



# NEWSLETTER

## Emails and Letters sent home this week:

Letter: Chateau du Broutel Meeting Yr5/6

Letter: Choir - Energise letter

### Term Dates

#### 2015-2016

#### 2015 -2016 INSET days

Mon 4th January 2016

Mon 11th April 2016

Friday 27th May 2016

	Open	Close
Autumn	3rd Sep	22nd Oct
	2nd Nov	18th Dec
Spring	5th Jan	12th Feb
	22nd Feb	24th Mar
Summer	12th Apr	26th May
	6th June	21st Jul

#### 2016-2017

#### 2016 -2017 INSET days

Thurs 1st September 2016

Fri 2nd September 2016

Wed 4th January 2017

**Two additional service days TBC**

**School will be closed May Bank Hol**

**1st May 2017**

## Spring Term 3

22nd January 2016

### Message from Mrs Reid

It has been such a busy and inspiring week, I am not sure I have enough room to do it justice in this newsletter!

Firstly, thank you to the parents and governors who attended the Whole School Meeting on Wednesday evening and a special thank you to the governors and staff who presented information. We hope you found it



Yr 6 having received Headteacher's wards for their IT presentation

useful and, for those who would like a reminder of what they heard, or for those who were unable to attend, the presentation notes are now available

on the school website. A very special mention must go to our year 6 pupils, who voluntarily gave up their evening to come and present their work and how we use our new IT to the parents and governors. Our Head Girl and Head Boy also gave a fantastic speech to start our evening meeting. They were all amazing and represented the rest of the school brilliantly!

Also representing our school superbly this week were our Cross Country Running Team. In conditions that can only be described as extremely challenging, they ran through the mud, the wet and the cold and persevered to reach the end of the race. Thank you to the parents who organized the event and ensured that our pupils had such a great opportunity.



Some of our runners preparing to race

Another amazing event this week follows the interest from Kestrels class into the progress of Major Tim Peake. Both he and the European Space Agency are now aware of our interest, and through the wonders of technology have sent confirmation that they think our interest is superb! This is something that has really captured the imagination of pupils throughout the school and I have had so many truly inspiring conversations with pupils about Earth and Space, and space technology this week. We have some future inventors and space traveler in our midst I'm sure!

*Mrs Jo Reid*

### \*\*\*\*\*PTA NEWS\*\*\*\*\*

The next PTA MEETING is TUESDAY 26th JAN 7.30pm at The Grouse and Ale Lane End

As always, everyone is very welcome to come along. Not been before?? Why not make this meeting your first, we'd love to see you!

Mrs Reid will be letting us know what recent pta funds have been spent on and what they would like next from us - your vote counts so please do come and have your say.

I do hope to see many of you there.

Jenni



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## REMINDERS:

### SAINSBURYS ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

We would be very grateful for any Sainsburys Activkids vouchers that you (and your family!) collect. They are very valuable as we use them to buy sports equipment for the children, so the more the better! The vouchers can be handed in via the children, or into the collection point in the school reception. Thank you.

### MILK IN SCHOOL

We have experienced some problems with our milk deliveries this week, we are working with our provider to resolve the problems. We apologise if your child has not received their milk in school, if you pay for milk the cost will be refunded by Coolmilk.

### OWLS AND BUZZARDS ACTIVKIDS

We are currently running a Growth Mindset programme in school, this means that we have swapped the Owls and Buzzards Activkids session around. Buzzards Activkids session will be on a Thursday and Owls Activkids session will be on a Tuesday until half term.

### HOME TIME TRANSPORT

Please would you send in a note with your child informing us when your child is going home with someone else, both for the end of the day and after clubs.

### CHATEAU DU BROUDEL

We would be grateful if you would return your slips informing us whether you are able to attend the Chateau du Broutel meeting on 15th March, thank you.

### Medicines in School

If medicines are required to be administered at school please be aware that you will need to bring them in with the necessary forms completed (available from the school office), in their original packaging, un-opened and labelled with your child's name. Please note, the school policy for the administration of medicine states that members of staff are not allowed to administer Paracetamol, Calpol, Ibuprofen or any other over the counter painkillers, and pupils are not allowed to have cough sweets or syrups in school without a prescription from your doctor. If your child is unwell and need regular top ups of painkilling medicine, we ask that parents arrange to come into school to administer the medicine themselves or that the pupils are kept at home until they are well enough to get through the day without painkillers.

### Whole School Meeting

Presentation slides are now available on the school website. If you would like a pack of hand-outs from the evening, please ask in the office.



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### Winter Weather Uniform

As the weather gets colder please ensure your child comes to school with a sweatshirt and warm winter coat every day. For PE sessions please ensure they have their full PE kit including warm tracksuit bottoms and trainers and a sweatshirt. When the weather drops below zero, we ask that all children have their legs covered, either with tights or trousers.

### Lettings policy and use of school grounds

When hiring the school hall for parties or events outside of school hours, our school lettings policy asks that the hirers only drive 1 essential car onto the playground for the purposes of unloading and ensure that the gate is partially closed to stop any other cars driving onto the playground. If you are collecting a child or attending an event at the school outside of school hours, please support our policy by parking in the front car park or on the road and walking through to the playground. Thank you.

#### **Advertisement**

**Wyeclean Group**  
Cleaners required  
Frieth School  
6pm till 8pm  
Mon to Fri.  
01494 473338.

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# Frieth C.E.C School Diary Dates

DATE	EVENT
<b>FEB</b>	
5th	2.45PM BUZZARDS CLASS ASSEMBLY
10th	CHOIR ENERGISE REHEARSAL ALL DAY TOWN HALL HIGH WYCOMBE
12th	2.45PM OWLS CLASS ASSEMBLY SCHOOL ENDS FOR HALF TERM
22nd	SCHOOL STARTS PARENT REP MEETING
24th	YEAR 6 TALK SCHOOL NURSE
25th	CROSS COUNTRY FIXTURE MARLOW RUGBY CLUB
26th	7.30pm PTA MEETING GROUSE & ALE
29th	CHOIR ENERGISE REHEARSAL ALL DAY KINGS CHURCH AMERSHAM
<b>MAR</b>	
2nd	5.30PM-8.00PM PARENT CONSULTATION
3rd	WORLD BOOK DAY 3.30PM-5.30PM PARENT CONSULTATION
4th	2.45PM EAGLES CLASS ASSEMBLY
8th	9.30AM YEAR 3 & 4 DRESS REHEARSAL
9th	2PM YEAR 3 & 4 AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE
10th	6PM YEAR 3 & 4 PERFORMANCE
14th	WHOLE SCHOOL TRIP
15th	GROUP PHOTOS TEMPEST 3.15PM CHATEAU DU BROUDEL MEETING
16th	YEAR 5&6 HAZARD ALLEY VISIT
18th	CHOIR ENERGISE REHEARSAL MORNING WYCOMBE SWAN THEATRE 7PM ENERGISE PERFORMANCE WYCOMBE SWAN THEATRE
17th	CROSS COUNTRY FIXTURE WOODFORD PARK
19th	2PM ENERGISE PERFORMANCE WYCOMBE SWAN THEATRE
20th	EASTER EGG HUNT
24th	IPM EASTER SERVICE 2PM SCHOOL ENDS
<b>APRIL</b>	
11th	INSET DAY
12th	SCHOOL STARTS
<b>MAY</b>	
9th-13th	STATUTORY TESTING KS2
26th	SCHOOL ENDS
27th	INSET DAY
<b>JUNE</b>	
6th	BACK TO SCHOOL
6th-10th	YEAR 5/6 WEEK RESIDENTIAL
13th -15th	YEAR 1 PHONICS SCREENING
<b>JULY</b>	

# SPAG Corner!

## Brackets to Show Parenthesis

### Uses for Round Brackets

Here are examples of ways to use round brackets to add additional information:

#### **An extra detail**

The passenger train (which was late) pulled up at the station.

#### **To offer the reader an aside**

I'm heading out (movie night), but I'll call you in the morning.

#### **An authorial intrusion**

Trainspotting (what a unique past time) was her favourite hobby.

#### **A date, or the birth and death of a person**

William Tate (1798-1873) was the architect who designed Waterloo Bridge Station.

#### **A list which interrupts a sentence**

The three busiest train stations in Great Britain (Waterloo, Victoria, Liverpool Street) are all based in London.

#### **A Latin name used after a common name**

The film 'My Fair Lady' opens with Eliza Doolittle selling violets (violas) outside Covent Garden.



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Can you find examples of using brackets this week?