



# The Infant Informative



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## **CRAWLEY RIDGE INFANT SCHOOL NURSERY!**



**OPENING JANUARY  
4TH 2023**



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The Reception children just loved their Pirate Day this week. Thank you parents for dressing them up so well, they had such fun!

Next week, on Tuesday, children will have a transition morning. They will meet their new teacher and see their new classroom. During this morning, parents will be notified of who their child's next teacher is. This will be via ParentMail. Parents should drop Reception and Year 1 children to school as normal and collect as normal. The majority of our Year 2 children will go to their junior school first thing in the morning, with no need to come onto our school site. The children will be brought back to our school in the afternoon for normal collection. Please read the information provided to you by the junior school. Year 2 children who are not visiting their new junior school for transition on Tuesday will be looked after in school during the transition morning by members of our staff. They should be dropped to school as normal.

Excitingly, the farm will join us in school next Thursday!! I hope the children are as excited as I am. This has been kindly funded by our amazing PTA - thank you. We have sent information about the visit, remember, all children will need an extra pair of footwear to change into - animals can be messy!

Finally, this evening, for the first time in 18 years, 7 of our planets will align in the night sky. Astronomers call this a 'planetary parade'. You will be able to see at least 5 of the planets with your own eyes (Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn) with Neptune and Uranus only visible with apparatus.

Have a great weekend. Mr O'Shea

Boohe ☺

## DIARY DATES

**Summer 2022**

14/06/22	1pm Author Visit Alison Simpson Bohdi the pirate dog ✓
15/06/22	Year 2 leavers photos ✓
22/06/22	Year R Pirate Day ✓
28/06/22	Transition Day
30/06/22	Millers Ark Farm Visit - Kindly funded by the PTA
30/06/22	4:30pm Year 2 Disco - organised by the PTA
06/07/22	September 22 intake - Children enjoy story time with their new teacher
07/07/22	9am to 11am Sports morning - weather permitting
08/07/22	Year 2 Educational visit - details to follow
09/07/22	Summer Fete - organised by the PTA
12/07/22	Year 2 Activity Day
18/07/22	2pm - 3pm Year 2 leavers assembly with parents

You can always find our dates on our 'news and events' tab under Summer Activities!

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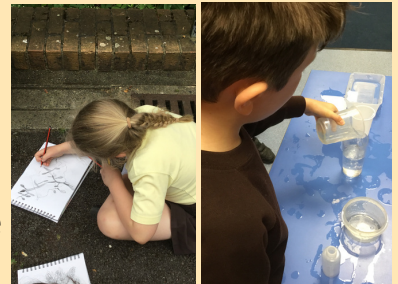
'What did you do today?'  
'Nothing'

That's not true, take a look at this!

**Reception** Aha me hearties! The children have had a wonderful week with all things pirate and enjoyed listening to the key text of Bodhi the Pirate Dog. The highlight of the week was most definitely pirate day on Wednesday, when Reception was taken over by little pirates! The children all looked fantastic in their attire and had lots of fun making flags, looking for treasure, singing songs and playing pirate games. In maths, the children have investigated odd and even numbers and continued to use all of their sounds and 'harder to read and spell' words within reading and writing in phonics.

**Year 1** This week year 1 have been working on embedding their knowledge of adding, subtracting, multiplication and division through solving word problems. They looked for clues to help them figure out which process to use. They also worked with numbers to 100 by ordering them. In English we have taken our theme of coasts and the seaside to focus on 'The Lighthouse Keeper' stories. The children retold the story and wrote a description of Mr Grinling, the lighthouse keeper. The children also learnt about plurals. They learnt about adding 's' or 'es' to nouns when there is more than one. They played a game on the playground where they had to find their matching plural partner which was great fun! In Art we have also followed our coastal theme by recreating postcard pictures in our sketch books of lighthouses, boats and beaches. They had to look very carefully and take their time to make sure they were nice and detailed. Our Computing lessons over the last 3 weeks have been retelling the story of 'Little Red Riding Hood' on Purplemash. The children have loved doing this and have done a really good job typing and drawing the story.

**Year 2** Year 2 have been learning about capacity and volume this week, and understand the difference between them! We have been reading scales and working out problems – measuring in millilitres means that we have been reading and calculating some big numbers! We have been learning how to write letters for different purposes: one describing the awful conditions that Florence Nightingale found at Scutari Hospital and the changes she made there, as well as to the nursing profession and women's right to work and the other letter – an invitation to an imaginary party! In Science we have been learning to identify and categorise invertebrates and in Computing we have been revisiting ways to stay safe while working online. We are sure you will continue to promote safe use of the internet at home!



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# reminders...

# PTA

## SUMMER FUN DAY

**15**  
days to go

Preparations for the Summer Fun Day are well underway!

The Summer Fun Day is just a few weeks away! One of the games at the fun day involves winning a teddy or soft toy.

So, please could you have a look for any teddies or soft toys you don't want, and pop them in a bag for us?

We'll be collecting them on **Thursday 30th June** and **Friday 1st July** at the nursery.

If you didn't have a chance to drop off a bottle of wine/soft drink, or chocolates, you can drop these off at the same time.

Thank you so much for your help and support.

<http://www.pta-events.co.uk/cris>

## Clubs

**Bookings are currently live for all clubs and can be made by contacting the Clubs directly using the details in the flyers sent via Parentmail or on our website**  
**<https://www.crawleyridge.co.uk/clubs>**



<b>Monday</b> <b>Playball</b> Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	<b>Tuesday</b> <b>Playball</b> Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	<b>Wednesday</b> <b>Hotsteppers Dance</b> Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	<b>Thursday</b> <b>Ultimate Coaching</b> Year 1 & 2 <b>Dodgeball</b> 3pm - 4.15pm	<b>Friday</b> <b>Ultimate Coaching</b> Year 1 & 2 <b>Football</b> 3pm - 4.15pm
<b>Jam Coding</b> <span style="background-color: yellow; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">NEW</span> Year 1 & 2 3.05pm - 4.00pm	<b>Yoga</b> Year R, 1 & 2 3pm - 4pm		<b>Boogie Pumps Drama</b> <span style="background-color: yellow; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">NEW</span> Year R, 1 & 2 3pm - 4pm	
<b>Ultimate Coaching</b> <b>Mini Kickers</b> Year R 3pm - 4pm				

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# notices...



## St Paul's Church Camberley ENCANTO Holiday Club 2022



27th - 29th July, 10am - 2.30pm  
Spaces for 120 children aged 4-11 in  
Reception to Year 6

Activity days with Bible stories, songs,  
drama, prayers, games & fun!

Including:  
Sports, craft, baking & dance workshops  
Ending with a BBQ for children & their families at  
midday on Friday

Info & booking here!



For any questions or to enquire about  
volunteering, email:  
bethany.woodestpaulscamb.co.uk



## Pop-Up Café!

here comes the summer sun

Come & enjoy a  
free coffee & cake

All welcome  
Wednesdays 8.30 - 10.00am  
June 15th - July 20th  
St Paul's Church, Crawley Ridge



## Children's Activities

Fun and craft around the museum

### Summer Workshops

11am to 1pm—£3.50 per child  
Book in advance

1st July - Make a Crown

Celebrate Jubilee week with a Crown! Suitable for all ages.

4th Aug - Dino Diggin'

Become a Palaeontologist for the morning! 4 to 8 years

11th Aug - Sunny Collage

Create a Summer Collage, 8 to 12 years

18th Aug - Changing Faces

Make a mask using a variety of materials. 4 to 8 years

25th Aug - Super-Egg!

Can you make an Egg fly and make it a Super-Egg? 8 to 12 years

Surrey Heath Museum, 33 Obelisk Way, The Square, Camberley GU15 3SG Tel: 01276 23771.  
Email: museum@surreyheath.gov.uk Web: e-voice.org.uk/surreyheathmuseum

## A helping hand for a healthier family

Do you need help to achieve  
a healthy weight for your child?

Be Your Best is a **free** service  
for Surrey families with children  
aged 0-12 who are above the  
healthy weight range.

We can help you make a positive  
difference to your child's health  
and wellbeing.

Families will be offered  
6 one-to-one sessions and  
6 online group sessions.

### Sessions include:

- Live cooking workshops
- Interactive supermarket tours
- Meal planning for the whole family
- Reducing anxiety
- Managing screen time
- How to become an active family
- Importance of sleep



### One-to-one sessions:

Consist of home visits and  
take place at a mutually  
agreed time.

### Group sessions:

Tuesdays or Thursdays  
4 - 5.30pm via Zoom

### Family Fit sessions:

Saturdays  
10 - 10.40am via Zoom

For more information, visit [www.bybsurrey.org](http://www.bybsurrey.org)  
or email us at [BeYourBest@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:BeYourBest@surreycc.gov.uk).



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## Absence



If your child is absent due to illness or other unforeseen circumstances, we appreciate a telephone call on the first morning of absence before 9.15 am.

Please be more detailed when describing your child's absence - don't use phrases such as 'ill' or 'feeling unwell' - as we must record accurate details of any illness.

Too many children are arriving at school after registration time. Registers close at 08:45 am. Children who enter the classroom after this time are late. We are monitoring late marks and will be contacting parents of children who are frequently late.

## Punctuality



## Attendance



Attendance at school is falling. All children must attend school unless unwell. We are monitoring all children and will call parents in for meetings if their child's attendance is below our expectations. Please report all absences to the school office.

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## We have learnt these BSL signs



HELLO



GOOD



MORNING



AFTERNOON



NIGHT



HOW ARE YOU?



THANKS/PLEASE



SORRY



GOODBYE



bear



bird



butterfly



cat



chicken



cow



deer



dog



duck



elephant



fish



horse



lion



monkey



pig

pink



orange



red



yellow



brown



green



blue



purple

