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Crayke Chronicle

FOLLOW YOUR PATHWAY AND WE GROW TOGETHER WITH CONFIDENCE

*You did not choose me, I chose you that you might **go and bear fruit, fruit that will last** so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. John 15:16*

Respect

Friendship

Forgiveness

Determination

Message from the Headteacher

It's been another busy week in school and excitement levels were high yesterday lunchtime as our youngest children prepared to meet pupils from other local schools for a cluster Multi-Skills event – see more here!

Mrs Dobson and Miss Walker are thrilled with the battery donations – we have already received over 600! Please note we are able to accept ANY types of batteries (not just Duracell!)

Just a reminder to submit your nomination for our upcoming Parent Governor elections if you would like to consider becoming a governor for our school. See here for more details:

<https://craykeschool.org/2024/parent-governor-vacancy/>

Have a lovely weekend!

Judi Jackson
Headteacher

News from school this week – Multi-Skills Apple and Beech Classes



Beech and Apple took part in a fun filled sporting afternoon. Apart from a few hail stones at the start of the afternoon, the weather stayed dry. We rotated round 10 different activities. The children enjoyed using different skills but the highlight had to be the inflatable obstacle course.



Mrs Helfferich, PE Subject Lead

News from school this week – RSE Policy

Following its recent approval at the Governing Body meeting, the RSE policy is available on our website to view, alongside our other policy documents, here <https://craykeschool.org/policies/>

Parents of children in Year 5 and Year 6 will be contacted directly about the upcoming RSE lessons before the end of the summer term, including an invite to view the teaching materials.

News from school this week – PAT Dog

Summer Term



PAT Dog Finn, received a warm welcome from the children in Beech Class, we all enjoyed learning how to enjoy being around a dog and keeping safe.

A huge thank you to Mrs Hayes and our session helper Alice, Finn just loves her.

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THERAPY**



News from school this week – Lunchtime Clubs



Mrs Gears, Learning Mentor

News from school this week



Mrs Seligman... Marathon Runner!

An enormous well done to Mrs Seligman on her fantastic achievement last weekend! Thank you so much to all the parents and carers who have supported Mrs Seligman in her venture, I know that she is hugely appreciative of all your kind messages and donations.

<https://2024tcslondonmarathon.enthuse.com/pf/millie-seligman>



News from school this week - ArtBytes

REMINDER: ArtBytes Competition- Voting open 15th- 30th April

Year 5's artwork is now available to view on the ArtBytes website and voting is OPEN! The ArtBytes independent panel has selected 3 short-listers who we're able to vote for, these are:

Percy, Joah and Sam!

To vote:

Go to www.artbytes.co.uk and Browse Schools from the drop down menu to select Crayke. Underneath every shortlisted artwork on each schools' page you will see "Vote Now". When clicking on the vote button, you will need to enter your email, check for a confirmation email and click "confirm" to verify your vote. This ensures only one vote per email is registered and any subsequent votes with the same email will override the previous vote.

The pupil with the most votes from each school wins a place in the ArtBytes Virtual Gallery and the school with the most votes wins the Community Engagement Award - prize generously donated by [Dryad Education](#)!

Huge congratulations to Percy, Joah and Sam as well as all of the Year 5 pupils who have worked so hard to create their entries. It's worth an explore of the other schools too to gain ideas for different projects if you're someone who enjoys making art. We'll keep you updated on the results.

Upcoming Events – SATs Week Year 6

During SATs week (Monday 13th May - Thursday 16th May) the Year 6s are invited to a special daily SATs breakfast club at 8.15am. Here, they will have the chance to spend some time together as a year group, listen to some 'feel-good' music, have a good breakfast and feel ready for the test/s that day.

To make this happen, we are politely asking for donations of breakfast items listed on this document: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1HW4oz8HlgW540RZkQamna9jGO-SahYpqPjCLF7ldxxs/edit?usp=sharing> Please add any items you are able to contribute, along with your name to the document. Children can still attend if you are unable to contribute items.

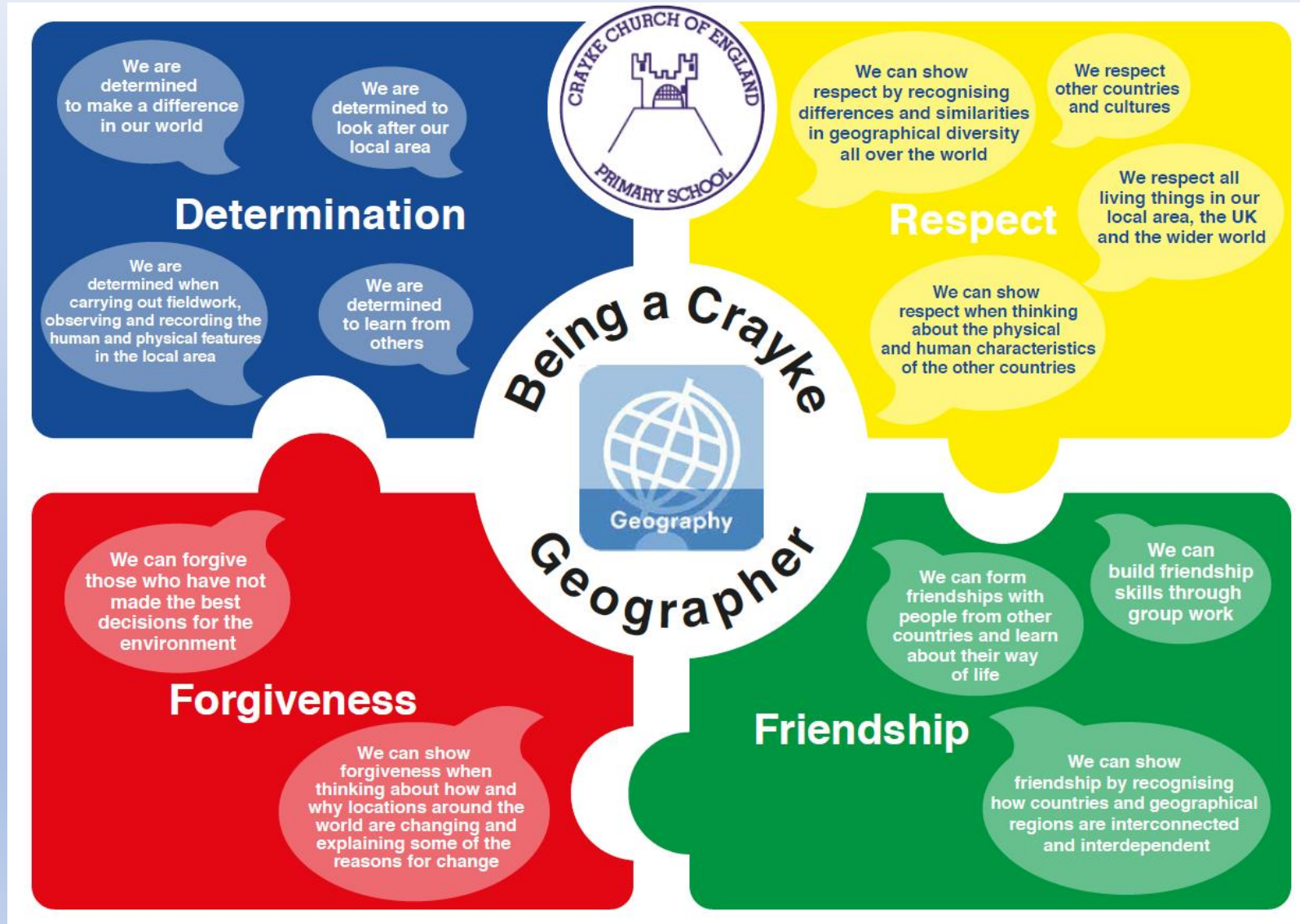
Please could you get in touch at lrayner@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk to confirm whether or not your child will be attending our special breakfast club during SATs week, so that we are able to cater accordingly.

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Louise Rayner

Year 6 Teacher

This week's Jigsaw... Being a Crayke Geographer



Class News- APPLE

We have learnt about so many different things this week:

Monday – World Earth Day, we learnt about how and why we must look after our earth. We went on a litter pick around the school grounds.

Tuesday -St George's Day/Shakespeare's Birthday. We learnt about St George, we made flags and shields. We also learnt about William Shakespeare.

Wednesday – Beep Beep Day. We learnt a road safety rap and took part in a traffic survey.

Thursday – World Penguin Day. We painted pictures of penguins, we learnt where they live and what other creatures live near them.

Mrs Helfferich



Class News – HOLLY

I was a very proud teacher this week when I received this message and photo from Evangeline's mum:

"I wanted to share with you this picture from when we went to London over the Easter holidays. We went to the Natural History Museum and Evangeline immediately spotted this sign about Mary Anning and the fossil that she had found. She proceeded to tell me all about her and what she had learnt at school which was quite a lot and was an education for me!"

What a brilliant link between learning inside and outside of school, as they say 'You never really know something until you teach it to someone else'

Mrs Chandler



Extra Curricular Clubs - Summer

Some clubs have limited capacity and places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. In the event of a club being fully booked, your child's name will be added to a waiting list and you will be advised if a place becomes available. Booking is not required for before school or lunchtime clubs. For after school clubs run by school staff (denoted with *) please email Mrs Bacon on admin@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk to book a place.

Before School:

Club	Day and Time	Group
Run a Mile	Monday, Tuesday Thursday & Friday 8:30am	All welcome – parents and carers included!

After School:

Day	Club		
Monday	Craft* (£10 pay via ParentPay) 3:30 – 4:15pm Years R – 5 (NOTE NEW YEAR GROUPS) Mrs Seligman	SATs* (no charge) 3:30 – 4:15pm Year 6 Mrs Rayner	
Tuesday	Multi-Sports (fee paid direct) – NEW BLOCK TO START 7 May TO INCLUDE RECEPTION 3:30 – 4:30pm Years 1 – 6 Mark Cromack		
Wednesday	Junior Duke* PLACES FULL FOR YEAR 3:30pm – 4:15pm Year 3/4 Mrs Helfferich	Music Ensemble Club (£35 pay via ParentPay) Group 2 May – July 3:30 – 4:30pm Years R – 4 (NOTE NEW YEAR GROUPS) Miss Leggatt, SING Education	
Thursday	NEW CLUB THIS TERM! Board Games* (£10 via ParentPay) 3:30 – 4:15pm Years R - 4 Mrs Seligman	NEW CLUB THIS TERM! Phonics Games Drop in Club* (No charge – parents to accompany) 3:30 – 4:15pm Year 1 Mrs Dobson	Times Tables Club* (no charge) 3:30-4:15pm Year 4 Mrs Chandler
Friday	NEW CLUB THIS TERM! Football (fee paid direct) 3:30 – 4:30pm Years 3 - 6 John Dutton Small Group FC		

Club News – Please read carefully

- Phonics Games Club will run on the following dates: Thursday 2/9/16/23 May and Wednesday 5 June
- Music Ensemble Group Block 2 runs from May 1 to July 10 – **this is now open for booking for children in Reception to Year 4.**

Awards in School This Week

	Apple	Beech	Holly	Oak
Stars of the Week	Joe Balmforth	Cameron Colman	Leo Bunker-Barnes	Kiera Rosa-Keyter
		Letty Wilkinson	Elijah Brown	Joah Brown
Gold Awards for Sport	Ava Carvalho	Sean Unsworth	Mrs Seligman Wilfred Liddell	Dylan Swiers
Headteacher Awards Being a Crayke Citizen	Martha Seligman		Isabelle Sargent	
Cloakroom Ninja tidiest cloakroom trophy	Oak Class			

Team Points

Team	Points
Mozart	807
Bowie	778
Fitzgerald	906
Wonder	940

Well done **Wonder** team!



Wolfgang Mozart



David Bowie



Stevie Wonder



Ella Fitzgerald

PE Kits w/c 29 April 2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beech				X	X
Holly		X			X
Oak		X			X

Apple: Children in Apple Class need to bring their Forest School kit in each **Friday**. Please send their PE kit in on Monday as children will change for PE in school. They will bring PE kits home for washing periodically.

Please ensure that on PE days, the children wear their hoodies, school jumpers or cardigans alongside white or blue t-shirts and black or navy shorts or jogging bottoms.

Attendance and Punctuality

This week's attendance figures: **97.5%** School Target: **96%** Last week's national attendance: **94.8%**

	Attendance	Punctuality
Apple	95.7%	1 late
Beech	97%	3 lates (2 children)
Holly	98.1%	2 lates (1 child)
Oak	97.5%	0 lates

The school gates are closed promptly at 9am; please be here before then!

If you are unsure whether or not to send your child to school, have a look at this website:

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>





CHASA QUIZ NIGHT TONIGHT Friday 26th April 7.30pm

Easingwold Scout Hut - £10 a ticket - includes first drink and nibbles/sweet treats

★ Tickets still available, please support the school by coming along! ★ Link below for tickets

If you can't make it, you can still support school by purchasing **RAFFLE TICKETS** online - £1 each and prizes allocated in order on quiz night.

🎁 Some great prizes! 🎁 - 2 x tickets to York City FC game of your choice 24/25 season - Family Pass to Footgolf at York Golf Range - Nando's voucher meal for 2 - Mamma Doreen's Voucher 4 x cupcakes - £10 York Wines Voucher - Bottled Wine and more...

Please visit this link for quiz tickets and raffle tickets:

<https://crayke-home-and-school-association.sumupstore.com>

All proceeds go towards a new interactive screen for the school hall. Thank you for your support, CHASA



EVERY FRIDAY 3:30PM
FROM 3RD MAY

FROZEN FRIDAY

CONES £1
FLAKE
MINT
STRAWBERRY
TOFFEE

LOLLIES £1
FRUIT SPIRALS
CALIPPO STYLE (STRAWBERRY /
ORANGE/ COLA/ BLACKCURRANT /
LIME)

SUBJECT TO STOCK

VISA V PAY American Express Maestro

The poster features a central text area surrounded by colorful illustrations of various ice cream treats, including cones, lollies, and swirls, set against a white background with a black border.



CHASA EVENTS PLAN 2024-25		
Month	CHASA Event	Approximate Cost/Request to Parents & Carers
Apr-24	Adults Quiz Night	£10 per ticket includes a drink & nibbles
May-24	Break The Rules Day	Donations (suggested 50p per rule)
Jun-24	Doughnut Stall at Alne St Fair	Come along to Alne Street Fair and support the CHASA stall!
Jun-24	Summer Fair	Donations for tombolas/cake stall/jam jars
Jul-24	Sports Day Refreshments	50p-£2
Sep-24	Reception Parent/Carer Night & AGM	FREE
Oct-24	Autumn Disco	£5 ticket donation
Oct-24	Adults Race Night	Ticket price TBC
Nov-24	Bonfire Night Stall at Sports Hall	Sweet Treat donations TBC
Nov-Dec-24	Rainbow Raffle	Hamper donations + £1 per raffle ticket
Dec-24	Christmas Craft	£5 ticket donation
Feb-25	Valentines Disco/Cinema Night	£5 ticket donation
Feb-Mar-25	Adult Luxury Raffle	£5 per ticket
Mar-25	Wonka Bars	£2 per bar
Mar-Apr-25	Easter Nominations/ Easter Wall	FREE
Apr-25	Easter Craft	£5 ticket donation
May-25	Adults Quiz Night	£10-£15 per ticket (TBC)
May-25	Break The Rules Day	Donations (suggested 50p per rule)
Jun-25	Doughnut Stall at Alne St Fair	Come along to Alne Street Fair and support the CHASA stall!
Jun-25	Potential School Camp Out	Cost TBC
Jun-25	Summer Fair	Donations for tombolas/cake stall/ jam jars
Jul-25	Sports Day Refreshments	50p-£2
Ongoing Ways to Support School	CHASA Event	Approximate Cost/Request to Parents & Carers
Fridays After school	Tuck shop/ Ice-creams	50p - £1.50
October/ March/ Summer/ New Starter Meeting	Pre-loved Uniform Sales	Uniform donations. Uniform purchases 50p-£3
https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/crayke-c-of-e-primary-school	School Lottery (Weekly)	£1 per ticket (sign up to monthly direct debit)
Donate used ink cartridges	Used Ink Cartridges	Used Ink cartridge donations
https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/	Easyfundraising	Use for online purchases for free donations to school
https://www.stikins.co.uk/	Stikins Uniform Name Labels	30% of price paid is donated to school
Contact: chasasecretary@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk	Match Funding & Charity Grants	Will your company award grants/ match-fund CHASA charity events?
Clothes Bag Collection Days - Dates TBC	Clothes Collection (CHASA will sell)	Pre-loved clothes (adults & kids), shoes and bag donations

In order to help parents plan ahead, CHASA have created this brilliant overview of upcoming events.

Not only does it show just how hard CHASA work for our school, this also demonstrates the vast range of fundraising activities which you and your children have the opportunity to be involved in.

We are so lucky!

Church News – from the Family Service Team

As ever, Church services in the Benefice can be found on our website at <https://bylandchurches.wordpress.com/services-in-church/>

