



Crawford Village  
Primary School & Nursery

# THE CRAWFORD CHRONICLE

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025

## Class Attendances

11 <sup>th</sup> July 2025			18 <sup>th</sup> July 2025		
C1	C2	C3	C1	C2	C3
96.9%	97.8%	97.1%	95.4%	98.5%	99.4%

School  
Target  
**96%**

## A note from Year 3/4...

The last few weeks have been anything but 'normal' for all the children in school and as I have come to expect, Year 3 & 4 have shown typical adaptability to the changes in routine.

We have completed our end of year assessments, where all the children did their very best and we are squeezing in final bits of learning in these last few sessions that we have together.

As the school year comes to a close, there are mixed feelings felt by us all, of sadness to be leaving and excitement for the next chapter which lies ahead.

Year 3 & 4 would like to wish everyone a wonderful summer break filled with fun, rest and relaxation.

Happy Holidays!



## Coming up @ Crawford...

## Diary Dates

<b>Mon</b>	
<b>Tues</b>	School closes 1.30pm
<b>Wed</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Thurs</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Fri</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Mon</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Tues</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Wed</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Thurs</b>	Summer Holidays
<b>Fri</b>	Summer Holidays

*Next week:*

**22<sup>nd</sup> July 2025**  
Y6 Leavers' Service 9.15am

**School closes for  
Summer on Tuesday  
22<sup>nd</sup> July at 1.30pm**



*Later in the year:*

**School re-opens on  
Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>  
September 2025**

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we reach the end of the 2024/25 school year, I want to take a moment to sincerely thank all of our families for your unwavering support. In particular, your support throughout this summer term has meant so much to us. It has been a challenging time for us all, but the understanding and encouragement shown by both our families and our incredibly dedicated staff have made all the difference. Your trust and positivity have helped us navigate this term with strength and unity, and we cannot thank you enough.

I would also like to give a heartfelt acknowledgement to our fabulous Year 6 pupils and their families. They have been role models, enthusiastic learners, and true companions, building bonds that we know will last well beyond their time here. As they prepare to embark on the next chapter at high school, we send them forward with confidence, admiration, and our warmest wishes for continued success.

We would like to extend our warmest of thanks to Mrs Jones for her unwavering dedication and care as part of our EYFS team. Her warmth, creativity, and commitment have given so many of our youngest learners the very best start to their school journey. As she begins her well-deserved retirement, we wish her every happiness and fulfilment in the exciting chapter ahead, she will be greatly missed by children, families, and colleagues alike.

A sincere thank you also goes to our dedicated Governing Body and wonderful PTA. Their hard work and generosity have provided many memorable experiences for our children and vital support for school initiatives; we are truly grateful for all they do.

School reopens for the Autumn term on Tuesday 2nd September and children may still wear their summer uniform up until October half-term. All that remains is for me to wish you a joyful summer holiday with your children, filled with laughter, special moments, and time well spent together.

Best wishes  
Mr Brearley

**Mr Brearley's Column**

## Award Winners



### Pride Award

C2 Hattie  
C3 Dash



### Star of the Week

C2 Peter  
C3 All Class 3

C1 Jolyon  
C2 Wilf  
C3 Skylar

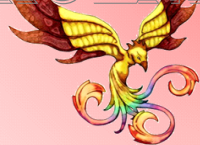


### Super Writers

C2 James  
C3 Olivia BM

## Housepoints

PHOENIX



1st

RAVENS



2nd

EAGLES



4th

OWLS



3rd

## Find us on social media...



Crawford Village Primary School



@crawford\_school

Don't forget to log on to your child's Seesaw account. You will find work that they do in school, photographs and videos that are not uploaded to social media and you can upload photos from home. Please ask if you are having any problems logging on and we will help if we can.

Do not forget to check out our school website! You will find details of upcoming events, term dates, important key documents and policies plus lots of information and photographs showcasing what we have been doing in school.







## Green Flag Success! 🌍

We are delighted to announce that our school has been awarded the Eco Schools Green Flag award with distinction - a prestigious recognition of our commitment to environment sustainability!

Over the past year, our amazing Eco Committee members have worked hard to promote eco-friendly practices throughout the school. From litter picking and encouraging recycling, to creating wildlife-friendly spaces and championing water-saving initiatives, they've truly made a lasting impact.

This award celebrates the collective effort of our entire school community - and it's proof that even small actions can lead to big change.

Thank you also for your continued support in helping us shape a greener, brighter future for our children.



## Green Flag Award 2025

Empowering Young People to Protect Our Planet



CRAWFORD VILLAGE FRI



Christmas Fair  
£1,218

Valentine's  
Disco  
£338

Summer  
Sweets  
£69

££

we have  
raised  
£4,861

Sports  
Day  
£190

Cinema  
Night  
£295

Summer  
Fair  
£1,552

Halloween  
Disco  
£337

+Asda  
Cash for  
Schools  
£362

+Tesco  
Stronger  
Starts  
£500



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Staff  
appreciation  
buffet

Summer  
Disco +  
Gift

5 Picnic  
Benches

Performance  
Pizzas

Penny  
wars  
match



Icecream  
Friday's

we have  
funded

Mother's  
Day  
afternoon  
tea

Father's  
Day  
breakfast



Books at  
Christmas

School  
Oven

Easter  
eggs



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- Open to all levels of ability
- Everyone receives a certificate of achievement
- When: 10:30am – 3:30pm each day
- Cost: £39.00 for the full course
- Children's University Registered – earn 6 learning credits
- Children aged 5–12 of all genders are welcome

## CAMP DATES

**22-24 July**

**5-7 August**

**12-14 August**  
(Multi Sports)

**19-21 August**

Liverpool Rd, Skelmersdale WN8 8BX

**JMO Sports Park**

More Information: [info@jmosportspark.co.uk](mailto:info@jmosportspark.co.uk) or [01695 550426](tel:01695550426)

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# GIRLS ONLY

# FOOTBALL CAMP

**29-31 JULY**



**JUST £39**

FUN & SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR GIRLS AGED 5-12

- QUALIFIED, DBS-CHECKED COACHES
- ALL ABILITIES WELCOME
- CERTIFICATES FOR EVERYONE
- CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY REGISTERED – 6 CREDITS
- 10:30AM – 3:30PM DAILY

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**JMO SPORTS PARK LIVERPOOL RD, SKELMERSDALE WN8 8BX**

**MORE INFO: [INFO@JMOSPORTSPARK.CO.UK](mailto:info@jmosportspark.co.uk) OR 01695 550426**



**Twinkle House**  
**Charity Carnival**  
 Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025  
 10.30 am - 4 pm  
 Party Bus 2pm-4pm  
 #keeptwinkleshining  
 Carnival Games  
 Prizes  
 Stalls  
 Refreshments  
 Tombola  
 2 Gorsey Place, East Gillibrands, Skelmersdale, WN8 9UP

**SHARES**  
**Multi-Sports and ACTIVITY CLUB**  
 Mon-Fri 9am-4:30pm  
 Age: 5-11 yr  
 VENUE:  
 St James catholic primary school.  
 21 July - 01 Aug  
 Cobbs Brow primary school:  
 04 Aug - 15 Aug  
 Highly Qualified & experienced staff.  
 £17 per day or £75 per week for SHARES SCHOOLS  
 £22 per day or £100 per week - NONE SHARES SCHOOLS  
 Activities Include:  
 Basketball  
 Football  
 Dodgeball  
 Tennis  
 Hockey  
 Dance  
 Arts & Crafts  
 Water Sports  
 Games  
 Painting  
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 All staff are DBS checked.  
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**DDizzi!**  
 What's Happening In The World This Week?

For this week's story, we are visiting...

**Canada**

**DDizzi!**  
 Share the world comes to life.

**What?**

In July, monarch butterflies start to appear across Canada. These butterflies are well known for their bright orange and black wings and for their incredible migration. Monarchs travel thousands of kilometres from Canada and the northern United States all the way to central Mexico each year.

What makes their migration so unusual is that no single monarch completes the entire round trip. Instead, it takes three to four generations of butterflies to complete the journey.

The butterflies hatching now will fly part of the way south before laying eggs. Those eggs will hatch into caterpillars, which will become the next generation of monarchs. This process continues until the final generation reaches Mexico.

**What?**

The last generation of the year is different. While most monarchs live only two to six weeks, this special generation can live up to eight months. They will survive the winter in Mexico before starting the trip back north in spring. Along the way, they will lay eggs, beginning the cycle all over again.

Scientists are still studying how monarchs know where to go, since each generation follows the same migration route even though they've never made the journey before.

It remains one of the most fascinating examples of animal migration in the world!

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 Share the world comes to life.

# **CAR BOOT SALE**



**Saturday 13th September 2025**

**Crawford Village Playing  
Fields**

**9am till 11am  
£5 per car in advance  
or £7 on the day**

**Crawford Rd, Crawford Village  
Upholland WN8 9QR  
contact - 07944901963**

**email - [crawfordhutandplaypark@gmail.com](mailto:crawfordhutandplaypark@gmail.com)**



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The Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK) is a national water safety charity that gives children the chance to enjoy a lifetime of fun in the water, safely. Water safety education provided in schools is vital and, in some instances, could be a child's only opportunity to learn about the water.

Beyond swimming lessons, children should be educated in school on water safety. Use RLSS UK accredited programme, 'Water Smart Schools', which offers free lesson plans and resources on how to be safe on, near and around water by following the Water Safety Code.

**ChildLine**  
0800 1111