



25 April 2025

## Archbishop Cranmer CE Academy Newsletter

**Welcome** back everyone! I hope you all had a happy and restful Easter break and enjoyed the lovely weather. Everyone has returned to school with energy and enthusiasm and we are looking forward to the summer term and hopefully more sunshine. With the warmer weather in mind, please take a moment to ensure all pieces of school uniform are labelled clearly with your child's name. Summer term is when we encounter forgotten jumpers and sweatshirts and reuniting them with their owners is a challenge when they lack identification!

### **Staying Safe**

#### ***Supporting Children with Medical Needs***

As part of our ongoing commitment to pupil wellbeing, we are working towards becoming an "Asthma Friendly School". This links closely with how we support children who require inhalers, EpiPens, or other emergency medication.

At school, we will aim to carry out termly checks of the expiry dates for medication held on site and send reminders to parents where possible. However, we must emphasise that it is ultimately the responsibility of parents and carers to ensure their child's medication is in date, clearly labelled, and available in school at all times.

*Please check inhalers, EpiPens, and other medical supplies regularly and provide a replacement promptly if needed.* Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep all children safe and well.

**A reminder that we are a Nut-free school** and we ask that children do not bring nut products in their lunch boxes.

Students and staff who have a nut allergy can develop potentially life-threatening allergic reactions. If someone has a nut allergy it is not just eating nuts that could cause a reaction, being touched on the skin, smelling food, or products containing nuts can cause an anaphylactic shock which can cause breathing and swallowing difficulties.

Some examples of food containing nuts/nut products:

- Peanut butter
- Chocolate spread
- Some cereal/granola bars
- Cake containing nuts
- Satay sauce



Please note that these are just some of the products. Please check the ingredients of the products before sending them to school.

We also have a student with a severe Kiwi fruit allergy and we ask that students do not bring Kiwi fruit into school. We appreciate your understanding of the importance of keeping our school nut-free.

**Staying safe in the sun** In anticipation of having some warmer weather, please do make sure your child has sun protection applied before school and has a sun-hat too. School sun-hats are available to buy this link: <https://www.pbuniform-online.co.uk/archbishopcranmer>

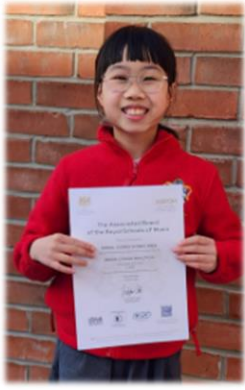


As a 'Sun Smart' school, we want to do all we can to keep everyone safe in the sun and you can find lots of information about this on our [website](#). We are aware that there are some sun-protection products available which contain almond oil and request that children do not bring this type in to school as any almond extract product is not safe for anyone with a tree nut allergy.

## Proud



- Isabel has completed her 1000m swimming badge — what a distance!
- Jake has earned his Level 5 award — a brilliant achievement.
- Esme achieved her Level 3 in gymnastics — well done, Esme!
- Isabelle has shown her sporting talents by passing Level 6 swimming and Level 6 gymnastics — fantastic commitment!
- Luca played for Silva FC, and with several of our pupils, won the tournament on Saturday, competing against 14 other teams — an incredible team effort!
- Thomas was named Man of the Match for Bottesford after a strong defensive game.
- Thomas also enjoyed taking part in his first track race at the Charnwood AC Open Event — great to see such enthusiasm for athletics!
- Sophie would like to share that she got her 200m swimming badge over the holidays — a great achievement.
- Henry is delighted with his 400m swimming award — also earned over the holidays.
- Eito received this award for continuing his amazing performance and commitment to his football
- Aimee performed incredibly well at the Spring Stars Rhythmic Gymnastics Competition, earning first place in both the U11 hoop and ball routines. We are so proud of her achievement.



- Elliott, Casper and Cameron played in their first football match this weekend and came away with a win!
- Winky has completed her level 10 gymnastics test and 200m in swimming – great progress.
- Ching Ching (year 3) has got her gymnastics Level 8 Development Award. She also finished her ABRSM grade two piano exam – wonderful accomplishments
- Pareeya is celebrating success in horse riding with three rosettes — super work!
- Lydia and Esme learnt how to navigate the waters and paddled 8 miles along the River Wye during the Easter holidays!
- Rosie came 1st 2nd and 4th in her gymnastics- she has done so well and everyone is very proud!
- Clementine wanted to share that she took part in a wild climber session during the Easter holidays. Great achievement.
- Noah was man of the match for his football team last week and has made a lot of progress during his first season – a gig well done Noah!



We are so proud of all our pupils and their fantastic achievements outside school! Congratulations to all the children who were celebrated in today's achievement assembly.

## Commemorating VE Day – Thursday, 8th May

On Thursday, 8th May, we will be commemorating the anniversary of VE Day with a special assembly. Local resident Tim Chamberlin will be leading the event, and we will share information about the significance of this important day in history. There will be some songs and Year 6 students will be sharing some readings to mark the occasion.



We invite parents to join us for this assembly, but we are particularly eager to have older family members attend, especially those who may have their own memories of VE Day. Grandparents or great-grandparents are especially welcome to come and share their stories with us.

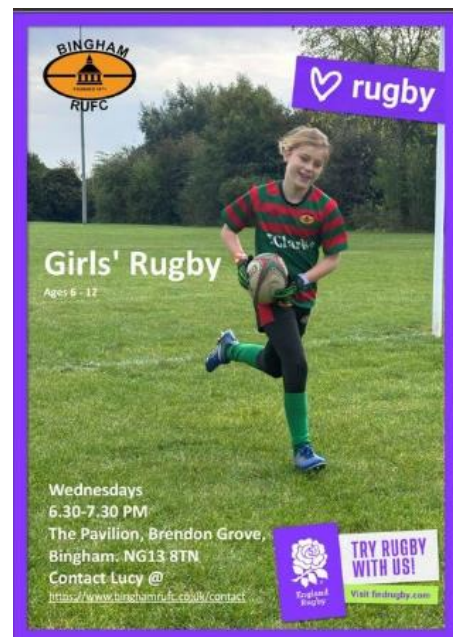
The assembly will begin at 9:10 AM and will last approximately 30 minutes.

## **Curriculum news**

**Sport** Bingham Rugby Club gave us some taster sessions this week with years Foundation to Y4. The children had a great time learning basic rugby skills. The club would love to welcome any of our pupils to their junior groups, especially their new girls' group, which started this year. For further details, contact Lucy (girls) and Mark (boys) at <https://www.binghamrufc.co.uk/contact>.

**Maths** Click [here](#) for a free and very useful, White Rose maths app for parents to let children use. It helps to consolidate basic arithmetic skills and we recommend it!

<https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/1-minute-maths/id1584136366>



## Christian Value Awards

**RESPONSIBILITY**  
HOME SCHOOL VALUES

This term we will be focussing in school on the value **RESPONSIBILITY**. We hope your family will find these ideas helpful as you explore the value and have fun together.

We promote the six Christian values of Courage, Trust, Kindness, Responsibility Respect and Thankfulness, which are each linked by our core value of Love - taking care of ourselves and each other. Nominations can be made by all members of staff, peers, parents and the wider school community.

Our student Ministers for Christian Distinctiveness, are responsible for recording and monitoring nominations and hand out the awards in our Gold Book Celebration Assemblies.

To make a nomination you can fill out this form, scan this QR code or email your nominations to the office or [teachers@archbishopcranmer.notts.sch.uk](mailto:teachers@archbishopcranmer.notts.sch.uk).



Find out more about this term's value, [here](#).

| Diary Dates                |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> April | Y4/5 Residential returning on Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April |
| Tue 6 <sup>th</sup> May    | ABCA on Central news 6pm !!                                    |
| Thur 8 <sup>th</sup> May   | VE Day assembly 9:10 am school hall – all welcome              |
|                            | Cranmer Connect 3:30-4:30 school hall – all welcome            |
| Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> May   | Y6 SATs week   |
| Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> May   | Y6 Residential week returning on Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May   |
| Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> May   | Break up for half term   |
| Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> June   | Return to school for final term                                |
| Thur 12 <sup>th</sup> June | Class Photos   |
|                            | Cranmer Connect 3:30-4:30 school hall – all welcome            |
| Thur 19 <sup>th</sup> June | Book fair commences – until 24 <sup>th</sup> June.             |
| Tue 1 <sup>st</sup> July   | KS2 Knipton Cricket & Countryside Day                          |
| Thur 3 <sup>rd</sup> July  | Y6-Y7 Belvoir transition day                                   |
| Thur 10 <sup>th</sup> July | Cranmer Connect 3:30-4:30 school hall – all welcome            |
|                            | Y6-Y7 Toothill transition day                                  |
| Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> July  | KS2 Summer Show week commences Performance times tbc           |
| Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> July  | Y6 Leavers' Service at St Thomas' a.m. (time tbc)              |
| Mon 21 <sup>st</sup> July  | Parent/carer 'drop-in' evening following school reports        |
| Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup> July | Break up for end of school year                                |
| Mon 1st Sept               | INSET day  |
| Tue 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sept   | INSET day  |
| Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept   | Return to school for AY 2025-26                                |

  
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## Mental Health Support Team (MHST)

### Children's Emotional Health & Wellbeing Webinar for Parents and Carers (Primary age)

This one and a half hour webinar aims to provide parents with a understanding of common mental health difficulties in young people. We will explore common mental health difficulties such as anxiety and how this might present in primary aged young people. We will also explore how you can support a young person's mental health and how to refer to the MHST.

**Children's Emotional Health & Wellbeing Workshop**  
18th June 2025  
at 5-6.30pm



Parents can join via Web using this link:  
<https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting>  
 by inputting the Meeting ID and Passcodes from the poster, or by scanning the QR code below. Please note, parents won't be able to join until the day.



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