



July Newsletter from Cromford Church of England Primary School

Residential at Mount Cook, 3rd to 5th July

The children had a fantastic time at Mount Cook. They all joined in really well with the activities and had great weather too! Thank you to all the staff who accompanied them.

Tri Golf, Years 3/4 (4th July) and 5/6 (11th July)

Congratulations to our Junior pupils who took part in the Tri-golf finals at Anthony Gell. They represented our school brilliantly.

Leavers' Disco - 12th July

Our family disco was well attended and a lovely event. Our thanks to the PTA for organising it.

Sports Day - 15th July

Sports day was again a great success. It was good to have so many friends and families join us. Thank you to the PTA for the ice cream treat too!

Mr Fletcher

We were deeply saddened to hear of the sudden death of Mr Fletcher last Sunday. He was a valued member of our staff team and formed some great relationships with staff and pupils. He remained in contact with the school and was here last Friday to see us - he had intended to be at Sports Day and Leavers' Service. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family at this time.

Staffing

There will be a change to Mrs Hamilton's hours in the office from September. She will be working on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs Paine will be increasing her hours to cover all day Thursday and Friday morning.

Parentpay

From September we intend to use Parentpay which is a cashless payment system. We will start using Parentpay for school lunches, and then school trips and breakfast/after school club. More details will be sent to parents in September.

Remember to look at our school website - www.cromfordcofeschool.com

The school is now on Twitter, @CromfordPrimary - please follow us.

School lunches - £2.10 per day, £10.50 per week,

If your child is ill please telephone the school before 10.00 am on the first day of absence.

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Year 6

We are sad to see our lovely Year 6 pupils move on, but wish them the very best for their futures. Keep in touch with us!

On behalf of all the staff, we'd like to thank all our families for their support throughout the year. We look forward to seeing you all again on Wednesday, 3rd September. Staff will be in school on Tuesday, 2nd September to undertake annual Safeguarding training.



Music lessons - reminder about contribution from parents

Wednesday afternoon - Years 4-6, brass, either cornet or trumpet

Thursday afternoon - Reception, Year 1, 2 and 3 - singing. Year 3 will also continue to learn recorder

We ask parents for a contribution to the lessons: £30 (per child), per year: £10 per term or £1 per week. Please send the contribution in a sealed envelope with child's name on the front.

Swimming

Reception, Years 1 and 2 will swim at Wirksworth Swimming Pool on a Wednesday morning, dates are:

25th September 2019 to 25th March 2020 - Years 1 and 2

22nd April to 1st July 2020 - Reception and Year 1

Years 3 to 6 will swim at The Arc, Matlock on a Wednesday morning, dates are:

25th September 2019 to 12th February 2020 - Years 5 and 6

26th February to 1st July 2020 - Years 3 and 4

Breakfast Club - 7.30 am - 8.35 am, Monday to Friday

Crafts and construction

After School Club - 3.30 pm - 5.00 pm (Monday to Thursday) and 3.30 pm - 4.30 pm (Friday)

Monday - Sport (Derby County Community Trust)

Tuesday - Street Dance (with Kim)

Wednesday - Science/Baking (with Gill)

Thursday - Forest Schools (with Claire)

The cost of After School Club is £4.00, £3.00 for siblings, and £5.00 for children staying until 5.00 pm, **Monday to Thursday**. The Breakfast Club will remain at £4.00, £3.00 for siblings.

Please collect your child/ren at 4.30 pm (prompt) unless an arrangement has been made for them to stay until 5.00 pm (**Monday to Thursday only**).

It would be helpful to know, in advance, if your child is not attending Breakfast or After School Club.

Dates

September

Wednesday, 25th 1.00 pm Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

Term Dates 2018/2019

Summer Term

Term 6 (7 weeks)

Tuesday, 4th June to Friday, 19th July

INSET 5 - Monday, 22nd July

Term Dates - 2019/2020

Autumn Term

Term 1 (7 weeks, 4 days)

Wednesday, 4th September to Friday, 25th October

INSET 1 - Tuesday, 3rd September

HALF-TERM - Monday, 28th October to 1st November

Term 2 (7 weeks)

Monday, 4th November to Friday, 20th December

CHRISTMAS BREAK - Monday, 23rd December to Friday, 3rd January

Spring Term (2020)

Term 3 (2019) (6 weeks)

INSET 2 - Monday, 6th January 2020

Tuesday, 7th January to Friday, 14th February

HALF-TERM - Monday, 17th to 21st February

Term 4 (6 weeks)

Monday, 24th February to Friday, 3rd April

Easter Break - Monday 6th to 17th April

(Good Friday - 10th April and Easter Monday - 13th April)

Summer Term

Term 5 (5 weeks)

Monday, 20th April to Friday, 22nd May

May Day - Monday, 4th May

HALF-TERM - Monday, 25th May to Friday, 29th May (Bank Holiday - Monday, 25th May)

Term 6 (7 weeks)

Monday, 1st June to Tuesday, 21st July

Please note there are three further INSET days to be confirmed