

Cringleford CE VA Primary School

Summer Term 2017-2018 Newsletter 18

8th June 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

Recent events

- Several parents attended the Reading Cafes run by the Reception classes and Year 4 Skylarks. It is always good to observe parents and pupils enjoying activities about books.
- Year 5 pupils are taking part in an exciting Norwich Mystery Plays project over the next few weeks. Today they are visiting Norwich Castle Museum as an introduction to the work they will be doing with visiting teachers.
- Thanks to fundraising efforts just before half term, the school raised £400 for the William's Syndrome Charity. I am grateful to Miss Fish for organising various events and also to all those parents who baked cakes for the after school sale.
- International Week gave our pupils the opportunity to find out all about a number of countries, including studying the art of different cultures. Thank you to all the parents who gave up time to come into school to talk to our pupils. Did you know that 31 different languages are spoken by families and pupils attending our school?
- Congratulations to the girls' cricket team who came joint first in a NSSP tournament this week.
- Well done to the Year 6 pupils who have created some very imaginative fairground rides in their DT lessons for the children to look at in their classroom today.

Spanish language course

Lingo Lions is a Spanish language course run by Kate Bagshaw, a qualified school teacher. Classes will be running on Tuesdays (starting on September 11th) at the Willow Centre from 3.30 – 4 p.m. for 4-7 year olds and from 4.10 – 4.40 p.m. for 7-11 year olds. For more information please contact Kate on lingolions@gmail.com or phone 07973728458. Leaflets providing more information can be found just outside the office.

Cringleford Community Picnic

Cringleford Hub is organising another Community Picnic on Sunday 24th June from 12 – 2 p.m. on the park area opposite the school. The picnic is held in honour of Jo Cox and everyone is welcome. If the weather is wet the picnic will take place in the school hall.

Fundraising

The children in Swallow Class (Year 3) would like to invite you all to enjoy afternoon tea in the ALR (the room opposite Crackerjacks) on the afternoon of Monday 18th June between 2.30 and 4 p.m. They are fundraising for the purchase of an electric wheelchair for their fellow classmate, Bethany, to give her the independence she craves and deserves. The children of Swallow Class will be busy baking treats for you to enjoy in our make-shift café. Please do come along and support them either before or after you pick up your child from school.

Sports day events

All the children in Years 3 – 6 should have taken home a letter about Sports Day events next week. The events to which parents are invited are the Year 3 / 4 main track events taking place on Thursday morning (June 14th) from 9.45 a.m. and the Year 5 / 6 events starting at 1 p.m. I have attached a copy of the letter with this newsletter and it is also on the website.

Circus event

Don't forget that the PTA / school's main fundraising event of the year is taking place on Saturday 23rd June. Circus show performance tickets can still be purchased from the PTA website: <http://groupspaces.com?CringlefordSchoolPTA>

Your child should have taken home a letter from the PTA today along with a raffle book.

During International Week all the classes looked at the work of an artist from a different country. They have created their own interpretation of a piece of art created by that artist. The children's final pieces will be framed and exhibited and will be available to buy on the day of the Circus Festival for a minimum contribution of £3. All money raised will go to the PTA to provide additional materials and resources for the school.

On the subject of the PTA, please consider if you would like to be a committee member either now or in September. Our very hardworking and dedicated PTA chairpersons, Louella Schooley and Annabelle Dixon, have decided that it is time for others to take on their role from September, so please consider whether this is something that you would like to take on.

Norse menu

Norse, the company that provides our school meals, has sent out a leaflet (attached) explaining that the menu they are currently running will now be continued until October half term with the autumn / winter menu running until Easter 2019. The current menu can be found on our website and you will be able to refer to that in the autumn term so you know the choices available to the children.

Reminders

- Leaflets about a free Crossfit taster session for children are available from the office
- For a long period a child's green bike was locked up in one of our cycle shelters. It has had to be removed to a safer place, but please contact the school if you think your child's bike is missing.
- RAF Marham has run a number of science events for our children at school this year. You might be interested in a free family fun event taking place at Norwich Airport on 23rd and 24th June (10 – 3 p.m.) which is being run by RAF Marham.

Future diary dates

Mon 11 th June	Class photos
Tue 12 th June	Children in Years 3-6 at UEA - see attached letter for details
Wed 13 th June	9.10 a.m. Y2 Nightingale Class assembly Y5 Non-uniform day 7.30 p.m. New Intake evening
Thurs 14 th June	KS2 Sports Day Y3&4 morning and Y5&6 afternoon (parents welcome to attend) - see attached letter for details
Fri 15 th June	Y2 Cultural Day – Mulbarton Primary School Y4 Eaton Vale trip
Mon 18 th June	2.30-4.30 p.m.– Afternoon tea by Swallow Class in the ALR - fundraising event
Thurs 21 st June	Y6 café - 9.00-10.00 a.m. in ALR Owl Class - Southwold trip 3.30-4.30 p.m. Y5 & 6 Netball tournament – details to follow
Fri 22 nd June	Puffin Class - Southwold trip Y6 fundraising cake sale After school football tournament / bouncy castle / multi-skills / barbecue – details to follow
Sat 23 rd June	PTA Circus Festival – 12 p.m. onwards

Wed 27 th June	9.10 a.m. Kingfisher Class assembly
27 – 29 th June	Year 6 Hilltop residential visit
2 – 4 th July	Year 3 Swallow Class How Hill trip
9 – 11 th July	Year 3 Swift Class How Hill trip
Wed 18 th July	Sports Day (Reception, Years 1 and 2) – 9.30 a.m. start
Thurs 19 th July	Reserve date for Sports Day (Reception, Years 1 and 2) – 9.30 a.m. start
Fri 20 th July	9.15 a.m. – orchestra performance
Mon 23 rd July	9.15 a.m. – Year 6 Leavers' assembly
Tues 24 th July	Last day of term

Information about some of the above events will be sent out in due course by class teachers. Please note that on the school website we have uploaded dates for the 2018 / 19 academic year.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Neil Henery
Headteacher

YEAR 6 CAKE SALE



Year 6 are busy baking lots of scrumptious treats to tempt you, so they can raise money for their farewell party.

Come along to their cake sale after school on **Friday 22 June** for a taste sensation!