



Emails and Letters sent home this week:

E-MAIL

PTA Christmas Fair Reminders
Reception Parents: Phonics Workshop
Reception Parents: forest School

LETTERS (available to download from website)

Reception Phonics Workshop
Frieth Falcons Breakfast Club Flyer
Messy Christmas Flyer
PTA Xmas Factor Forms

2019 2020 TERM DATES

	Open	Close
Autumn	4th Sept	25th Oct
	4th Nov	19th Dec
Spring	7th Jan	14h Feb
	24th Feb	3rd April
Summer	21st April	21st May
	1st June	21st July

INSET Days

Monday 2nd September 2019
Tuesday 3rd September 2019
Monday 6th January 2020
Monday 20th April 2020
Friday 22nd May 2020

May Bank Holiday

Friday 8th May

Autumn 5

15th November 2019

Message from Mrs Reid



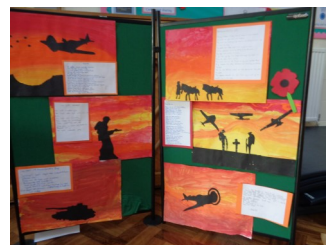
The first two weeks back after half term have been as busy as ever at Frieth. We are thrilled that our Breakfast Club 'Frieth Falcons' is now up and running. We have a fantastic timetable of activities, and it seems that the 'Pancake Thursday' is particularly



popular. Mrs Spencer and I have been having lots of fun with the children, and I think the bug hunt for 'wild Wednesday' was a hit this week. Don't forget, if you would like to make ad hoc bookings for breakfast club, simply fill out a registration form and Mrs Horan will help you with the booking process.

On Monday the school came together for our annual Remembrance Day Collective Worship. We were joined by members of the wider community, including governors, parents and grandparents for the worship. As always, the worship was led by our year 6 pupils,

who also presented their profiles of the war poets, Siegfried Sassoon, Robert Graves and Wilfred Owen. All the school have been taking part in activities for Remembrance and some of their thought-provoking work is now on display and played a central part in creating the ethos for our Collective Worship. Following the Worship, Mrs Tebbot, our Chair of Governors, emailed me to say that the governors who attended were 'extremely impressed with the behaviour of the school, even the tiny ones, during the two minutes silence yesterday. Silent and still. Also of the standard of the work around the war poets etc. Please pass on the governors' appreciation of such a moving service carried out with such dignity by all.'



We have also been raising funds for Children in Need today by wearing something yellow or spotty and bringing in a pound for the fundraising effort. I was particularly impressed by the commitment of one of our pupils who came dressed

as Pudsey Bear himself! The school council will let you know how much we raised next week.



Finally, this week, as a headteacher I have the privilege of visiting different classes and observing their learning on a regular basis. This week I can say how impressed I have been with the fantastic recitation of 'The Owl and the Pussy Cat' by Edward Lear in Buzzard's class; the super volcano posters Kestrels created this afternoon; and the amazing animal knowledge of the Owls class when finding out about how warm blooded animals keep warm in Antarctica! I really enjoyed their investigation into how to keep their water-bottle whales warm! I can't wait to see what wonderful learning treats I will get to observe next week as well.

Have a lovely weekend all.

Mrs Reid



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FOREST SCHOOL

Next week, our Reception pupils will be the first children to start taking part in Forest School Activities. We are very lucky that the Frieth School Donations Account has been used to provide forest school training for two of our learning support assistants and to purchase more resources for our forest school activities and lessons. From Tuesday afternoon next week, the reception children will start a block of Forest School sessions. **They will need to have waterproofs and wellie boots in school as the activities will take place, even if it is raining!**

Once the first block for Reception Owls is complete, we will begin to move up through the school, with our aim being that every child will have experienced a block of sessions at some point during the year.

Reminders

Frieth Falcons Breakfast Club

Ad Hoc bookings for the Breakfast club can be made at the office the day before the booking is required. If you wish to use the breakfast club on an occasional basis, you will need to have completed a registration form before a booking can be made. Payment by cheque or cash will be needed at the time of booking.

Board Games and Puzzles Request

If you have any board games or jigsaw puzzles in good condition with all the pieces that are no longer wanted at home, 'Frieth Falcons' would love to give them a new home! Please send them in after the half term break.

Social Media presence

As a school we are always striving to move forward in the ever changing digital world. We already use the school website to share our news, and we have a new Frieth School Facebook Page set up that we wish to start using with immediate effect. This is currently in its infancy but we would like to use it to share more effectively with our parents and the wider community the things that we are achieving here at Frieth.

You may have already given permission for the school to use your child's photograph within school, on the website and for publicising events. However as we are suggesting a slight change in the scope of usage of such images we would be grateful if you could let us know, **by replying to the email sent to all parents today**, if you **do not** wish your child's image to be used on Social Media.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping us to highlight the exciting achievements and efforts of our teachers and children.

Church Services

We have a number of Church services throughout the school year, including our Welcome service, Harvest service, Christmas service, Easter service and Leaver's service. As with all our services, parents are more than welcome to attend, but are asked to sit at the back of the church so the children can sit in the pews. This term our services are:

Thursday 19th December 1pm

Christmas service

DIARY DATES

Dates and events happening in the school diary can all be accessed in the Calendar section of the School Website at the following link:

<http://www.friethschool.co.uk/website/calendar/186376>

More information is available on our school website

www.friethschool.co.uk



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Wild Wednesdays

Pancake Thursdays

Board Game Fridays



Opening January 7th 2020

Frieth Falcons Afternoon Care 3:15—6:15pm

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www.friethschool.co.uk