

Frieth Primary School NEWSLETTER

Let Your Light Shine!
Friday 3rd October 2025

We are now four weeks into the term, and what a super start it has been! The classrooms are buzzing with enthusiasm as our children settle confidently into their routines, embracing new challenges with determination and positivity. It has been a delight to watch our pupils let their light shine in so many different ways.

Year 5 Visit to Parmoor



Ospreys class had a wonderful day at the Lady Ryder Memorial Garden, where they immersed themselves in hands-on learning. Guided by the knowledgeable staff, the children explored a variety of plant-growing techniques, including propagation, splitting, grafting, and other methods of reproduction.

Netball



Well done to our Year 5 netballers in their opening game of the season against Burford. Although it didn't go our way, with a 5-3 loss, it was a great learning experience. Congratulations to our Player of the Match, Olivia Ghost.

Royal Ploughing Match and Show



Eagles were lucky enough to be invited to the annual Royal Ploughing Match and Show yesterday at the Connells' farm and what a great morning they had! The children got to see various machines, both old and new, ploughing the fields and saw an array of traditional farming items being exhibited. The highlight was definitely meeting Sid and Sam - the ploughing shire horses. Thank you Bella and all the people at the event for

taking the time to show around and teaching us about the significance of farming in our community.

Currie Cup!



Well done to James Sheppard for winning the prestigious chess championship (Currie Cup) against truly formidable opposition! Your determination, strategic brilliance, and calm under pressure earned you a well-deserved victory.

🏃 Mini Hilly - 10th October 🏃

We're excited to announce that our Mini Hilly event will take place on Friday 10th October! The event will be held in the field behind the school (where Frieth Fest is held), and families are very welcome to come and watch.

- Children will leave school at 1:20pm, and we hope to start the races at 1:45pm.
- The Mini Hilly gives children a fun and slightly easier taste of the famous Frieth Hilly.
- If you would like your child to take part, please bring £1 on Friday.
- There will be four races, each with a different distance:
 - Reception
 - Years 1 & 2
 - o Years 3 & 4
 - Years 5 & 6

We look forward to a fantastic afternoon of fun, fitness and cheering!

Nalking Bus Returns - Starting 13th October!

We are delighted to announce that our Walking Bus with Amanda will be up and running again from Monday 13th October.

Families are invited to meet at 7:50am outside Lane End Village Hall, where they will set off together for a safe and enjoyable walk to school. This is a wonderful way for children to get some early-morning exercise, arrive at school energised, and begin the day with smiles and fresh air.

Please note: Children must be supervised by a parent or guardian, or arrangements made for another responsible adult to accompany them.

Updated Acceptable ICT Use Agreement

Please be aware that our Acceptable Use Agreement has recently been updated to include guidance on the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) tools.

We would like to remind all parents that names and personal details must not be entered into any Al systems under any circumstances. This is to ensure the safety and privacy of our children and families.

This can be found on our school website under:

Parents → Online Safety

Thank you for your support in helping us keep our school community safe online.

Harvest Service - Important Attendance Information

We are very much looking forward to our upcoming Harvest Service, which will be held in the church on Friday at 9:30am. With the increased number of pupils at the school now, space will be extremely limited.

Parents and caregivers are therefore kindly asked to stand at the back of the church.

A very small number of chairs will be available at the back for those who may find it difficult to stand, such as:

- Parents with babies
- Adults with disabilities or health needs
- Elderly caregivers

Unfortunately, due to space restrictions, we must request that **only parents or primary caregivers attend** (no extended family members on this occasion, please)

Friendly Reminder for Parents and Visitors

When arriving at the school front doors, please press the bell and speak through the intercom to let us know how we can help.

We kindly ask that you do not just ring and wait by the window.

Your cooperation helps keep our students safe and allows us to assist you promptly.

Please can also take this opportunity to remind parents to put your child's name and class on school emails.

Thank you for your understanding.

Attachments

- Wild Church Harvest poster
- Cool Milk Registration information for over 5's
- Samurai Kickboxing Annual Tournament



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

Wed 8th Oct: School Nursing Team (Heights & Weights

Eagles)

Netball Match: Butlers Court v Frieth

Frid 9th Oct: Harvest Service - 9.30am

Thurs 16th Oct: Kestrels- Great Fire of London Day

Frid 17th Oct: Hawks - Ango-Saxon Day

W/c 20th Oct: Maths Week

Tues 21st &

Wed 22nd Oct: Parents Evening – 4pm
Frid 24th Oct: Break up 3-3.15pm
Wed 5th Nov: Back to school

Osprey Parents Evening 4pm

Frid 7th Nov: Kites trip – Chiltern Open Air Museum Mon 10th Nov: Anti-Bullying - Odd Sock Day

Wed 12th Nov: Osprey Class Assembly

Frid 14th Nov: Football Match: Danesfield v Frieth Frid 21st Nov: Football Match: Frieth v Holy Trinty (more

details to follow)