



Parent Briefing: Friday 24th May

START OF HALF TERM ARRANGEMENTS

School **reopens for students on Monday 3rd June** at the usual time.

CONTACT WITH SCHOOL OVER THE HALF TERM HOLIDAY

School will be open however reception will not be staffed. Emails and voicemails will be monitored throughout the week and responded to when needed.

PUDSEY SIXTH FORM COLLEGE - UPDATES

We have some exciting news! Over the half term holiday, building contractors will start on site as part of the works towards the construction of the Pudsey Sixth Form College. We have been working on this project, along with our partners, for several years and, therefore, be a momentous occasion for Crawshaw Academy and our community.



The new college is designed to meet a projected rise in the number of 16-18 year olds across Leeds over the next decade - and to give local students the chance to excel without having to travel further afield. As Parents/Carers know, we are excited that it will be a high quality, natural extension into Post 16 following spending Years 7 to 11 with us in the main school.



I am particularly pleased that sustainability will be at the heart of the project. The two-storey building will contain 25 classrooms and be built to high sustainability specifications, incorporating green technology - including air source heat pumps - to minimise its carbon footprint. Each student will also be provided with a free bus pass, alongside the availability of secure parking for bicycles.

Whilst construction work progresses, plans to support our students apply and progress into the college will develop over the coming months. I know from conversations with you as Parents/Carers, that many of you have been keenly waiting for the project to progress. I



am pleased that I can now confirm its start, with the relevant planning and finance fully in place.

A reminder that the college is being constructed on disused land on our school site. As such, our students will be able to see the progress of the construction work easily from our school buildings, tennis courts and Astro turf.



Below is a letter written to Parents/Carers, from Bill Jones, CEO of Luminare Education Group. Luminare will operate the provision with support from the Pudsey Sixth Form College partners, which include ourselves.

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to announce that our plans to create Pudsey's very own Sixth Form College are moving ahead.

The project has now received full planning permission with building work on the development site, off Kent Road, expected to start very soon.

As you know, this £13 million partnership venture will create an exciting new educational opportunity, offering a wide range of A levels and technical (vocational) courses, right on the doorstep of many of the young people who will use it.

We know, from consulting with yourselves and the wider community, how much this facility is needed to ensure local students can take their first steps toward university, further study or employment.

We look forward to unveiling the new college to you, and welcoming our first learners, in September 2025.

In the meantime, please rest assured that we will keep you informed as the development progresses. Up-to-date information can also be found at <https://pudseysixthformcollege.ac.uk/>, where there is an option to join a mailing list.

Yours sincerely

Bill Jones, Deputy CEO of Luminare Education Group, on behalf of Pudsey Sixth Form College partnership members:

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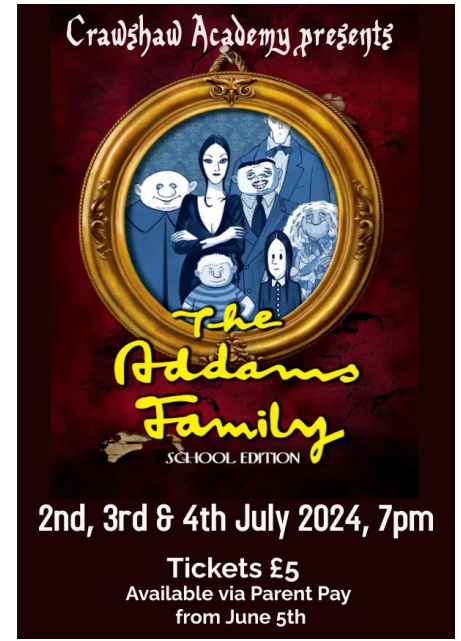
Just another reminder to refresh items of uniform, whether ties, shoes or trousers, over the half term holiday. Our website has the full information on this:

<https://www.crawshawacademy.org.uk/for-parentscarers/uniform-and-equipment/>

Please let us know if you require support with any items of uniform.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION

Remember, tickets go on sale in the week after half term for the Addams Family, so please use ParentPay to secure them early!



TEAM CRAWSHAW NETBALL CLUB – LOOKING FOR PLAYERS

Team Crawshaw Netball Club are starting up an Under 16s team in September. However, training will begin over the summer. The club caters for ages between Under 10 through to Under 16.

Please see the flyer for contact details to find out more and to register your interest.

KITCHEN @ CRAWSHAW

Please see below for our menu for next week:

**Team
Crawshaw
Netball Club**

We are looking for
players to join us for the
September 2024 Season!

**A BRAND
NEW -
U16S TEAM**

**No trial, we are open to new
and experienced players!**


Contact Chantelle - 07534208784 or email
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1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
 Main 1 £2.20	JOLLOF RICE Roasted red peppers in a creamy sauce combined with diced chicken breast herbs and rice form this very popular dish. (sd)(h)(mk)	CHICKEN TIKKA A traditional chicken tikka curry, chicken breast fillets marinated in tikka spices served with steamed rice and a naan bread. (h)(sd)(gl)(mk)	SPAGHETTI BOLOGNESE Chef Sandra's signature Bolognese sauce tossed through spaghetti and served with a slice of garlic bread. (gl)(sd)(mk)	MAC N CHEESE Macaroni pasta combined with a cheesy sauce, oven baked and finished with melted cheese and served with a fresh side salad. (mk)(gl)	POPCORN CHICKEN A Crawshaw favourite – breaded chicken chunks served with chips, sweetcorn and a helping of curry sauce. (mst)(gl)(h)(soy)
Main 2 £2.20	ARRABIATA PASTA Our Chefs rich house tomato sauce, with a hint of spice. Tossed with pasta shapes, finished with cheese and served with a garlic bread. (gl)(mk)(v)(sd)	ITALIAN CHICKEN AND POTATOES Chicken breast strips marinated in Chefs spices, served with freshly made jacket potato wedges and salad (h)(sd)	BANGERS AND MASH Oven roasted sausages served with creamy mashed potato and steamed seasonal vegetables with lashings of gravy and one of our homemade giant Yorkshire Puddings. (sd)(gl)(eg)(mk)	HAM & CHEESE PANINI A firm favourite with the students of Crawshaw – a soft panini filled with ham & cheese, served with oven baked seasoned wedges and a house salad. (gl)(mk)(sd)	POPCORN CHICKEN WRAP Back by popular demand! Breaded popcorn chicken chunks wrapped in a soft flour tortilla with salad and mayonnaise. Served with chips and a helping of curry sauce. (mst)(gl)(h)(soy)(eg)
Main 3 £2.20	MEATLESS FARM PERI PERI NUGGETS Meatless farm nuggets marinated in Chef's Peri Peri spices, served with spicy rice and a generous helping of coleslaw. (sd)(ve)(gl)	VEGETABLE CURRY Chef's homemade vegetable curry made with seasonal vegetables and served with steamed rice and a naan bread. (sd)(gl)(ve)	MEATLESS SAUSAGES AND MASH Meatless Farm sausages served with creamy mashed potato and steamed seasonal vegetables with lashings of gravy and our homemade giant Yorkshire puddings. (sd)(v)(gl)(mk)(eg) VEGAN OPTION AVAILABLE	CHEESE AND TOMATO PANINI A soft panini filled with cheddar cheese and fresh tomatoes, topped with herbs and oven cooked. Served with our house potato wedges and a salad. (gl)(mk)(v) VEGAN OPTION AVAILABLE	PARMIAGIANA Sliced Aubergine cooked in a rich tomato sauce with vegetables and topped with melted cheese, served with chips. (sd)(mk)(v) VEGAN OPTION AVAILABLE
Available Daily	Sandwiches & pasta salad	Sandwiches & pasta salads	Sandwiches & pasta salads	Sandwiches & pasta salads	Sandwiches & pasta salads

A reminder that our catering website – www.cateringatcrawshaw.com - has everything to do with Catering at Crawshaw, including a **Pre Order Portal for students to use** to jump the queue. You can preorder:

- Cold Sandwiches, Baguettes or salads, to include our meal deal offer of a drink and homebaked treat **for £2.60**
- The option for a premium preorder which includes a wrap, pasta or salad with 2 toppings and 2 sides for **£3.00**.

Once ordered their lunch can be collected from a designated collection point in the canteen, thereby jumping the queues.

Kind regards

Robin Ghosal
Associate Principal