



The Craylands School Newsletter

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Term 6 Week 7

Fri 19 Jul '24

Dear Parents/Carers,

I can not believe this is the last newsletter of this academic year.

Careers Day

Thank you so much to Mr Waugh, Mrs James, Mrs Carter, Mr Stone and Mrs McDermott for coming in on Wednesday morning and talking to children from EYFS up to Year 6 about their professions/jobs that they have. The staff and children thoroughly enjoyed their time with you and it was a great opportunity for them to ask questions and begin to consider what they would like to do in the future. We also got some very nice feedback from the parents/carers on how well the children listened. We will certainly look at repeating this again next year.

Sports Day

Thank you to those of you who attended sports day on Monday and Tuesday mornings this week. Although different to our usual sports day, I am sure that you will agree that it was still an enjoyable event and I know that the children appreciated having the opportunity to take part and have those of you who managed to come along as spectators. I would also say how smart the children looked in their PE kits—if we can keep these kits looking like this going forward, rather than tracksuits etc that would be much appreciated.

A big thank you to Mr Ellen for organising the events and for the Year 6 sports leaders who recorded the scores throughout both mornings.

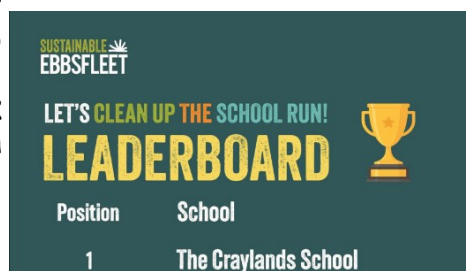
I can now reveal the results from sports day as follows:

- 1st - Leeds - 3712
- 2nd - Rochester - 3703
- 3rd - Dover - 3550
- 4th - Hever - 3506

A BIG CONGRATULATIONS TO LEEDS TEAM!

Better Points

On Monday, we were top of the leaderboard—I shall await to find out where we came when it finishes this week. We hope to finish in the top 3, as the top 3 schools will win a prize. Thank you to everyone who has taken part.



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Goodbye

Today we say goodbye to our Year 6 children. We thank them for all of their hard work over their time at Craylands and we wish them all the best for their futures. We also say goodbye to Mrs Copos and Mrs Rothwell who have been with us supporting the children this year—we thank them for all their hard work.

Thank you!

A huge thank you is needed to many people for many different reasons.

Firstly, to the children! They make Craylands the school that I continue to be proud to be the Headteacher of. They come into school, work hard, smile, laugh, play, occasionally fall out or argue (no one's perfect!) but they make coming in every day, in what is a challenging job at times, an absolute pleasure!

Thank you to you as parents/carers for all your support over the year. Thank you for all the messages of thank you and kind words—they really do mean a lot. We don't always get things right (who does!) but I know that we all want the best for the children of Craylands and I appreciate the support you give your children and the school.

Thank you to the Friends of Craylands for continuing to raise funds for the school so it can be spent on the children; they paid for the food and entertainment at this week's Year 6 leavers event.

A huge thank you to the staff of Craylands; my assistant heads and SLT, the teachers, the support staff, the midday meal supervisors, the cleaners, the kitchen staff and the site managers. This school could not function without your dedication and commitment to the children. You have certainly earned a well deserved break over the summer.

Governors have supported throughout the year, being our challenging friend, ensuring we are doing the best for the children at Craylands.

A HUGE thank you to all of you who belong to the Craylands community for making this Headteacher very proud to be part of this school—this is the end of my seventh year at Craylands as head and despite the ups and the downs, the job truly is very special and that is down to our Craylands community.

I'd like to take the opportunity to wish you all a very enjoyable and relaxing summer—I hope that you can take time out to enjoy some family time. We look forward to seeing you all back safely in September.

Mr Hiscock & everyone at Craylands

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EYFS NEWS



We have finished off on yet another busy week and the children have all been amazing. Sports Day, followed by two jump up sessions, followed by careers talks from two parents and finally a mini-heatwave to end the week. We couldn't be prouder of all the children for following instructions and listening well this week and for all of their achievements throughout this, their first year at Craylands.

Lastly, we would like to thank you for the kind words, cards and gifts that we have received, they really do mean a lot.

Have a lovely summer from the EYFS Team.

WHAT A SUPER EYFS YOU HAVE BEEN THIS YEAR—MR HISCOCK



Achievements outside of school...

Lenny's letter

Each week, this newsletter will celebrate all those at The Craylands School who received a Craylearner certificate, R.O.A.R. certificate and the winning team.

Our pupils really are champions at Craylands!



Hungry C	Ada Whole class	Wilson	Louise Whole class
Rainbow Fish	Whole class	Walliams	Whole class
Elmer	Jasper	Simon	Whole class
Funnybones	Whole class	Horowitz	Whole class
Gruffalo	Whole class	Fine	Whole class
Stickman	Whole class	Morpurgo	Whole class
Dahl	Whole class	Rauf	Whole class

The R.O.A.R. certificates were issued to.....

Hungry C	Ronnie	Wilson	Harriet
Rainbow Fish	Millie & Rico	Walliams	Emilija
Elmer	Whole class	Simon	Whole class
Funnybones	Hoorain. Ben Z	Fine	Whole class
Gruffalo	Liza-Mai, Riaan	Horowitz	Whole class
Stickman	Freddie P, Briony	Morpurgo	Whole class
Dahl	Tommy	Rauf	Whole class



Craylearner values winners



A big well done to the following who have shown they.....

'Succeed using resources'

<p><u>Elmer</u> Macey Bonnie Holly Amber Riley</p>	<p><u>Funnybones</u> Roxanne Nahil Otilie Conor Sebastian</p>	<p><u>Stickman</u> Teddy Gracie Sofia L Jai Kennady Levi</p>
<p><u>Gruffalo</u> Jake Jessica Jelena Michael Lenny Riaan Zaynab</p>	<p><u>Dahl class</u> Brody Poppy Jack Nate</p>	<p><u>Wilson</u> Meliya Raph Ayla Ellie Emily</p>
<p><u>Walliams</u> Thea Amelia-Rose Faith Joshua Bailey</p>	<p><u>Simon</u> Evie Sienna Ronnie C Rowan Bella</p>	<p><u>Fine</u> Maisy Tristan Elodie Savana Elizabeth</p>
<p><u>Horowitz</u> Jensen Zain Alex Monaco Sfia Aiza Joel Towobola</p>		