

CRICK PRIMARY SCHOOL

16th January 2015

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BIRTHDAY BELLRINGERS

Happy Birthday to the following children who celebrated their birthday this week – Ben T, Zak M, Bethan R, Anabel & Rosa D, Evie K, Remie H and Tamsin C!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Spring Term 1

19.01.15	Swimming
25.01.15	FOCS Pub Quiz
26.01.15	Swimming
	Maths Problem Solving Day
27.01.15	Biomass Boiler Opening Ceremony @ 2pm
30.01.15	Balance for Everdon is due
02.02.15	Swimming
	Site Safety Assembly by bmJV (contractors completing M1 works)
05.02.15	Cluster Candlemas Service for Y5 & 6 @ St Margaret's Church
05.02.15	Life Education Bus
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09.02.15	E-Safety Week for all classes
	Swimming
	PCSO Humphries visiting Saturn Class
10.02.15	Safer Internet Day
12.02.15	Parents' are invited to come into their child's class to find out about E-Safety – 3pm
13.02.15	Jupiter Class Assembly
	End of Spring Term 1

Spring Term 2

23.02.15	School reopens
	Everdon Residential for Y4
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02.03.15	Swimming
03.03.15	Maths Problem Solving Day
16.03.15	Swimming
	PCSO Humphries visiting
23.03.15	Swimming
27.03.15	Mars Class Assembly
	End of Spring 2

Summer Term 1

13.04.15	Training Day
14.04.15	School reopens



STAR PUPIL OF THE WEEK

Our Star Pupils this week are:

Venus – Evie K

Stars – Victoria G

Mars – Freddie H

Jupiter – Finlay D

Saturn – William M

Neptune – Robyn W & Daisy C

Little Rotter's Gardening Club - Changes to timetable

Little Rotter's **Group 1** will meet with **Group 2** next Monday 19th January. If the forecast is dry we will meet outside so please come prepared for muddy ground! On 26th January and 2nd February (**Group 3 & 4**) I will be attending training outside of school so I propose to reorganise these sessions to Friday 30th January and 6th February respectively.

I have heard some great suggestions for Group names to date and I am looking forward to the group votes and let's get gardening! Mrs Davis has already replaced and resited our Fruit Garden in preparation for the new extension and there will be lots of work to do nearer Spring time to save the plants in our Butterfly and Herb Gardens. In the meantime it is Big Garden Birdwatch (24-25 Jan) weekend soon, which birds are visiting your garden? What tasty treats do you offer? <https://www.rspb.org.uk/birdwatch/>

Mrs Oldham

Clubs week beginning 19th January 2015

	Lunchtime	After-school
Monday	Y6 Literacy Booster Little Rotters	Y6 Literacy Booster Hotshots – 5pm
Tuesday	Sewing Club	Y6 Maths Booster
Wednesday	Y6 Maths Booster	Dodgeball
Thursday	Loom Band Club (led by Y5 girls for Reception children) Y5 Literacy Booster	Let's Get Cooking
Friday	Y6 Maths Booster Y5 Maths Booster	Football

CRICK COLTS FOOTBALL CLUB

Crick Colts Football Club are looking for 1-2 more U9 and U11 players to strengthen existing squads, boys or girls will need to be in school years 4 or 6. All coaches are DBS checked and FA Level 1 qualified. Both are fun friendly teams and have matches on Saturday mornings. For more information, please contact Ian Gidley on 01788 824346 or igidley@btinternet.com.

FOCS NEWS

KS2 Cinema Night - Friday 16th January

Tonight's the night!!

We are showing *How to Train your Dragon 2* which is a PG certificate. 6pm til 8pm.

Entry is £1 which includes a snack and a drink.

Please ensure children do not bring any phones or other electronic devices with them, thank you.

FOCS Quiz Night - Sunday 25th January

Don't forget our quiz night at the Red Lion, always a fun night and a good fundraiser!

Ladies Indulgence Evening – Friday 17th April

More information will given nearer the time.

FOCS TEAM

teamfocs@googlegroups.com

Free school meals

If you think you might be eligible for free school meals for your child or children please do register with Northamptonshire County Council. This registration provides extra funding to help us support you child or children in school but is only available following registration.

This includes all Key Stage 1 and Foundation Stage children even though they are automatically entitled to a free meal, the school will only receive the extra funds if registration is completed.

Am I entitled?

Children may be entitled to free school meals if you or your partner are in receipt of certain benefits. Your child must attend school on a full-time basis.

Your child will be eligible for Free School Meals if you or your partner receive either:

- Income Support
- Income based Job Seekers Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, with no element of Working Tax Credit*, and a household income below £16,190 (as assessed by HM Revenue and Customs)
- National Asylum Seekers Support
- Guarantee Element of State Pension Credit
- Income Related Employment and Support Allowance

*Please note: If you have recently stopped working, or have reduced your working hours to less than 16 per week, and are receiving a four week run-on of Working Tax Credit payments, you can apply for Free School Meals for four weeks, at the commencement of the run-on period.

Apply online at :

<http://www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/en/councilservices/EducationandLearning/Parents/school-meals/meals/pages/apply.aspx>

How does the school know if I am entitled?

An online checking system, provided by the Department for Education, is used to process applications. This system links with your benefit provider and confirms whether or not you are eligible for Free School Meals. It does not provide us with any other information. Your eligibility will be reviewed on a regular basis; however, you must inform us of any change in circumstances as soon as possible.

Contact the Free School Meals team

Email: freeschoolmeals@northamptonshire.gov.uk

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