

# Cromford Church Of England Primary School



## February Newsletter



What a busy few weeks we've had!

Not long after our visit to the cross country which Years 3-6 took part in, nine Year 5 and 6 pupils represented the school well at a basketball competition at Anthony Gell School. Although they didn't win, the opportunity to represent the school at a different sporting competition, which I am told we have not done before, was a worthwhile one.

Can I thank the PTA for the wonderful Christmas Fair in December which was enjoyed by all. The money which was raised has been allocated towards some new playground equipment for lunch and playtimes, some new laptops and for a dance club on a Monday lunchtime. Thank you to all stakeholders who attended and gave so generously.

We are looking forward to World Book Day, Science Week and Comic Relief- more details of all can be found inside.

Our worship for the next month is **forgiveness**.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Wilson

### House Points

<b>RIBER</b>
<b>663</b>

<b>CHATSWORTH</b>
<b>716</b>

<b>WILLERSLEY</b>
<b>755</b>

### House Winners

The winners for last term was..... **Chatsworth!** Congratulations team Chatsworth! You can celebrate by coming to school in your own clothes on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March**.

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## PTA Valentines Bake Sale



We'd like to thank the PTA for organising the Valentines Bake sale on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February. It was a great success and they raised £51.50 for the school. Thank you to everyone who donated and purchased cakes.

## Bikeability



Bikeability level 2 will take place on **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March**. Children who completed their level 1 in October may take part to gain their level 2. Children will need the following:

- A roadworthy bicycle
- A well fitted helmet
- A waterproof coat
- Gloves (if the weather remains cold)
- Flat shoes/trainers
- A water bottle

## Stars of the week 31.01.25 – 14.02.25



## Safer Internet



Children in the Eagles class enjoyed watching, and joining in with, the BBC live lesson on how to be safer when using the internet. The children have learnt how to avoid scams and phishing. They also learnt the importance of using a strong password.

You can find information relating to this via the BBC Website: [Safer Internet Day 2025: Teaching resources - BBC Teach](#)

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## Owls Class

The children in the Owls class were busy in the first week of February making Snakes for the Chinese New Year...



## Red Nose Day

Red Nose day is on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March. Children are welcome to wear their own clothes in return for a donation. There will also be an opportunity for children to enter a talent show! Children may perform for up to 2 minutes during their time slot.

## World Book Day (Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March)



Children are welcome to come to school dressed as their favourite book character and please bring the book to school (please ensure your child's name is written in the book). The junior pupils in the Owls and Eagles class will be walking down to Scarthin Books to choose a free book with their tokens during the morning. Please ensure your children have suitable footwear and coats.

## E-Safety Sessions

E-Safety Sessions for the rest of the academic year:

- [Tuesday 25th March 2025 5.30pm-6.30pm: Gaming and Parental Controls](#)
- [Tuesday 17th June 2025 7pm-8pm: Social Media - Privacy Settings and Supporting Children to Stay Safe and Well](#)

## Parents Evening

Parents Evening

Parents evening will be held on **20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> March**. To book a slot, please email the office with your child's name and the time you'd like to attend. We'll do our best to accommodate your preference.

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## Easter Service

Families and friends are invited to join us for the Easter Service at **St Mary's Church** on **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April at 13:30pm**. Parents are welcome to take their children home after the service. Children not collected will be walked back up to school with staff. We look forward to seeing you there.

Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> March	Y6 Bikeability (Level 2) & PTA Pancake Flip
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day 2025
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	House winners to wear their own clothes
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents Evening
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Parents Evening & Red Nose Day <i>(Date changed from last Newsletter)</i>
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Last swim session
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Service and Last day of term
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> April	Bank Holiday (School closed)
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Inset Day (Subject to change)
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Children return to school
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Swimming recommences (Years R, 2 & 3)
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	SATs Week
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Last swim session
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Last day of term
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Children return to school
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Swimming recommences (Years R, 2 & 3)
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Last swim session
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Leavers Disco (Time TBC)
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Whole School Trip – Peak Wildlife Park
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of term
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	First day of summer holidays
<b>2025/2026</b>	
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	Inset Day (Subject to change)
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	Inset Day (Subject to change)
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	Children return to school

## INSET DAYS FOR 2025-2026 (Subject to change)

Thursday 4 September 2025

Friday 5 September 2025

Friday 24 October 2025

Monday 5 January 2026

Thursday 23 July 2026

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