CROSSACRES NEWSLETTER



11th July 2025

STAFF CAR PARK

Can all parents please be reminded that the car park is for staff and blue badge holders only. Any parents without a blue badge are not allowed to use the car park. This includes the school drop off and pick up period.

YEAR 6 PERFORMANCE

Well done to our Year 6 pupils who gave two brilliant performances of Matilda this week! They have worked hard for the past few weeks learning the songs and routines, we are very proud of them. A huge thank you to the parents/carers who attended the shows this week.

YEAR 6 LEAVERS ASSEMBLY

The Leavers Assembly will be held on **Wednesday 16th July at 5.30pm** followed by a Graduation Disco Party at **6pm – 8pm** for the pupils.

PARTY DAY

Friday 18th July will be party day for all children, to celebrate the end of the school year. Children will still need to come to school in their school uniform, the children will be having a small party in their classroom so any party snack contributions will be greatly appreciated (no nuts). Children in **KS1 and KS2** can also bring in a toy from home (nothing expensive). **EYFS and Rainbow Room** have lots of toys already within their provision so will not need to bring any from home.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

Please note week commencing **Monday 14th July** there will be no Extra-Curricular Clubs. All children will need to be collected at **3.15pm** as normal.

PRE-LOVED

If you need any uniform for next year, on **Monday 14th July**, we will be giving away 'Pre loved 'items of uniform. This will take place from **3pm** on the playground. If you have any uniform that you no longer need, please bring into school before this date. Come along and do your bit for the environment.



SEPTEMBER MILK

Good afternoon, every child under 5 will have free milk automatically ordered for them in September. Children age 5 and over will be required to order milk online at <u>www.coolmilk.com</u>. The cost of milk at present is £1.55 per week.

Children who have a Benefit Related Free School Meal are also entitled to free milk in September, please inform the school office by Friday 18th.

SCHOOL MEALS

As you are aware, all children in Reception, Yr1 and Yr2 classes are entitled to a **Universal Free School Meal**. If your child is currently bringing a packed lunch and you would like them to have a Universal Free School Dinner in September, please inform the school office.

Children going into Nursery, Yr3, Yr4, Yr5 and Yr6 will need to pay for their school meal as usual unless they are entitled to a **Benefit Related Free School Meal**. The cost of a school meal at present is ± 13.75 per week payable on a Monday morning. **Please inform the school office if you would like to change your child's meal arrangements for Sept 2025**.

REMINDER DINNER MONEY

As it is the end of term next Friday, we ask that all dinner money is paid up to date by Monday morning. You can make payment using our online payment system School Gateway. Alternatively, you can make payments using cash or card at the school office.

TERM DATES

Please be aware that school will close for the summer holidays on **Friday 18th July** and will reopen on **Wednesday 3rd September**, ready for the new school year.