

FROXFIELD FRIDAY FLYER

Dear All,

Friday 20th April 2018

Welcome back! It has been wonderful to begin the term with some dry weather this week. The children have settled quickly back into the routine of school and have been able to enjoy learning outside in the sunshine. This week the children have had lunch outside on the picnic benches and rugs on the playground which they have really enjoyed.

Following national notification date on Monday, I would like to welcome all new families who will be joining the school in September. I hope you all enjoy reading our newsletter and finding out what we are getting up to here at Froxfield!

Today we have said goodbye to Mrs Good who is leaving Froxfield to take up a post within the church. Mrs Good has been the cook at Froxfield for over four years. There is no doubt that the time she takes getting to know the children and the way she works to ensure a very positive eating experience for all children has had a huge impact on many of our children during her time here. She will be missed by staff and children alike and I am sure you will join me in wishing her every success in her new venture.

You may be aware that Chris Prior-Jones, one of our clergy in the parish, moved away at Christmas and John Owen is now the only vicar working within Froxfield and Steep and supporting the two schools. As a result, from September, we are looking to work more closely with East Meon and West Meon schools so that the three clergy from the two parishes lead worship at all schools on a rotational basis. I believe this is a very exciting development and I know the children will enjoy getting to know Jane Ball and Katy Garner, the clergy from the Meon Parish.

The end of Key Stage tests for Year Six will take place in the week beginning Monday 14th May. The children are all working really hard and both Mrs Harriott and I are impressed by their determination to achieve their best. Well done Year Six, keep it up!

There are lots of exciting visits and events planned for the summer term. As you know, a great deal of organisation goes into every trip undertaken with Mrs Hewson booking mini-buses, finding drivers and liaising with venues and teachers carrying out pre-visits and risk assessments and completing all the relevant paperwork. Please do keep an eye on the newsletter for all up-coming events and if you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to ask.

Please do try to keep 12th May free in your diary for the FoFs Sponsored Walk. I know the committee would be delighted to have a big turn-out for this event.

In book bags tonight you will find our Learning Cluster Sheets which I hope will give you a good overview of curriculum coverage this half-term. If you would like more information, you can make an appointment to meet the class teachers at any time.

Have a good weekend.

With warmest wishes,

Mrs V. Farrow
Head Teacher



Library Books

We were overwhelmed by the response following our request for donations towards library books and wish to sincerely thank everyone who very kindly purchased books. We are expecting them to arrive very soon and we know the children will benefit enormously from the extensive selection our library will now house. We are very appreciative of the generosity of our parents and of the local community - thank you!

School Lunches

The cost for school lunches up until half term will be £62.35 and £137.60 until the end of the Summer Term.

Class Three Request

Please can all children in Class Three bring in empty, clean cartons or bottles for Maths learning on Monday 23rd April. Thank you.

Class One Visit

On the afternoon of Thursday 3rd May, Class One will be visiting Hinton Ampner to look at plants. The children will need to wear full school uniform and a coat appropriate for the weather. Please also ensure children have their wellie boots in school.



Class Three Treat

Class Three thoroughly enjoyed their class treat yesterday as a result of filling their jar with 'warm and fluffies'! Please ask your children all about it!



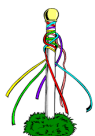
Class One Outside Area

A very big thank you to Mr and Mrs Coles, parents of Emily, Eloise and Freya, for giving the school a large number of construction materials for the Class One outside area. The photographs say it all!



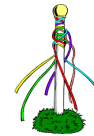
Summer Weather

Please ensure water bottles are brought into school each day along with sun hats now that the weather is much warmer. Please ensure sun cream is applied in the morning before children are brought into school. Sun cream may be brought into school if children are happy to apply their own and it must not be shared with other children.



May Dancing

Everyone is invited to the May Dancing where Class One and Class Two will be performing. May Dancing will take place on the Recreation Ground on Friday 25th May at 2.15pm.



Froxfield Stores

You will have no doubt heard that the grand opening, performed by Damian Hinds MP, of Froxfield Stores Post Office took place during the Easter holiday. Services include mails, travel money, cash withdrawals and telecoms. These services are now available for longer hours during the day. You will find further details in book bags this afternoon.

School Clubs

All clubs resume next week for the Summer Term. Application forms for Active8 Minds, Aspire Football and French Club are available in the School Office.

Wild Child After School Club, which runs on Tuesdays between 3.15pm - 4.30pm for Years 1 - 6, currently has spaces. Please contact the School Office if your child may be interested.



Gold Book

Congratulations to this week's Gold Book children, Katie Brennan-Grant and Kair Mitchener, nominated by Mrs Dunster. Katie was chosen for managing her literacy work with great independence and maturity and Kair was selected for his excellent reading and discussion of a book. Well done Katie and Kair!



FRIENDS OF FROXFIELD SCHOOL



NEWS

Breeze FM

The 'Community Kickstart' provides grants to organisations across Hampshire and south west Surrey. FoFs have recently received £250 from Community Kickstart, supported by The Breeze Radio Station.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FoFs THURSDAY WALK

FoFs invite you to join them for a dog and pushchair friendly walk & chat every Thursday morning. Meet in car park straight after drop off and we will go from there!

FoFs MEETING, WEDNESDAY 2nd MAY

Everyone is invited to the next FoFs Meeting which will take place in the church at 1.45pm on Wednesday 2nd May. If you are unable to make 1.45pm, please feel free to drop in when you can. A children's play area is available for little ones. Please bring your own cup for tea/coffee (saving washing up). Our new secretary, Helen Evison will be joining us so please do come and welcome her!

FoFs SPONSORED WALK, SATURDAY 12th MAY (BACK UP DATE OF SUNDAY 13th MAY)

Meet at school at 10am for a 10.30am start. Sponsor forms and further details will be sent out next week. There will be a trophy and a prize for the highest amount of money raised.

FoFs SUMMER CONCERT, SUNDAY 10th JUNE

Further details will follow nearer the time.

FoFs CAKE STALL, RAMS WALK, PETERSFIELD, SATURDAY 16th JUNE

Details and request for cakes will be made nearer the time.

Class Reps 2018

Year Group	Class Rep	Email Contact
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	Debbie Cooke (Joshua's mum)	thecookefamily2@gmail.com

Clubs

Day	Club	Times	Available To	Dates
Monday	Russian Club	12pm - 1pm	Years 3, 4, 5, 6	23 rd Apr - tbc
Monday	Sketching Club	3.15pm - 4pm	Years 3, 4 and 5	23 rd Apr - 2 nd Jul
Monday	Aspire Football Club	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Years 1 - 6	23 rd Apr - 9 th Jul
Tuesday	Choir	12.40pm - 1pm	Years 1 - 6	24 th Apr - 3 rd Jul
Tuesday	Active8 Minds	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Years R - 6	17 th Apr - 17 th Jul
Tuesday	Wild Child Club	3.15pm - 4.30pm	Years 1 - 6	24 th Apr - 17 th Jul
Wednesday	Running Club	12 - 12.30pm	Years 3 - 6	25 th Apr - 4 th Jul
Wednesday	French Club	Lunch Time	Years R, 1, 2	25 th Apr - 4 th Jul
Wednesday	Adventurers' Club	3.15pm - 4.30pm	Contact School Office	25 th Apr - 4 th Jul
Thursday	Reading	12pm - 12.30pm	Years 3 - 6	26 th Apr - 5 th Jul
Thursday	Recorders	12.30pm - 1pm	Year 2	26 th Apr - 5 th Jul
Thursday	Jackanory	3.15pm - 4pm	Years R, 1 and 2	26 th Apr - 5 th Jul
Thursday	Netball	3.15pm - 4pm	Years 4 - 6	26 th Apr - 5 th Jul
Friday	Cookery Club	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Years 5 - 6	27 th Apr - 6 th Jul

School Diary 2018

Friday 19 th April	Class Three Swimming starts, every Friday, for 10 weeks
Friday 20 th April	Maths Workshop for the Parents of children in Year R, 9am, Library
Wednesday 25 th April	Class One Titanic Workshop at SeaCity Musuem, Southampton
Wednesday 2 nd May	FoFs Meeting - further details to follow
Thursday 3 rd May	Class One Visit to Hinton Ampner
Saturday 12 th May (back up Sunday 13 th May)	FoFs Sponsored Walk
Monday 14 th May - Friday 18 th May	Year Six SATS Week
Friday 25 th May	May Dancing, 2.15pm, everyone invited
Tuesday 5 th June	Fairthorne Residential Meeting for Parents, 3.30pm
Sunday 10 th June	FoFs Summer Concert, St Peter's Church, High Cross, further details to follow nearer the time
Saturday 16 th June	FoFs Cake Stall, Rams Walk, Petersfield
Tuesday 19 th June	Sports Day, 1.15pm
Tuesday 3 rd - Friday 6 th July	Years 4, 5, 6 Residential Visit to Fairthorne Manor
Thursday 19 th July	Summer Production, 1.30pm
Friday 20 th July	End of Year Service, 1.15pm, further details to follow nearer the time
Monday 23 rd July - Friday 30 th August	Summer Holidays

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