



Crawford Village
Primary School & Nursery

THE CRAWFORD CHRONICLE

Friday 20th October 2023

Class Attendances

13 th October 2023			20 th October 2023		
C1	C2	C3	C1	C2	C3
94.3%	95.7%	95.5%	97.6%	97.2%	100%

School
Target
96%

A note from Class 3...

We have had a busy few weeks in Class 3.

Last week, we had a fabulous time during our Anglo-Saxon Day celebrations. We made bread, wrote in runes, created round houses and designed our own shields. We also looked the part too so thank you to everyone for all your magnificent dressing up outfits.

Year 4 have also had a really special treat in the last few weeks. They caught the train to Liverpool to visit the Apple store where they used iPads to create self-portraits. They topped the treat off with a McDonalds take-away on the way home.

In class, we have also been working hard. We have written amazing poems for National Poetry Day and in art, we have been investigating the works of street artists with a focus on Banksy, Shepard Fairey and Jean-Michel Basquiat, combining their ideas to create an original piece.

Finally, our footballers have had a great start to the season. The Y5/6 team were third in the school's league. Well done everyone involved!



Coming up @ Crawford...

Diary Dates

Mon	Half Term
Tues	Half Term
Wed	Half Term
Thurs	Half Term
Fri	Half Term
Mon	Lunchtime - School Council / Choir / Self Love Club
Tues	After School - Eco Club
Wed	Lunchtime - Spanish / Chicken Club After School - Craft Club
Thurs	Lunchtime - Brass / Chess
Fri	Lunchtime - Coding Club

Next week:

Half Term

Next half-term:

30th October 2023
School reopens 8.50am
Halloween Dress-up Day
Halloween Disco

6th November 2023
UK Parliament Week

9th November 2023
C1 Stay & Play

13th November 2023
Anti-Bullying Week
Odd Socks Day

17th November 2023
Children in Need Day

24th November 2023
Posh Nosh

28th November 2023
Flu Vaccines
C1 Forest School (-30th)

Dear Parents

It's hard to believe that we're approaching the end of this first half-term; the time has simply flown by!

Since the last newsletter, we've held our phonics workshops for Reception, Year 1 & Year 2. It's fabulous that we can all work together for the benefit of the children – we hope those of you who managed to attend found them useful! There have been so many other themed events and visitors in school this half term too – it's great to see how the children are so immersed in the opportunities that are offered to them.

We were overwhelmed with your generosity for the many donations that came into school supporting The Storehouse Project as part of our Harvest celebrations. For a small school like ours, we managed to collect a fantastic amount and I know this will all go to a very worthwhile cause – thank you so much, you are all amazing!

Thank you to all families who were able to make it to our first Parents' Evenings for this year. As a staff team, we felt the evenings were full of positivity and we appreciated the helpful and positive feedback we received.

Wishing you all a fabulous half-term holiday!

Mrs Eaton

Mrs Eaton's Column

Award Winners

Star of the Week

C1 Beatrix
C2 Peter
C3 Jack

C1 Stevie
C2 Darcey E
C3 Dash

C1 James
C2 Hattie
C3 Finley C



Pride Award

C2 Finley Wh
C3 Gabriel

C2 Scarlett
C3 Lucy P

C2 Max
C3 Anais

Super Writers



C2 Ivy
C3 Finley W
Y3/4 Scarlett &
Robyn

C2 Peter
C3 Meadow
Y3/4 Oliver H

C2 Finley Wh
C3 Evie
Y3/4 Freddie

Find us on social media...



Crawford Village Primary School



@crawford_school

Don't forget to log on to your child's Seesaw account. You will find work that they do in school, photographs and videos that are not uploaded to social media and you can upload photos from home. Please ask if you are having any problems logging on and we will help if we can.

Do not forget to check out our school website! You will find details of upcoming events, term dates, important key documents and policies plus lots of information and photographs showcasing what we have been doing in school.



Meet the Governors



Mrs N Cusack
Parent Governor

Responsibilities:

History

Geography

RE

Pay Committee

Hi, I'm Nic and I have been a governor for over a year. I love being part of the Crawford Village team - it's full of such lovely and dedicated people. My daughter is currently in Class 1, reception and she absolutely loves it.

Career wise, I am a Solicitor, working in the software and tech industry and I have always had a passion for education and development of people, having managed young lawyers through their training contracts and also teaching at university level.

In my spare time I love to travel, I am an avid student of the Italian language and spending time with my family, making memories is something that I really value. I am married to Paul who is on the PTA at Crawford and as well as my daughter Beatrix, we have another one on the way!

If you see me around, please stop and say hi - I always love meeting new people and learning more about the Crawford community.

Meet the Staff



Mrs K Morris
Teaching Assistant

Hi, I am Mrs Morris.

I am a member of the EYFS team in Class 1.

During my career, I have worked with children of all ages for 26 years.

Away from school, I enjoy eating out, walking and going to the gym with my husband and son.

ECO COUNCIL BULLETIN

Recycle Week Competition

Thank you so much to everyone who got involved in the Recycle Week competition!

Every single entry was very creative and it was extremely difficult to choose the winners. After much discussion, the Eco Council members and staff judges votes were counted...

Congratulations to Hattie and Olivia - you did a fantastic job!



HAPPY HALLOWEEN 

Soccer School

25th, 26th, 27th,
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Football fun with FA Qualified Coaches
Only £36 for each 3 day course

10:30am-3:30pm

New Optional Packed Lunch - £4.50 per day
Hot Dog or Burger + Fruit Shoot + Crisps + Chocolate Bar

Certificates for Everyone
Qualified & Experienced CRB Coaches
Suitable for All Levels of Ability
Boys and Girls aged 5-12 Most Welcome

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CRAWFORD VILLAGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

IT'S A SPOOKY PARTY!

COSTUME CONTEST!

October 30th

3:30-5:00

ENTRY £4

FANCY DRESS - FOOD - GAMES - PRIZES - POCKET-MONEY SHOP*

*Shop purchases are an additional cost. Items range from .50p-£2

OCTOBER MULTI-SPORTS ACTIVITY CLUB 

A FANTASTIC RANGE OF SPORTING ACTIVITIES:
TENNIS, FOOTBALL, DODGEBALL, ATHLETICS, INCLUDING ARTS AND CRAFTS

AGES 5 - 11

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI
9AM TO 4:30 PM
MONDAY 23RD OCTOBER UNTIL
FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER

ALL STAFF ARE RECRUITED TO DFE SAFER RECRUITMENT STANDARDS INCLUDING DBS
BOOKINGS WILL CLOSE ON THURSDAY 19TH OCTOBER @ 3 PM. NO BOOKINGS WILL BE
TAKEN AFTER THIS DATE
NOT FREE ENVIRONMENT

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO MAKE A BOOKING PLEASE SEE OUR WEBSITE
WWW.SHARESLANCASHIRE.CO.UK
SHARES SCHOOLS £15 PER DAY OR
£15 PER WEEK
NON-SHARES SCHOOLS £20 PER DAY
OR £20 PER WEEK



PLANTING SEEDS OF RESILIENCE,
EMPATHY & UNITY

Wear Pink for Peace

on

Tuesday 7th November 2023

TO SUPPORT THE PEACE IN MIND CAMPAIGN



Where?

This week's story looks at events in...

ODDiZZ! Picture News

What?

A new app called "Chronos" uses special technology to show visitors in Greece what landmarks looked like during the time of Ancient Greece.

People who use the app can see striking landmarks, such as the Parthenon, which is in Athens.

App users need to point their smartphones at the Greek monuments, to reveal visuals of what the buildings looked like 2,500 years ago.

ODDiZZ! Picture News

Why?

The app will give people a new way to access and understand history, by showing what buildings used to look like many years ago.

The app's development is supported by Greece's Culture Ministry, who believe that it will encourage people to take more interest in the background of the monuments they see.

ODDiZZ! Picture News



Christmas Card Competition

West Lancashire Borough Council is inviting children from primary schools across the Borough to design our Christmas card.



The theme for the card is "Spreading happiness at Christmas".

We would love to see drawings and artwork that fit the theme. Alternatively, pupils can write a Christmas poem or Christmas carol.

Entries must be submitted by 10th November from your school to the following email: CustomerEngagement@westlancs.gov.uk.

One winner and two runners up will be selected in November 2023 – we'll contact the winning/shortlisted entrants by email and ask the winning school to post the hard copy, for us to recreate!

Goodluck – get creative and let your imagination run free!

