Frieth C.E.C. School

NEWSLETTER

Emails and Letters sent home this week:

LETTER: PARENTS EVENING

E-MAIL: LUNCHTIME HELPERS-20/10

LETTER: THE WINTER BALL

E-MAIL: KITES PARENTS £2 COOKING CONTRIBUTION

E-MAIL: KITES EMERGENCY PHONE CHAIN UPDATED

E-MAIL: CLASS PHOTOS IN THE OFFICE LOANED BY PARENTS

2016-2017

2016 -2017 INSET days

Thurs	1st September 2016
Fri	2nd September 2016
Wed	4th January 2017

Tues

Two additional service days TBC School will be closed May Bank Hol 1st May 2017

	Open	Close
Autumn	5th Sep	21st Oct
	31st Oct	20th Dec
Spring	5th Jan	10th Feb
	20th Feb	31st Mar
Summer	18th Apr	26th May
	5th June	21st Jul

Autumn 3

<u>Message from</u> <u>the School</u> <u>Council</u>

Hello we are School Council and on Monday we had our first assembly where we introduced ourselves. Then we read letters from our link school in Kenya. There were lots of letters. Several of the pupils got a letter, but not all because some of the children in Kenya cannot write in English. We are going to be sending them work about Harvest in our area. If you have any photographs connected with Harvest please send them to Mrs Sparks.

This year's School Councillors are Tibault, Leah, Phoebe, Ruben, Charlie, Mia, George, Chloe



7th October 2016



and your Head boy and Head girl Finley and Ava .

<u>Message from</u> Mrs Reid

We have been very busy preparing for the Harvest service in school this week, learning hymns and songs; making harvest bread with help from governors who will take it to the church for the Frieth Harvest service this Sunday; preparing stories, art work and poems to share in the church for our school harvest service on Monday at 10am. If you are free to join us, we would love to have our parent and wider

community joining us in our Harvest service. Even if you can't cannot attend, you can be part of the service by remembering to send in an item to school on Monday which will be collected by the 'One Can Trust' Charity that we support each harvest.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Jo Reid

Welcome To Frieth School & The PTA!

We'd love you to be involved as much as you can with the school PTA. Hear about the latest events, socials and fundraisers by ensuring we have your email address. Email it to: **PTA@Frieth.bucks.sch**

Come to our monthly meetings - dates announced via the school website.

Request to join the (unofficial) School Facebook page, great for reminders, lost property and general chat! Search for 'Frieth School Parents' on Facebook.

Thank you! Emma, Laura, Sarah & Ellie x







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St Charles School, Kenya

As you all hopefully know our school has a wonderful link with St Charles School in Kenya. This term we are sending them work about our Harvest Celebrations. If you have any photographs of harvest taking place in the local area or celebrations we would love to send these to them. Please send them into school for the attention of Mrs Sparks via your child's bookbag.

Travel Plan

If you have any high visibility jackets at home that your children have grown out of (perhaps they were given one at school and have now left and gone to secondary school) we would be very grateful if you would be happy to donate them to school. Please send any in to school via your child's bookbag for the attention of Mrs Sparks.

Education City and Homework

From time to time teachers may set homework to be completed on Education City. This will be labelled as homework and dated and should not be confused with the other revision materials that have been made available to do should they so wish.

One Can Trust

We are once again supporting 'One Can Trust' this autumn. Please can you bring a can to Harvest Festival on Monday. They will be donated for the needy in High Wycombe. Your child should bring home a list of suitable 'cans' today. Many thanks.

Rememberance Day Collective Workshop

All parents are invited to our Rememberance Day collective workshop on Friday 11th November 2016 at 10.45 am in school.

Winter Ball

We sent home the letters about the Winter Ball this week which takes place on Friday 2nd December. There is also a copy of the letter on the school website under the letters section.

Arrival and Collection from School

The beginning of the new academic year is a good time to remind all parents of the safety rules we currently have in place.

• Please abide by our school opening times and drop your children off between 8:45 and 8:55. A member of staff will be on the front gate to greet the arrivals and keep an eye on the turning circle in the morning and Mrs Ansell will be on duty to look after the pupils on the back playground until the whistle blows at 8:55. Initially reception age pupils may go straight to Owls class with their parents for the 10 minute settling in period until they are happy to be left in the playground.

• Please do not get out of your car in the drop off zone. If you need to pop into the office, or your child is unable to let themselves out of the car, please park further away and walk in with your child.

• Please do not park in the car park after 3pm

Please only park in designated parking spaces, as parking in the entrance way to the village hall and the car park limits the space, blocks the emergency access to the school and is hazardous for the pupils walking past.

There is detailed information about pick up and drop off on the school information pages on the website. We ask all parents to read the information.



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Snacks and Drinks

All pupils will need a named water bottle in school every day which they can refill at the water dispenser should they need more. If parents wish to provide a further drink for lunchtime, that is fine, however we will have some water available for those without a drink or their water bottle in school. KS2 pupils are also encouraged to continue bringing a healthy snack for the morning break time. KS1 and EYFS pupils will continue to be provided with fruit snacks in school during the morning. PLEASE ensure that you send sandwiches, snacks or food items that **DO NOT CONTAIN NUTS OR SEEDS** as we have pupils in school who are highly allergic to these and even touching surfaces they have been on can trigger a serious reaction. This includes food that contain these such as Houmous. Which contains sesame.

Bus children

If you use school transport for your child please ensure the school office has an updated timetable of which days your child will be using the service and any days you will be collecting them. We will assume your child is on the school transport on those days, unless you advise us otherwise by note or phone call before 3pm on the relevant day.

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:

Monday 10th October 10:00am Tuesday 20th December 1pm Harvest service Christmas service

St Johns Frieth will also be holding a family Harvest service on Sunday 9th October at 9am.

Other 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

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