fowler, an impromptu star-gazing session from Mr. Hill, and a sing-a-long lead by Miss Fryer! It was all hands on deck loading up 58 skewers with marshmallows and 12 sets of singed fingers after roasting several hundred!

The next day we split into our dorms and completed different activities in the morning. Peaslake tried their hand at the ropes course and attempted to make a rain and bear-proof shelter in the woods. Shere went pond-dipping and made their way through the giant hedge maze and the blindfold trail. After a hearty lunch (and a quick sing-song for Fiona and Helen - happy birthday, girls!), the children put on their wellies and mentally and physically prepared for the 5km walk. For 3 hours, we trudged through fields and woods, climbing stiles, squelching in mud and taking selfies with horses. It was amazing but we were all very tired afterwards! It was back to the dorms for a drink and a biscuit and some movie time before dinner and our fun night time activities.

On the last day, the dorms swapped over activities and packed up ready for home. The peace and quiet on the coach on the way back said it all - all that fun is exhausting!

The children behaved excellently (most even going to sleep!) and had such a wonderful time. Thanks so much to all the adults who gave up their weekend to help provide this wonderful opportunity for our children, and thanks to the children, who made our jobs a little easier by being so bright, enthusiastic and fantastic to be around.

The Year 3 teachers
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.

**DATE: 20\(^{th}\) – 24\(^{th}\) March**

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<td>Zakai - Amazing independent writing.</td>
<td>Ellis - Superb writing! Aleena- Playing nicely with her friends and lignin up well.</td>
<td>T.J. - Excellent independent writing! Eathen - Looking after his friends in the playground.</td>
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<td>Finley - Being well behaved and being polite.</td>
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<td>Neerah - Writing an excellent duck report in English with lots of adjectives!</td>
<td>Naimah - Always following the Golden rule Naimah - Very good eating all week.</td>
<td>Senuri - Excellent sounding out in her writing. Hayat - Beautiful behaviour at lunch.</td>
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<td>Luxman - Reading over his work and spell checking. Amy - Trying really hard to finish her lunches and always well behaved.</td>
<td>Honey - Following the Cranmer values and being a positive role model. Tanees - Always looking out for his friends and being kind.</td>
<td>Sean - Outstanding effort in his work. Frankie - Good eating and following the Bee rules.</td>
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<td>Livni - Always doing whatever she can to be kind and helpful. Si - Keeping the Golden rule.</td>
<td>Seniya - Brilliant acting and always listening. Arshia - Always behaving well and helping her friends.</td>
<td>Pranav - Beautiful, passionate singing and great actions. Chole-Paris - Showing respect and being kind to her friends.</td>
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<td>Ronni - Excellent effort in The Year 4 assembly and trying her best. Sowmiya - Being kind and showing respect.</td>
<td>Olivia- Excellent performance during our Year 4 assembly. Rebecca - Showing respect and helping her friends.</td>
<td>Grace - Giving 100% effort during all the assembly rehearsals! Bailey - Showing respect.</td>
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**TERRIFIC TEEPEE**

Exciting news from the PTA: You may not have noticed yet, but we have been busy finishing up the teepee with flooring and lighting. We are keeping our fingers crossed that it will be in full functioning order for after the Easter break.
AFTER SCHOOL CARE AND LATE FEES

We would like to take this opportunity to re-iterate the importance of prompt collection of children from the school. If you know you are going to be late, please make sure the office is informed as soon as possible. We do have a Late Club facility, which runs until \textbf{4:10} with a charge of \textbf{£4.00 payable**}, regardless of how long your child is there for. The fines for late collection are charged at £1 per minute.

Happy Faces After School Club is a facility which runs until \textbf{5:45}, but needs to be arranged with them in advance.
If your child then needs to be taken to Happy Faces, from Late Club you will be charged BOTH the late collection fee and the Happy Faces fee.

\textbf{Thank you in advance}

**Please note that Governors have agreed to an increase in Late Fees from 5\textsuperscript{th} June 2017 (i.e.: after half term) from £4.00 to £4.50.
This is a result of increases in costs primarily the London Living Wage.

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\textbf{LUNCHBOX REMINDER} & \textbf{SCHOOL DINNERS} \\
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Please remember that lunch boxes need to be taken home on the last day of term. & Please note that your child’s meal selection can only be changed every half term. Unfortunately we are unable to facilitate alterations during the half term. \\
We do not have any facilities to store such items so unfortunately if they are not collected we will dispose of them. & Letters can be found at the main office reception if you would like to change your selection for the upcoming half term/term. If you do not return an updated meal pattern your previous meal selection will carry over. \\
& If you haven’t updated your selection and your child is due to have a school meal but you have provided a packed lunch you will still be charged the full amount for the school meal as he/she would have already been catered for. \\
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\textbf{Thank you in advance for your co-operation}

A POLITE REMINDER

Please clearly label your child’s clothing/belongings. With the children being on the field and the nice weather, we have had an increasing amount of lost items. We always try to return anything that has been lost, however it is impossible to do so without clear labels.

Many children also have very similar lunch boxes and water bottles so we ask that you label these as well.

\textbf{Thank you for your co-operation.}
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