



# Weekly News

Friday 19th June 2026

## Head's Lines

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we move further into the summer term, it's been wonderful to enjoy some warmer, sunnier weather together! The children have made the most of spending more time outdoors, and it has been lovely to see learning and play continuing in the sunshine. Looking ahead, the forecast for next week suggests hotter temperatures, so we kindly remind all families to ensure that children come to school prepared.

Please make sure your child brings:

- A filled water bottle every day
- Sun cream applied before school (and a named bottle if they need to reapply)
- A sun hat or cap for outdoor play

These small steps help us keep everyone safe and comfortable during the heat.

### A Big Thank You

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Miss Chick for her dedication and commitment to the Crawley Play initiative. Her enthusiasm and hard work have made a real difference, and we are incredibly grateful.

We would also like to thank all the parents who have generously donated towards playtime resources. Thanks to your support, the children are thoroughly enjoying lunchtimes with a fantastic range of new equipment and small world toys. It has been wonderful to see their creativity, teamwork, and imagination flourish during these times.

### Attendance & Punctuality

We would like to remind families of the importance of good attendance and punctuality. Recently, we have noticed an increase in lateness and time off, and we know that even small disruptions can impact children's learning, confidence, and friendships.

Please help us by:

- Ensuring your child arrives on time every day
- Avoiding unnecessary absences where possible
- Scheduling appointments outside of school hours whenever you can

Your support in this area makes a real difference to your child's progress and wellbeing.

### School Places Available

We currently have places available in school. If you know of any families who may be looking for a place at a welcoming, supportive junior school, we would be delighted to hear from them. Please encourage them to get in touch with the school office for more information.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We hope you all enjoy the sunshine over the coming week! Mrs Egan

### Diary Dates for next week:

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June - PTA Quiz Night

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June - Inset Day - School Closed

### Looking ahead:

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June - Transition Day

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July - PTA Colour Run

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Production dress rehearsal

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Production, 6pm

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July - Rocksteady Concert (2pm) and Book Look (2.45pm)

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leavers' Service (1.30pm) and PTA disco

## Wow Work Winners

Oak - Xavier

Elm - Farhat

Maple - Betsy

Chestnut - Eden

Hazel - Dylan

Rowan - Eva

Beech - Zack

Sycamore - Riley



## Attendance

Whole School Attendance for w/c 15th June 2026

Chestnut: 98.4% Maple: 97.5%

Hazel: 96.7% Elm: 95.2%

Oak: 94.8% Sycamore: 94.5%

Beech: 94% Rowan: 89.3%

**95%**

# Spotlight on Year 3

Year 3 had a fantastic Roman Day this week! We were visited by a Roman expert who brought history to life by explaining how the Romans came to Britain and the impact they had. Many children (and staff!) got into the spirit by dressing up as Romans, which made the day even more exciting.

Throughout the day, the children took part in quizzes, using their detective skills to find answers hidden around the room. They also had the wonderful opportunity to handle and examine real artefacts, some dating back nearly 2,000 years! We explored Roman armour and weapons too.

It was a fun, engaging, and memorable day for everyone involved.



## Class Photos

Our school photographer visited on Thursday morning to take the annual group class photos and children should come out of school today with an information sheet detailing how you can view and purchase copies of the photos. Please note that if you place an order over £20 before 5<sup>th</sup> July, then you will be able to receive a 5% discount on the cost by using the voucher code **60704723**. Please note that year 6 photos were taken not just of each individual class, but also of the full year group together.

## Housepoint totals this week



**300**



**268**



**243**



**208**

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# PTA Events

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We've got a brilliant few weeks ahead and wanted to make sure you have all the details in one place.

## **QUIZ NIGHT - Thursday 25th June**

Join us for a fun quiz night with fish and chips! A great chance to get together with other parents and have a proper good evening.

Places must be booked by Thursday 18th June, so don't leave it too long!

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/crjsp/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=117093>

## **DONATE YOUR OLD TEDDIES & SOFT TOYS - Monday 22nd June**

Have a clear-out and do some good at the same time! We're collecting teddies and soft toys for our popular soft toy stall at the Colour Run Summer Fair. Bring them to drop off on Monday 22nd June. Every donation is gratefully received.

## **NON-UNIFORM DAY - Friday 3rd July**

The children are welcome to come in their own clothes on Friday 3rd July. In return, we'd love it if you could send them in with a donation for the fair:

- Years 3 & 4 — please bring cakes or bakes (shop-bought or homemade, no nuts please)
- Years 5 & 6 — please bring a bottle (alcoholic or soft drinks, both very welcome)

Thank you so much in advance. These contributions will be part of our Colour Run Summer Fair.

## **COLOUR RUN SUMMER FAIR - Saturday 4th July, from 10.30am**

And the big one! Our Colour Run Summer Fair is just around the corner. It's going to be a brilliant day out for the whole family with a colour run, games, stalls, BBQ and more.

Early bird tickets are on sale until Monday, so grab yours before the price goes up

Get your tickets here: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/crjsp/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=118544>

Please volunteer when you book your ticket. We can't run the event without you.

## **SCHOOL DISCO - Thursday 17th July**

To round off the year, we've got the school discos to look forward to.

- Years 3, 4 & 5 — 5.45pm to 6.45pm
- Year 6 Leavers Disco — 7.15pm to 8.30pm

Get your tickets here: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/crjsp/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=117094>