# Frodsham CE Primary School NEWSLETTER

#### Love each other, as God loves us. John 15:12

#### 13th October 2023

#### Dear All

What a lot of amazing people we saw today at our Amazing People Day. Thank you for all your support with the children's brilliant costumes. It was fascinating to hear who the children are inspired by and wonderful to celebrate so many character strengths we can aspire to have. A special thank you to Mrs Griffiths for organising and to Y4 for leading our worship this morning. They did a great job of presenting and singing and we think they are all amazing. Well done!

- It was lovely to chat to many of you at Parents' Evening. I hope you enjoyed hearing about how well your child has settled into their new class and what targets they will be working hard at this term.
- I loved seeing the children enjoying the recent school disco and nearly everyone came. It was hot and quite sweaty! The children had so much energy and enthusiasm and some unbelievable moves. Thank you to the PTA
- for organising and for all the volunteers and staff who helped out. A special thank you to DJ Coates for providing the music, as requested by the children.
- On Monday evening at 8pm is the PTA AGM. Please join via zoom. The PTA not only raise much needed additional funds for school, they also support many special activities the children and families enjoy across the year. It's a lovely way to get involved in school life and meet new people.
- Please do not hesitate to come and have a chat, if you have any worries or concerns. A reminder we break up for
- the half term holiday next Friday. I can't believe it! I hope you have a great week and we return to school on
  - Tuesday 31st. Kindest regards, Mrs Kirby

# Reception Welcome Service

Year 6 had some lovely things to say about their little buddies as we welcomed them into our school family during the Welcome Service at St Laurence Church.

Erin, "Our little buddies were so cute and I'm so glad that she is my buddy."

Hattie, "The songs were really nice and especially when it was just reception singing. They were all so cute."

Lottie, "I loved hearing about everybody's little buddy."

Jacob, "I liked singing 'Our God is a Great big God." Isabelle, "I liked standing at the front with my big buddy Freya."

Sylvie, "I saw my family and waved at them."



## Harvest Service

Thank you so much for all your generous donations for our harvest service. They have been delivered to our



local foodbank who are in great need of supplies. The children led a lovely service to remind us how to care for our environment and make sure we love one another, as God loves us by showing generosity to all.

# Sports News

Y5 and 6 went to the Tag Rugby Tournament at Helsby Sports Club and enjoyed playing competitive matches. Cameron "Although we only won one game it was still fun." James "I loved every game even if we were losing." Yesterday our year 3/4 Tag Rugby teams participated in a Tag Rugby Festival at Helsby Sports Club. They took part in a variety of skill building games and ended the afternoon with



games against other schools. We had an excellent time and all children performed wonderfully.



## Library Visits

Reception, Y1 and Y2 went to the library last week. They listened to a sensory story by author Zoe Saunders and used props to explore the story. Kit "I enjoyed listening to the story."

Hattie "There was a den like a cave. It was really dark."

Xavier "We played with the bottles of glitter, it looked like snow."

John "I liked hearing all the names that went with the story."

Grace "I loved making the bird whistles."

Kit "I loved seeing the fish in the bottles."

Eliza "I enjoyed going in the bear's cave."

Daisy "I loved using the bird whistles to make bird song."

Madonna "We used glittery bottles to explore the ocean."

## PTA News

#### School Disco

It was lovely to bring the school family together to enjoy the disco. It



was so well attended and the children had a great



time showing off their fantastic moves. It was very hot and sweaty in the hall! Thank you to DJ Coates, volunteers and staff for helping.

#### AGM

Please join our zoom AGM meeting at 8pm on Monday 16th. Your support would be amazing.

#### Bags2School

Thank you for your donations this wet morning.

## Notices

#### **KS2 School Reading Books**

We kindly ask that any school reading books are retuned to school as soon as possible to allow other children to enjoy them. Thank you.

#### October 31st

It is very unusual for us to be in school on this day— it is usually half term. As a Christian school, we do not take part in any Halloween activities and we ask that children do not bring anything of this nature into school. Thank you for your support.

## Achievements

#### Y2 Class Worship- The Great Fire of London



We loved learning all about the Great Fire of London from Y2 who brilliantly shared their history learning especially about their exciting trip to Weaver Hall.

'I liked telling the audience about how Samuel Pepys buried his cheese.' Solomiia

'I enjoyed being a fire fighter.' Izzy

'I dressed up as Samuel Pepys.' Jacob

#### Y4 Class Worship– Amazing People

'I liked the bit when we talked about the character strengths because I didn't know there were that many.' Beth 'I liked the songs and I got to talk about Emeline Pankhurst because she's amazing for giving women rights.' Maisie

'I liked when we talked about our character strengths because now we know that people have different ones.' Rose





Hetty, Year 3, has received the Blue Peter music badge for learning the piano and song writing and the Blue Peter silver badge for her sponsored charity walks. Well done Hetty!



Congratulations to Ella year 3 for passing her level 4 swimming class.

## Dates for the Diary

Open Morning- 18<sup>th</sup> October Individual School Photos- 20th October School closes for half term- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October INSET Day - Monday 30th October School re-opens- Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October Anti-Bullying Week- 13<sup>th</sup> November- Odd Socks Day Advent Spiral- 24<sup>th</sup> November Frodsham Christmas Festival- 25<sup>th</sup> November Christmas Lunch- 5<sup>th</sup> December Nativity Play- 6<sup>th</sup> December 2.00pm & 7<sup>th</sup> December 6pm KS2 Carol Service- 11<sup>th</sup> December 6pm Christmas Party Day- 13th December School closes for Christmas holiday- Friday 15th December @ 1.30pm INSET- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January School opens for spring term- Wednesday 3rd January Storyhouse Theatre trip- Cinderella- 4<sup>th</sup> January Friday 16th February- school closes for half term Monday 26th February-school reopens Thursday 28th March- school closes for spring break Monday 15th April- school reopens for summer term Friday 24th May- school closes for half term Monday 3rd June- INSET day Tuesday 4th June- school reopens Friday 5th July- INSET day Wednesday 24th July- school closes for summer holiday