

# FROXFIELD FRIDAY FLYER

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Dear All,

Today, Years Four, Five and Six have returned from an extremely successful and enjoyable residential visit to Fairthorne Manor. The centre, which is owned and run by the YMCA, has over 50 years of experience in providing residential opportunities for children in a safe and rewarding environment. The Centre offers a range of 25 activities and the programme for the week covered a range of land and water based activities including rafting, kayaking, archery, Jacob's Ladder and a high ropes course. All activities are located on the 111 acre site which includes a lake and access to the River Hamble.

During the week, children slept in large eight man tents, giving them a real camping experience with so much open space for them to play. There was also a big focus on teamwork with children gaining (or losing!) points for their tents throughout the week. We have been so lucky with the weather and I know the children have returned tired but happy, and will have all grown personally from the experience.

Residential visits offer children a huge breadth of learning experiences beyond the classroom setting, including the development of independence, organisational skills and social interaction. We are very proud of what these children have achieved this week; for some of them it was their first time away from home. Well done to all of them! Visits like this would not be possible without a huge amount of work and dedication from members of staff. I would personally like to thank Mrs Harriott and Miss Whitehead for organising and leading the residential and Mrs Dunster and Ms Parkes for giving up their time to attend and support. I am sure both the children and staff will sleep well over the weekend!

Also this week, Year Three had a sleepover in school organised by Mrs Burchett. The idea of this is to give the children a short, residential type of experience before they take part in a longer residential visit in Year Four. The children spent the evening making dream catchers, toasting marshmallows on a fire and singing campfire songs, before bedding down for the night in Class Three. They were all brilliantly behaved and thoroughly enjoyed the whole experience. There were many tired-looking faces in Collective Worship this afternoon - not least Mrs. Burchett's!

Our website will be updated early next week with photographs of both the sleepover and the residential visit if younger children are interested to see what the older ones got up to!

I hope you all have a wonderful, restful weekend.

With warmest wishes,

Mrs V. Farrow  
Head Teacher

## KS2 Inter-House Football Tournament

There was tremendous excitement at Froxfield Primary School on Monday afternoon prior to and during the KS2 inter-house football tournament! The three houses, who were competing for the 'World Cup Trophy', played one another in the knockout tournament. Both Red House and Blue House beat Yellow House. The final, between Red and Blue House, resulted in a goalless draw. However, Red House won on goal difference. All teams played wonderfully with great sportsmanship. We are sure that the supporting crowd could have been heard in Alton and Petersfield! A very big thank you to Mr Gardner from Aspire Coaching for organising the tournament and for providing the 'World Cup Trophy'.



## End of Year Service Invitation



All parents, family and friends are invited to attend our End of Year Service which will take place on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July at 1.15pm in the church. This service is a special celebration to acknowledge the achievements of our Year Two and Year Six children, to celebrate their time here at school and to wish them well as they embark on the next stage of their school life. Please pop the date in your diaries, we hope to see as many parents and families as possible.

## Class Two Geography Walk

As part of this term's topic, 'Picture This', Class Two enjoyed a Geography walk to the Post Office in the village on Monday. They spent time looking at sign posts and found out their meanings. The children bought a first-class stamp from Mr Bevis in Froxfield Village Stores and posted a card to Mrs Farrow. In addition, the children bought some goods from Mr Bevis to donate to the Petersfield food bank in St Peter's Church. Mr Bevis also very generously donated some additional items.



## New Wrens

It was lovely to welcome back our new September 2018 Wrens this morning. We hope you all enjoyed your visit and we look forward to seeing you again on Friday.

Thank you too to our FoFs mums, Mrs Cunningham and Mrs Mossey, who very kindly offered tea, coffee and biscuits and welcomed our new parents - we really appreciate your time and effort - thank you!



## **Class Two Request**

Please can all Year Two children bring in an assortment of clean, empty plastic containers such as food packaging, drink and milk bottles of different sizes or margarine tubs etc for their maths lesson on Monday. Thank you.

## **Class One Trip**

Class One will be heading to Hayling Island on Monday. Please ensure all children bring a named backpack to school containing their lunch box, water bottle, sunhat and school jumper. Children need to wear their white school shirt, their own shorts and sturdy shoes suitable for walking around the life-boat station. In addition, please can all children bring a named plastic bag containing a single bucket and spade. Please ensure sun-cream is applied before arriving to school and if your child is able to apply their own cream, a labelled bottle may be put in their back pack. No towels are required.

## **Uniform**

Please let the School Office know if you wish to order any school uniform items for the new school year, we currently have a selection of sizes in stock. Orders and payment may be made online. Alternatively, please pop into the School Office with payment and we can pass items to you immediately.

## **School Clubs**

Please be aware that school-led clubs including Sketching, Netball, Jackanory, Reading Club, Running Club, Choir and Cookery Club, have now finished for the term. Please therefore collect your children at the normal pick up time of 3.15pm. Please note, however, that Recorder Club is still on for next week as normal.



## **INSET Days**

INSET days have now been confirmed for the 2018/2019 school year. The dates will be:

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018  
21<sup>st</sup> December 2018  
22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019

## **FoFs**

On Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July, children are invited into school wearing mufti and with 'wacky hair'. FoFs are asking children to bring in a bottle donation which can include drink, shower gel, cooking ingredients etc. All donations will be prizes on the bottle tombola at FoFstival on the last day of term.



## **Gold Book**

Congratulations to this week's Gold Book children, Henry Cook and Romilly Darlow, nominated by Mrs Haines. Henry was chosen for his lovely conversations at Toast Club this week and Romilly was selected for being very responsible and independent at all times. Well done Henry and Romilly!





### Year Three Camp

The first ever Year Three overnight camp led by Mrs Burchett and Mrs Farrow was a great success! Thank you to Mrs Primrose and Mrs Cooke for an evening of super activities.

The photographs say it all ...



*The fire was the best part of the camp because we told jokes, sang songs and even toasted marshmallows'*

Elliott



*Sleeping at school in a sleeping bag was brilliant because it was the first time I have ever slept in a sleeping bag'*

Eva





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## SUMMER TERM FoFs EVENTS

12<sup>th</sup> May ... Sponsored Walk ... **RAISED £623.45**

10<sup>th</sup> June ... Summer Concert 3pm ... **RAISED £520**

16<sup>th</sup> June ... Rams Walk Cake Sale ... **RAISED £182.20**

17<sup>th</sup> June ... Family Swim at Petersfield Open Air Pool, great social ... not only covered costs but **RAISED £8.40**

19<sup>th</sup> June ... Sports Day Refreshments & 2<sup>nd</sup> hand uniform sale ... **RAISED £80**

6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> July Ice pop Fridays!

17<sup>th</sup> July    FoFs AGM & Summer Social, The Trooper Inn, 7.30pm - all welcome

18<sup>th</sup> July ... FoFs Mufti & Wacky Hair Day ... Instead of £1 donation, please bring a bottle of anything - drink, shower gel, cooking ingredients - all donations will be prizes on the bottle tombola at FoFstival on last day of term.

20<sup>th</sup> July ... Leavers Service followed by Mini FoFstival - everyone is invited to bring garden games and picnics, to relax on the Recreation Ground and celebrate the start of the summer holidays.

There will be a Teddy Tombola and face painting.

## Clubs

Day	Club	Times	Available To	Dates
Monday	Russian Club	12pm - 1pm	Years 3, 4, 5, 6	23 <sup>rd</sup> Apr - 9 <sup>th</sup> Jul
Monday	Aspire Football Club	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Years 1 - 6	23 <sup>rd</sup> Apr - 9 <sup>th</sup> Jul
Tuesday	Active8 Minds	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Years R - 6	17 <sup>th</sup> Apr - 17 <sup>th</sup> Jul
Tuesday	Wild Child Club	3.15pm - 4.30pm	Years 1 - 6	24 <sup>th</sup> Apr - 17 <sup>th</sup> Jul
Wednesday	French Club	Lunch Time	Years R, 1, 2	25 <sup>th</sup> Apr - 4 <sup>th</sup> Jul
Wednesday	Adventurers' Club	3.15pm - 4.30pm	Contact School Office	25 <sup>th</sup> Apr - 4 <sup>th</sup> Jul

## **School Diary 2018**

Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	FoFs Icepops Friday - available at 3.15pm in the playground for a small charge
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	FoFs Icepops Friday - available at 3.15pm in the playground for a small charge
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	School reports home
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	FoFs AGM and Summer Social, The Trooper Inn, 7.30pm
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	FoFs Mufti and Wacky Hair Day in return for 'bottles' for
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Production, 1.30pm
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Service, 1.15pm, further details to follow nearer the time
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	FoFs Icepops Friday - available at 3.15pm in the playground for a small charge
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Mini FoFstival - picnics and garden games
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July - Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> August	Summer Holidays
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	INSET Day - School Closed
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	INSET Day - School Closed
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	School Opens for the Autumn Term, 8.30am
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	INSET Day - School Closed

## **Class Reps 2018**

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