



Road safety outside school

We know that many families are concerned about how busy the road outside school becomes at the start and end of the day, particularly when visibility is reduced by parked cars. School has contacted the Highways team again this week, to request traffic calming measures or a formal crossing to support the safe movement of pupils and families.

Highways have reviewed the request, visited the site and have confirmed that, under Department for Transport guidance, the location does not currently meet the national criteria required for a zebra crossing or a school crossing patrol.

While this is incredibly disappointing, we will continue to raise concerns where necessary. In the meantime, please help us keep all children safe by parking considerately, avoiding stopping close to crossing points and taking extra care when driving near the school at busy times. Every small action makes a difference to the safety of our children.

Any concerns re. Nottinghamshire roads can be made via this link

<https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/transport/roads/make-a-new-highways-request>

Young Leaders Take Action



This week Lydia and Daisy from Year 6 and Isabel and Isabelle from Year 5 represented our school at the Listen Up conference at Trent Vineyard. Listen Up is a special event where the voices heard throughout the day are those of young people who share something they care deeply about and the action they have taken to make a difference.

As members of our HOPE Worship Committee the girls presented our Hope Project and spoke about how they have been creating ripples of

hope in our local community. In a large conference hall filled with pupils from primary and secondary schools they spoke with confidence and clarity sharing their message and even taking questions from the audience.



They were poised, articulate and incredibly inspiring and we were **so proud** of how brilliantly they represented our school. A small snippet of their presentation can be seen on our Instagram reel. Big thanks to Clare Chambers for leading our worship committee.



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Feeling Proud We love celebrating what our pupils achieve outside school and this week there is lots to be proud of.



★ Alex finished his U10 basketball season with another victory playing for the Hoods U10 team. What a fantastic end to the season.

★ Freya has achieved her Stage 9 Swimming Certificate which is a brilliant milestone in swimming.

★ Jessica has worked incredibly hard in a conditioning challenge at her gymnastics class reaching the highest numbers as well as her efforts with straddle lever to handstands.

★ Millie recently performed in her fourth dance show at Melton Theatre with the Dance Lobo dance school. It was a fantastic performance from everyone involved and Millie did brilliantly.

★ Albert Kerr in Year 1 has taken his promise at Beavers which is a special moment in his scouting journey.

★ Olivia has achieved her white belt in kickboxing and Ace successfully completed his grading and moved up to a red belt during half term. They are both very proud of their achievements.



Well done to all of you for your dedication and hard work.



Congratulations to all our Golden Assembly Super-Stars

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Nottinghamshire County Show – Saturday 9 May 2026

We are pleased to share an exciting opportunity for families to get involved with this year's Nottinghamshire County Show. Jess Chapman who many of the children know from Tuesday French lessons is part of the events team and has invited our school community to take part.

The organisers have created a school resource pack packed with “make, bake and grow” activities and competitions for children aged 4–14. Many of the entries need preparing in advance so the Easter holidays would be a perfect time for children to plan and create something to enter.



The show celebrates farming, the countryside and rural life in our local area and includes animals, tractors, floral art, crafts, parades, performances and a children's activity zone. It is a lovely way for children to connect with where food comes from and the heritage of our community.

We will attach the resource pack to this newsletter. Do have a look and see if your child would like to enter one of the competitions — we would love to see some Cranmer entries on display!

Diary Dates	
Mon 2nd March	w/c Poetry recitals – class heats.
Thur 5 th March	World Book Day
Thur 19 th March	Off By Heart Grand Finale (by invitation)
Fri 27 th March	Break up for Easter
Mon 13 th April	Return to school for summer term
Wed 6 th May	Y4&5 residential to Conover Hall, Shropshire returning on Friday 8 th May
Sat 9 th May	Nottinghamshire County Show
Mon 11 th May	Y6 SATs week starts
Mon 18 th May	Y6 Residential returning on Friday 22 nd May
Fri 22 nd May	Break up for half term
Mon 1 st June	Return to school
Tue 9 th June	Class photographs
Wed 8 th July	Ks2 summer show pm & eve
Thur 9 th July	KS2 summer show eve
Fri 17 th July	Last day of term for children
Mon 20 th & Tue 21 st July	INSET Day



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