



NEWSLETTER

Emails and Letters sent home this week:

- E-MAIL: WEATHER WARNINGS
- E-MAIL: KESTRELS CLASS BOOKMARKS
- E-MAIL: YOUNG VOICES LETTER ALERT
YOUNG VOICES EMERGENCY PHONE CHAIN
- E-MAIL: BUZZRDS RE DOUGH HANDS
- LETTER: CROSS COUNTRY RACE BRAYWICK
- LETTER: YOUNG VOICES TRIP 24/1/17
- LETTER: WALK TO SCHOOL PROJECT LAUNCH
- LETTER: Facebook and Social Media

2016-2017

2016 -2017 INSET days

- Wed 4th January 2017
- Tues 18th April 2017
- Friday 26th May 2017

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	19th Apr	25th May
	5th June	21st Jul

2017-2018

2016 -2017 INSET days

- Mon 4th September 2017
- Tues 5th September 2017
- Wed 3rd Jan 2018
- Tues 16th April 2018
- Fri 25th May 2018

School will be closed May Bank Hol 7th May 2018

	Open	Close
Autumn	6th Sept	20th Oct
	30th Oct	19th Dec
Spring	4th Jan	9th Feb
	19th Feb	29th March
Summer	17th April	24th May
	4th June	24th July

Spring 1

Message from Mrs Reid

Welcome back and a Happy New Year to you all! Thank you from all the staff for the very generous and lovely Christmas presents we received. It is lovely to feel so appreciated.

Well we survived the first set of snowfall and ice this week and Owls class have had a lovely day with snow inspired learning and fun!

Thank you to the parents who have helped and offered to help grit the driveway before school as it enabled us to all arrive safely in the ice this morning.



Welcome To Frieth School & The PTA!

Clothing bin - Thank you to all of you who make deposits. So you know it's emptied every 2 weeks. If the bin is full please don't leave bags by the bin.

Please try not to over fill bags you want to deposit into the bin, over filling will cause a blockage and hinder others from making a deposit. If the bag does become stuck please try and push it into the bin and make sure the hatch is closed after.

Email PTA@Frieth.bucks.sch

Thank you! Emma, Laura, Sarah & Ellie x

13th January 2017

Following on from our themed start to the term last week, the house captains gave brilliant presentations about our four islands of Tsalal, Cayuna, The Leap



Islands and Javasau. At the end of the day today we voted on which Island we would most like to inhabit and there was a clear winner in Tsalal. If you are interested, you can see the presentations and work on the website pages to see if you would agree!

As always at the beginning of term, the class teachers have prepared curriculum letters and timetables for you. These will be available on the school website shortly and a paper copy will be sent home next week.

As a reminder of dates coming up, we have our Whole School Meeting on Wednesday 1st February at 7:30 and parent consultations on Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th February.

Each class will also be holding a class assembly this term and there will be other exciting opportunities coming up this term, so please look out for dates on the school website calendar.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Jo Reid





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LATE ARRIVAL AT SCHOOL

When your child arrives late at school they miss out on important information, they may also feel embarrassed about having to enter the classroom late. To give an idea of the cost in time for learning, we have included some statistics below.

Minutes late per day during the school year:	Is the equivalent of missing the following number of days per year:
5 minutes	3.4 days
10 minutes	6.9 days
15 minutes	10.3 days
20 minutes	13.8 days
30 minutes	20.7 days

To avoid missing out, please ensure your children arrive to school on time. Thank you.

FROM THE OFFICE....

WINTER FOOTWEAR

If the weather is icy or snowy please send your child in with a pair of wellies or outdoor shoes, named and in a named carrier bag for break times.

CHOIR CLUB

Just to clarify that the existing choir club will run until Monday 23 January 2017. The new choir club will start on Monday 30th January 2017. You will need to complete a new club booking slip if you wish to join the new club on 30th January even if you have already been attending choir.

MUSIC LESSONS

We are pleased to let you know that Vocosa are now offering violin, viola, cello and double bass lessons in school. If you are interested please contact Vocosa, Leah Mills on 07979 925581, or leah.mills@vocosa.com.

ABSENCE MESSAGES

If your child is absent from school please inform the school office by leaving a message on the absence answer phone rather than e-mailing. Please contact school each day your child is absent. On their return please send a note in with reason for absence. Many thanks.

LOST PROPERTY

Lost property is now in the white unit in the school foyer. If you can't find the lost item in the foyer please ask your child to look for it the following day. Please don't come into school to look for lost property in the morning before or after school for health and safety reasons and to protect the confidentiality of meetings and conversations with staff during this time.

SCHOOL BUSES

If you see any school bus driver driving over the speed limit or dangerously and you are concerned for the immediate welfare of the pupils on board, please call the police and report the incident. Any complaints about the school bus service or the conduct of the drivers needs to be put to the county transport team, contact details can be found via the link below:



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PE KIT

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school for both indoor and outdoor PE. For safety reasons, pupils with tracksuit bottoms cannot join in gymnastics lessons where the wall bars and height equipment is being used. If you are unsure of the correct kit for different activities, the PE policy is available on the website with all the information.

http://www.friethschool.co.uk/website/curriculum_policies/188058

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

www.friethschool.co.uk