



# NEWSLETTER 31

## MONDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2018

Dear Crescent Community,

It really is a busy time of year, with so many exciting events planned over the next five weeks. Read on for all the latest updates.

SPORTS DAY THIS WEEK

Remember that Sports Day is tomorrow, Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June!  
Please come along and show your support! Times are as follows:

- 9:00am – 11:00am – Year 3, 4, 5 & 6
- 1:00pm – 3:00pm – Reception, Year 1 & 2



### Secondary School



#### YEAR 5 SECONDARY SCHOOL TALK

Don't forget that tomorrow, Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June, we will be holding an evening for parents of year 5 children to give advice on the processes and procedures for applying for a secondary school place for September 2019. The talk will begin at 6:00pm and last around 1 hour in the Main Hall. A member of the Croydon Schools Admissions team will also be there to answer any questions you may have. We hope to see lots of you there!

#### OUR PTA: THE FRIENDS OF THE CRESCENT

**Our Friends of the Crescent need Volunteers to help man the various stalls and activities they have planned for this year's Summer Fair on the 13<sup>th</sup> July 2018. Without volunteers many events cannot run, so we really hope people step forward and lend their support.**

**Join them in Coffee Morning this Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, where you can meet them and sign up to help.**

**The current Friends of The Crescent are:**

- Kathryn Kemp - Chair
- Grazia Sguelgia & Alessandra Billi - Co Treasurers
- Lauraine Clarke, Gisela Sant & Ria Dannan - Co Secretaries
- Brenda Fuller - Publicity Officer



## RECEPTION TO LADYLAND FARM

All three Reception classes will be going to Ladyland Farm this Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June. Children should arrive at the normal start time and should be collected at 3:30pm. Children should be dressed in suitable home clothes (long trousers/tracksuit bottoms) with the school sweatshirt and WELLINGTON BOOTS for the farm visit including a light waterproof jacket and a sunhat (please apply sun cream to your child before school). Children will need to have clean shoes in a labelled plastic bag for their journey home. Every child will be provided with a free packed lunch and drink. Each child will need to carry their lunch so will need to bring a named backpack.



## MARVELLOUS MEDICINE MINISTRINGS PERFORMANCE

On Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018 we would like to invite Marvellous Medicine parents to join us for a demonstration from the children on the music they have learned to play on either the violin or cello this year. This will take place in the Main Hall at 9:10am, and last approximately 20 minutes.



## YEAR 4 SLEEPOVER

On Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018 we have arranged for the year 4 children to have a sleepover at school! If you would like your child to take part, please ensure you have signed the consent form and paid via Parent Pay. On Friday bring them back to school for 5:30pm promptly. They will be having pizza and chips for dinner first, followed by games outside, a film before bed with a snack and drink. Boys will sleep in the Year 1 classrooms and girls will sleep in the year 6 classrooms. All children will sleep on roll mats provided by the school. Please collect your child by 8:00am promptly on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2018.



## YEAR 2 – PIRATES DAY

Year 2 have been enjoying the topic 'Pirates V Mermaids' and on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2018 they will be having a Pirate Day. All year 2 children should come to school dress as a Pirate. Be as creative as you would like! If you have any questions, please feel free to speak with your child's teacher.



## PARENTS' EVENINGS

Letters about Parents' Evening will be sent home this week, informing you of how you can book your 10 minute slot. This year Parents' Evenings are on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July from 3:30pm – 6:30pm and on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July from 3:30pm – 6:00pm (please note a couple of classes may be on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, this will be on your child letter if this affects you).



This is a very important evening and provides you with an opportunity to talk to your child's teacher about their progress and achievements, as well as any issues or concerns.

We have an easy to use online appointment booking system. This allows you to choose your own appointment time with teachers and you will receive an email confirming your appointment.

## SCHOOL LUNCHES

Due to our suppliers increasing costs for food we will sadly have to increase our school lunch price from September 2018. This will now be £2.30 per child, per meal.



## CURRICULUM INFORMATION

Don't forget to check our website for the very latest updates on your child's learning. Under the Curriculum tab, you will find overviews of the school year, as well as information about this half term's learning, word mats (containing key vocabulary) and the latest home learning challenges for each year group.

<http://www.thecrescentprimaryschool.co.uk/school-blog/curriculum-information/>

This weeks 'Year Groups in Focus' is Year 6...

# Chaperon Rouge

In Year 6, we have produced some tense and dramatic pieces of narrative based on a video of Chaperon Rouge.



"... a menacing, scarlet mist descended upon the sleeping forest, engulfing everything in its blood-red hue."  
Maggie - Hamlet

"... an eerie silence echoed across the derelict ruins. Apprehension was in the air."  
Daquon - Othello

"In a flash, the trees melted and morphed into demon-like shapes. The peaceful sky had turned into a menace."  
Marlon - Tempest

"Creatures moved as if hunting for Chaperon Rouge: they were blood-thirsty beasts."  
Georgeet - Macbeth

Overhanging rock stood as a balcony whilst it stared at the sinister trees; they were prison bars that had their own way of keeping people in.  
Lily - King Lear

# STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception, Year 1 & 2



Year 3 & 4



Year 5 & 6

# VALUE STARS



Reception, Year 1 & 2



Year 3 & 4



Year 5 & 6

## KEY DATES FOR THE SUMMER TERM 2018

Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	9:00am – 11:00am 1:00pm – 3:00pm 6:00pm – 7:00pm	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Sports Day Reception, Year 1 & 2 - Sports Day Year 5 Secondary School Talk
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	12:00pm	Diagon Alley swimming lesson
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	All day 12:00pm	Reception trip to Ladyland Farm Hogwarts swimming lesson
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	9:10am 5:30pm	Marvellous Medicine Ministrings Performance Year 4 Sleepover
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	All day	Year 2 Pirates Day – Dress up
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	12:00pm 6:30pm – 7:30pm	Ollivanders swimming lesson New reception parents meeting (September 2018)
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	9:00am 12:00pm	Billionaire class to Shrek's Adventure Diagon Alley swimming lesson
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	All day 12:00pm	Year 1 toys workshop Hogwarts swimming lesson
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	9:00am 9:10am 3:00pm	Midnight & Great Escape classes to Shrek's Adventure Giant Peach Ministrings Performance Book Swap on the Playground