

Frieth Primary School NEWSLETTER

Let Your Light Shine!

Friday 14th November 2025

Over the past two weeks the children have been working hard across all areas of school life. As always, there's been lots going on and I'm delighted to share some of the highlights with you in this edition of the newsletter.

Celebrating Diversity and Preparing for Life in Modern Britain

Thank you for the positive feedback shared during Parents' Evening on the questionnaires. It's clear that our families value the work we do to prepare children for life in modern Britain, and to celebrate the many different cultures, backgrounds, and beliefs that make our world so special.

As you may know, at Frieth our curriculum is carefully designed to help pupils fill gaps in their knowledge while developing understanding an appreciation of a wide range of cultures and faiths. Each year group explores rich and meaningful texts that tell stories from around the world, reflecting the diversity of our global community. Every year group also visits a major place of worship, so that by the time our pupils leave Frieth, they will have experienced and learned about all the world's main religions. We also place a strong emphasis on high-quality PSHE lessons, helping children to respect differences, value others' points of view, celebrate what makes each of us unique.

This year, we are especially excited to be expanding this work through The Schools Linking Programme. We'll be partnering with Oakridge Academy Primary School, a local school based in High Wycombe. This project will give all pupils taking part a wonderful

opportunity to connect and build relationships with children from different backgrounds and neighbourhoods. Together, they will explore similarities and differences, build friendships, and celebrate diversity in all its forms.

We can't wait to share updates and highlights from this exciting partnership throughout the year!

Osprey Assembly

Ospreys performed wonderfully in their class assembly on Wednesday, displaying all their learning on the Ancient Egyptians, showcasing their talents through dance, drama, writing and art.



Odd Socks Day

On Monday, the School Council led an assembly on the power for good, when we started Anti Bullying week. As part of the week, the children in the school came wearing odd socks to celebrate the importance of difference and diversity.



Owls Class Diwali Celebrations!

The children took part in a variety of creative and cultural activities, including making their own colourful diya lamps and designing vibrant rangoli and intricate mehndi patterns. They also spent time learning about the traditions and stories behind the festival, gaining an appreciation for how Diwali is celebrated around the world.





Football

Our school football team put on a fantastic display this week, finishing with a well-earned 1-1 draw against Claytons. The players showed great determination, teamwork, and sportsmanship from start to finish.

It was especially exciting to see so many debutants taking to the field for their very first match. They rose to the challenge brilliantly, contributing energy, confidence, and enthusiasm throughout the game.

The whole team played with excellent spirit, supporting one another and working hard in every position. Their positive attitude and commitment should be applauded.



Netball

Our netball team played a great match against Widmer End. It was a competitive game, but Frieth came away with a 10-2 win. Well done to Tabby, who was awarded Player of the Match for her excellent performance.



Eco Council

Our Eco Council has had a busy and exciting week! After receiving a letter from MP Emma Reynolds praising their speeding posters, the children were interviewed by the Henley Standard. They also enjoyed an inspiring day at the Greener Henley Showcase, exploring brilliant eco-ideas from other schools



and sharing our Coca-Cola recycling project. They've come back full of enthusiasm and new plans for Frieth. Watch this space for some green magic!

PTA News



Thank You for Supporting Children in Need!

A huge thank you to all our pupils, families, and staff for your wonderful support of Children in Need this year. Thanks to your kindness and generosity, we managed to raise an incredible £309

Christmas Walking Bus

Although our weekly Walking Bus is no longer running, we know that many of you still choose to walk to school each day. Well done and thank you for continuing to make healthy and environmentally friendly choices!

Children are invited to join Amanda for a special Christmas-themed Walking Bus on 15th December, and we encourage you to wear your Christmas hats and festive accessories! It's a wonderful chance to walk to school together, enjoy some fresh air, and spread plenty of Christmas cheer.

Meet Amanda at 7:50am by Lane End Village Hall if you wish to join.

Attachments

Preventing Radicalisation in Buckinghamshire Frieth Christmas Fair Starting School Poster 2026



All school dates can also be found on the school website. New dates in red. Sports Events in blue PTA events in green

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Wed 19th Nov: Netball Match: Frieth v Widmer End Frid 21st Nov: Football Match: Frieth v Holy Trinity Tues 2nd Dec: Eagles – Parmoor Lunch Club

Sat 6th Dec: Christmas Fair

Tues 9 & 10th

Dec: KS1 Christmas Performances (more

details to follow)

Thurs 11th Dec: Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Lunch

Tues 16th Dec: Kites Class Assembly (more details to

follow)

Frid 19th Dec: Church Service - 9.30am

Break up 1pm