



CROSSHALL CLOSE UP



CROSSHALL JUNIOR SCHOOL WEEKLY UPDATES | W.E. 10.11.23

Dear Parent/ Carer,

The weather may have turned cold, but the mood in school is very warm and positive.

We had Open Day today and nearly one hundred and fifty families toured the school - being escorted by their excellent 'tour guides'.

It was lovely to meet parents and see proud children showing-off their classrooms, their lockers and exploring corners of the school they hadn't seen for a while.

We will be welcoming Year Six parents again very soon this month.

Sign up for a school lunch too - they are delicious as well as fantastic value at £5.00 for a two-course meal. Warm up on these cold winter days!

On Monday, we acknowledged Remembrance Day with a dedicated assembly and reflection time, regarding a career of service. This year, we reflected especially on the contribution of people from the Caribbean and made links to last week's very successful Book Week. As you know, it is the 75th anniversary of Windrush.

Have a good weekend!

Hope to see you again in school soon

Anne Eardley | Head Teacher

WALKING HOME FROM SCHOOL

Year Six children are allowed to walk home from school once a permission slip has been signed by their parent/ carer, and returned to their class teacher.

Where possible, children should walk home with a friend or in a group.

Any suspicious behaviour by members of the public should be reported to the police and we ask that you also inform the school too. This will help us all to keep our children safe and ensure that the local police are aware of any suspicious behaviour in and around our community.

Our local community PCSO will be coming into school in the next few weeks to discuss safety when walking home with our Year Six children. More details to follow.

UPCOMING EVENTS

13th-17th November
Anti-Bullying Week

13th November
World Kindness Day - [wear odd socks](#)

15th November
#AskCJS session - 'Online Tools' [LETTER](#)

16th November
Year Four Grafham Info Evening [LETTER](#)
CJS PTA Christmas Jumper Sale 15:20-16:00

17th November
Celebration Assembly - Invite Only
Children In Need Charity Day - [wear spotty non-uniform](#)
CJS PTA Christmas Jumper Sale after school
PTA Quiz Night. Doors open 7pm, start 730pm

20th-24th November
Road Safety Week
Come & Join Us - Grandparents Lunch Week

20th November
Flu Immunisation Day [LETTER](#)

30th November
Edinburgh Bonus Day. [3LG, 4JE, 5AC, 6PM to wear token blue \(i.e. socks, hair bobble etc\)](#)
Year Six Maya Mask Event [LETTER](#)

1st December
Christmas Decoration Day
[Wear a Christmas jumper and non-uniform](#)

7th & 8th December
Year Three: Christmas Assembly [LETTER](#)

wc 13th December
Instrumental Concert

14th & 15th December
PTA Christmas Shops

18th December
PTA Christmas Panto

19th December
Carol Service at St Mary's

20th December
PTA Christmas Disco

21st December - Last Day of Term
Christmas Dinner Day
[Wear a Christmas jumper and non-uniform](#)

Celebrate Grandparents



WITH A SCHOOL LUNCH

Enjoy a delicious two-course meal with
your grandchild(ren)
Book in advance via School Office

Adult £5.00

Child £2.50

Available from
Monday 20th to Friday 24th November



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CJS PTA EVENTS FOR REST OF THIS TERM

Christmas Jumper Sale: Next Thursday and Friday, after school from 15:20-16:00 purchase a good condition, second-hand Christmas Jumper for £2 per jumper. If you have any unwanted jumpers at home, please consider donating them by dropping them into the school office before Wednesday.

PTA Quiz Night: Next Friday 17th November is our quiz night. Doors open 7pm, start at 7:30pm. £3 entry per person. Come and have some fun while supporting the school.

Christmas Shop: Our annual Christmas Shop will be held on Thursday 14th & Friday 15th December. Letter to come out soon.



QUIZ NIGHT

Friday 17th November 2023
Doors open 7:00pm
Starts: 7:30pm
Crosshall Junior School Main Hall

'BRING YOUR OWN' refreshments & snacks

£1 STAND-UP BINGO and much more fun!

Over 16s only
Entry £3 per person
Max 8 per team

We look forward to seeing you on the night to help support the school & children through PTA events




INTERNATIONAL KINDNESS DAY & ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

Next week is Anti-Bullying Week - Monday kicks off with **International Kindness Day** and children may **come to school in odd socks**. It's a day to remind ourselves of the importance of being kind to others - one of the school's values - and to celebrate what makes us all unique.



This year the **theme of Anti-Bullying Week is 'Make a Noise About Bullying'**. we won't like everyone and we don't always agree, but we can choose respect and unity. Let's come together to have discussions about what bullying means to us, how banter can turn into something more hurtful, and what we can do to stop bullying. Together, we can make a difference and take a stand against bullying.

Assembly Theme Next Week:
New Beginnings



NUMBOTS

COINS David D

IMPROVED Ava J

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to Esther, 4NT who recently entered a swimming competition and won the Under Nine Breaststroke race. Well done!




	SPEED	Stanley D
	COINS	Callum P
	IMPROVED	Summer H

TTRS HOUSE BATTLE NEXT WEEK:
Edinburgh v London

YEAR SIX: PRACTICE PAPERS

If you would like to purchase practice papers and additional resources for your child, we have negotiated a discount for all parents.



Complete the form on page 8 of the letter sent on 15th September [HERE](#) and send in your payment to school **by Friday 24th November 2023**.

Parent & Carer Info. Click below
[Parents & Carers – Times Tables](#)
[Rock Stars \(trockstars.com\)](#)

ASK YOUR CHILD A QUESTION:

Year Three

Can you explain the three main types of force?

Year Four

What is a complex sentence?

Year Five

Name and describe the phases of the moon.

Year Six

What did the Maya do for entertainment?