



Frieth Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Let Your Light Shine!

Monday 17th June 2024

I hope the children enjoyed the first day of sports week and I look forward to seeing you on Friday for sports day. You will have received some communication from your class reps last week regarding a kind offer from Bella Connell around parking. Please can I strongly urge you to take her up on her offer of using her land to park and walking to sports day. If you decide to park near the school please ensure you are parking considerately and not obstructing any drive ways.

It's been a great few weeks at Frieth with many of the classes taking their learning outside the school and enjoying field trips linking to the topics they are studying. It's so important to take education beyond the classroom and make learning memorable and it looks like they've had a fantastic time...

Hughenden Manor

The wet weather couldn't dampen Eagles spirits as they explored Hughenden Manor. They discovered some beautiful walks, a secret WWII map-making bunker and learnt about the home of Victorian PM Benjamin Disraeli.



Roald Dahl Museum

Kestrels ventured out to the Roald Dahl museum for an action-packed day of

creative collaboration. They found out about how illustrators and authors work together to create stories before having a go at their own character creation. They also learnt about where Roald Dahl took his inspiration from.



Parmoor Park Farm

Kites had a fantastic trip to Parmoor Park Farm, supplementing their topic on Land Use. Bella talked about the different crops they grow; they saw where the huge mountains of grain are stored; realised how enormous a combine harvester is up close and met a baby calf that was hours old! The children loved every minute and we are so lucky that Bella gave up her time to share her knowledge and love of farming.



Forest School at Hill Tree Cottage

Buzzards had an amazing time joining Miss Clío and Miss Catherine at Forest School. They roasted marshmallows on the fire, used mallets (very carefully) to create wonder flowers/leave prints and went on an excellent treasure hunt.



Kites class also had a cracking Forest School day at Miss Clío's stunning setting. The children loved exploring the woods, butterfly hunting, trying out tools, potato printing, Hapa Zome (transferring the imprint of plants onto fabric by bashing), cooking in the mud kitchen, swinging in the hammock and last but not least... roasting marshmallows over the fire!



Lady Ryder Memorial Garden

There is so much to see and do at Lady Ryder Memorial garden! Half of Kites class visited a few weeks back and had such a great time with the other half due to visit next Monday. We are extremely grateful to Robert and Shuna for providing this learning opportunity.



Ancient Greece Virtual Workshop

A few weeks back, Sparta and the Ancient Greeks came to Hawks class! They took part in a virtual workshop in which we learnt about the rivalry between Sparta and Athens, heard about how Spartan boys were trained for life as a hoplite, understood about the importance of the Olympics and took part in lots of practical activities which were related to life in Ancient Greece.



Pyjama Day

I received an excellent letter from Amelia Macleod last week suggesting we raise money for air ambulance by allowing the children to wear their pyjamas to school for one day. This is a charity close to her family's heart and, so convincing was her letter, I have decided we will proceed with this on the 5th July. Therefore, on this day your child may wear, if they wish to, their pyjamas to school. Should your child choose to wear an onesie please make sure they wear shorts and a T.Shirt underneath. To make a voluntary donation through the Just Giving page [here](#)

Owls Assembly



Owls performed brilliantly in their first class assembly. It's pretty daunting standing in front of parents and the whole school when you're 4 or 5 years old and the children showed great confidence and courage! Well done Owls!

Netball



Well done to our fantastic year 4 and 5 pupils who represented the school against Widmir End. It was the first netball match for many of the children but they played brilliantly and should be proud. The future is looking promising for the netball team!

Football

The girl's football team did the school proud in their match against Holy Trinity. Please enjoy the write up below from Mr Burn.

'This afternoon the girls' football team finally took to the field for a competitive match. The excitement and enthusiasm to play was backed up by an enthralling performance.

In a team meeting yesterday in the build up to the match with Marlow's Holy

Trinity, we analysed our strengths. I told Maya, playing in central midfield, to do what she's done in training all season: go in hard early on and let them know you mean business. Trinity rolled the ball back from the kick off to the biggest year 6 child in the world, the ground shook as she moved forward threateningly. I silently thought to myself, 'Run away, everyone! Run for the hills!' Maya was thinking differently. She piled in as she's done all season, no hesitation. She won the ball, cleaned out Jonah Lomu and set the tone for the match: we'd come to play.

So what are their strengths?

Leafy: composed, brave, dependable

Tilly: swift, spirited, influential

Miriam: intelligent, a game reader, danger-eliminator

Maya: strong, committed, inspiring, Rory Delap on throws

Summer: skillful, game changer, vibrant

Josie: leader, gifted, attack, attack, attack

Lily: direct, decisive, chance-maker

Zara: assured, confident, hungry

Alyvia: effervescent, positive, unflinching

There really aren't enough adjectives.

They didn't win the match today but to coin a cliché, football was the winner.'



Attachments

Cricket Flyer

Bucks County Fayre



All school dates can also be found on the school website. New dates in **red**. PTA Events in **blue**. Sport fixtures in **green**.

W/c 17 th June:	Sports Theme Week
Wed 19th June:	Netball Little Kingshill v Frieth
Frid 21 st June:	Sports Day
W/c 24 th June:	Eagles to River Dart Residential
Tues 25th June:	Nursing Team: Vision Test – Owls Class
Wed 26th June:	Kites Class Windsor Castle Workshop
Frid 28 th June:	Hawks Class Assembly (more details to follow)
Tues 2nd July:	Moving up Morning
Thurs 4 th July:	Hawks Forest School Day
Frid 12 th July:	Summer Queen
Frid 19th July:	Leavers Service
Tues 23 rd July:	Break up at 1pm