



# HEADlines

Croft Church of England Primary School Newsletter

## Dates for your Diary:

### 2020

#### Autumn Term

School opens – Thurs 27  
Aug

Aug B.Hol - Mon 31 Aug

Half Term – 19 to 23 Oct

School closes – Fri 18 Dec

### 2021

#### Spring Term

School opens – Tues 5 Jan

Half Term – 15 to 19 Feb

School close – Fri 26 Mar

#### Summer Term

School opens – 12 April

May Day BH – 3 May

Half Term – 31 May to 4 Jun

School closes – 9 Jul

Dear Parents and Carers,

As the academic year comes to an end there are so many mixed emotions. There have been some fantastic highlights and some sadder times too. I have been so proud of all of the children and the community, everyone has pulled together and supported each other. I wanted to take this opportunity to say thank you to everyone for making me feel so welcome here in Croft. I feel truly blessed to be the Headteacher of a wonderful school in such a supportive and loving community.

I am over the moon with joy that next academic year we shall be welcoming everyone back to school. It will be lovely to have the school busy and full once more. As a Multi Academy Trust, EMBRACE, we are having three teacher days at the beginning of the academic year. The school will be open to all children from Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> August.

During the summer holidays, I shall write to you all informing you about our new risk assessment that we will have in place for everyone's safe return.

I wish you all a safe, happy and relaxed summer holiday.

Warmest regards

Rachel Roberts

### A Fond Fairwell Year 6

Dear Year 6 Leavers,

We know this isn't the way you wanted you last year of Primary school to end, we are sorry we cannot help you celebrate in the ways in which you were hoping but we want you to know we are extremely proud of every single one of you, we wish you well with your new adventures and look forward to hearing how you are getting on.

Good Luck, we will miss you all!



**SPORTS RELIEF UPDATE** – You may remember we held some events to raise money for Sports Relief back at the beginning of March, well we have finally had the chance to have a count up and we can announce we raised a Massive total of £244.75. Fantastic effort and well done everyone!

## A Message from Reverend Sharon – THE GREAT STORM AT SEA

One evening Jesus got into his friend Peter's boat as they prepared to cross to the other side of the lake. Jesus was very tired as he had been busy meeting people and healing the sick and telling people how much God had loved them all day. So he laid down in the front of the boat and went to sleep as his friends sailed the boat across the lake.

Suddenly a great storm blew up on the lake and the boat started rocking as the waves got bigger, and the sails were flapping in the wind, and the Jesus's friends got more and more scared as it thundered and the lightning flashed! Jesus still laid asleep in the front of the boat, not disturbed at all by the storm!

His friends woke him up and said "Save us Jesus we are going to drown!"

Jesus got up and said out loud to the storm around him.. "Peace! Be still!"

The storm quietened down, the thunder went away and once more the lake became calm.

Jesus' friends were amazed! Jesus smiles and looked at them and said ' Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?

Sometimes we have times in our life when it's stormy and we get scared. Jesus is there with us in our storms too. Just hold onto him like his friends did. He is with us in the storms and the calm.

You can find this story in the Bible in Mark Chapter 4 verses 35-41.

### NEW - Croft Super Star Club - Starting 1<sup>st</sup> September 2020

#### **What is Croft Super Star Club?**

It is our wrap around provision where we provide play care before and after school. The Club is not a continuation of school. It is a place where children are offered a safe, stimulating environment to have fun.

#### **What do we offer?**

Art sessions, board games, out door play, construction, relaxation, painting, table football, snooker and lots more. We also provide a healthy breakfast / snack.

#### **When is the Club open?**

We are open Monday to Friday during the school term time.

Morning sessions: 7.45-8.40am

Afternoon sessions: 3.15-4.45pm / 3.15- 5.45pm

#### **How do I get a place for my child?**

A place will be offered on a first come first served basis due to a limited availability. A place will be offered to you when you have completed a registration form. These are on our website and are available from the office.

Please note that full payment in advance via Parent Pay is required for each child and is non-refundable. We cannot accept cash or cheques. If work commitments alter after a booking has been made, we will try to offer an alternative date but are unable to refund if no alternative date can be found.

If for any reason your child does not attend a booked session, the fee is non-refundable.

#### **How much does it cost?**

Morning sessions: 7.45-8.40am £4

Afternoon sessions: 3.15-4.45pm £4 or 3.15- 5.45pm £6.50

Please escort your child to the Club in the morning and sign them in. Children must be collected promptly and collection sheet signed. If you are delayed for any reason, please call the school mobile 07818 623152 or the school office. If someone other than yourself is collecting your child, please advise a member of staff in advance. Children must be collected by an adult aged 18 or over.