Newsletter

Date: Friday 3rd July 2026

Working together for all children to prosper, be full of hope and be excited about their future!

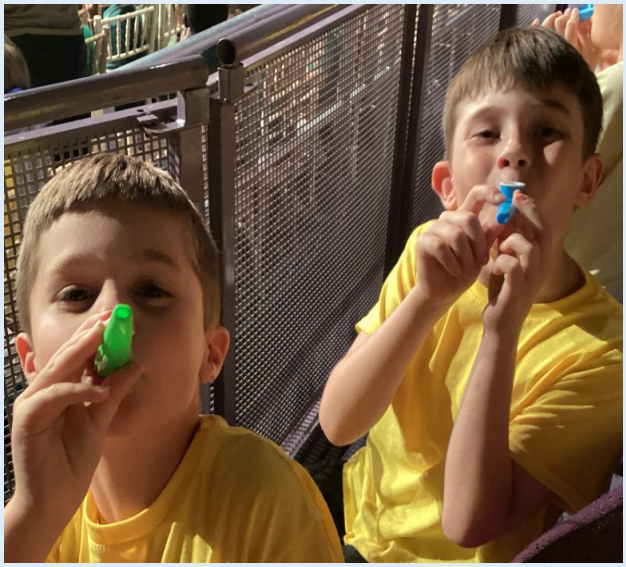
Dear Parents and carers,

I hope this newsletter finds you well. As we move towards the end of another busy and exciting last fortnight, we have had so many fantastic events taking place across the school. Our children have continued to demonstrate enthusiasm, teamwork and resilience, making us incredibly proud. We are delighted to share some of the highlights with you.

PDET Just Sing

On Thursday night, Year 4 visited the Derngate Theatre to take part in the PDET Just Sing Event. We had such a fab day and it was wonderful opportunity for the children to perform in front of such a large audience. It was such a joy to see the enthusiasm and happiness shine through in our children's response to the songs. A big thank to Mrs Hunt for helping to organise such a fab event!









Rotary Club Awards

We were delighted to celebrate several of our pupils who were recognised through the Rotary Club Awards in Celebration this week. These awards celebrate children who consistently demonstrate our school values and have gone above and beyond throughout the year. Whether through kindness, determination, respect or responsibility, each child has made a positive difference to our school community. Congratulations to all of our award winners, we are incredibly proud of your achievements!







Country Dance Festival

We were delighted to welcome our community into school on Friday to share the hard work the children have been putting into their country dancing this half term. We were amazed by the beautifully performed and highly intricate May Pole dances, which showcased the children's teamwork, concentration and perseverance. It was also lovely to invite our families to join in with the Pat-a-Cake Polka, creating a wonderful sense of community and fun. Thank you to everyone who came along to support the event and make it such a special afternoon. As always this event would not happen without the dedication of the amazing Mrs Day, thank you again Sandra!





<u>Summer Fund Raiser</u>

After the Country Dancing, we hosted a fab Summer Fund Raiser. The children ran lots of stalls including classics like ‘Hook-a-Duck’ and ‘Name the Teddy’. The school was jam packed and I’m sure that we raised lots of money which will help the school as we look to purchase some more exciting playground equipment!











Hot Weather

We have certainly experienced some exceptionally hot weather over the past few weeks, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support in ensuring that children have come to school with water bottles, sun hats and sun cream. Your support has enabled us to keep everyone as comfortable and safe as possible while still enjoying all of the exciting activities taking place.
We continue to monitor the weather closely and follow the latest guidance, making any necessary adjustments to the school day and communicating these with families whenever required. Thank you for your understanding and flexibility as we work together to ensure the children remain safe during periods of extreme heat.

Water Fest!

We didn't let the heat wave get us down and the children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in an water fest! It was a fantastic way to cool down and celebrate all of their hard work this year. There were plenty of smiles, laughter and a few very soggy teachers too!









We have certainly had lots of fun over the last fortnight and there is much more to come as we say goodbye to our lovely year 6 cohort. Have a wonderful weekend and lets hope we are all smiling on Monday morning after the England match!

New Instagram Account

Don't forget to follow the school on our new Instagram account- **@cranford_primary**. We have already shared lots of photos, updates and celebrations from school life, and there is plenty more to come.

Safeguarding Matters

If you have any concerns about the well being of any child or adult, please speak to either Mr Tyman (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Mrs Payne (Deputy Safeguarding Lead) and Mr Morris (Deputy Safeguarding Led). For out of hours concerns please contact the Northamptonshire MASH (Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub) on:

0300 176 7000 or out of hours (**01604) 626938**

I hope you found our monthly Internet Safety Newsletter to be of help! If you have any concerns or questions about this area please do contact the school office.

End of Term Prayer

Heavenly Father,

As we enter the final weeks of this school year, we give You thanks for Your love and guidance throughout this term. Thank You for the gifts You have given each member of our school community and for the many opportunities we have had to learn, grow and serve one another.

Help us to use these remaining days wisely. Give us perseverance in our work, joy in our learning, and kindness in our words and actions. May we encourage one another and celebrate the achievements of every child with grateful hearts.

Bless our pupils, families, governors, staff and all who are part of our school community. Continue to watch over us, strengthen us in times of challenge, and fill us with Your peace.

As we prepare for the summer holidays, help us to finish the term well, always seeking to follow the example of Jesus in all that we do.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Summer Term

Tuesday 07/07/2026 – Whole School Transition Day
Tuesday 07/07/2026 – New intake Teddy Bears Picnic
Friday 10/07/2026 – Celebration Assembly
Friday 10/07/2026 – Year 6 Leavers Event 6pm
Tuesday 14/07/2026 – Year 6 Twin Lakes Trip
Wednesday 15/07/2026 – FOCs Summer Disco 6pm
Thursday 16/07/2026 – Oaks class Afternoon Performance 2pm
Thursday 16/07/2026 – Oaks class Evening Performance 6pm
Friday 17/07/2026 – Year 6 Leaver's Assembly 9am
Friday 17/07/2026 – End of Term
Thursday 03/09/2026 – Start of Term