Frodsham CE Primary School NEWSLETTER

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

Dear All

This week in school we have been celebrating Harmony Week where we have been learning about different faiths and cultures, celebrating the wonderful diversity in our world. We have done this through hearing from interesting visitors, art and design, music and dancing and even some cooking. It concluded with a wonderful celebration worship this morning and we hope it has inspired our children to be respectful and tolerant of those with different faiths and beliefs so we can all live in a more harmonious world, loving each other as God loves us. Next week we are excited to be welcoming Mrs Wood back from her maternity leave. She will be teaching our Y4 class with Mrs Griffiths and is looking forward to working with the children and seeing everyone again. A huge thank you to Mrs Palfreyman who has been teaching Y4 but we are pleased to say that she will be continuing to work with all our children and classes moving forward. Miss Conlan is delighted to be continuing to teach Y5 until the end of the academic year.

Not long now until half term which marks the midway point through the year. I can't believe it! Let's hope we will experience some better weather as we move into spring. We've got lots of exciting things to look forward to next half term including making our own music CD, a PopUK concert, the Delamere cross country for KS2, World Book Day and of course, Easter. Please get in touch with school, if we can help or support in any way. Mrs Kirby

Safer Internet Day

Alisha: "I learnt how to be safe on the internet and why it's important to have privacy settings"

Jonah: "I liked listening to PC Neil because we hadn't seen him in ages"



Class 3 Worship

Year 3 Class worship focused on Blue Whales and our learning in Science, English and Art.



Sophia D"I liked learning the new song, it was funny." Catrin "We learnt all about migration and demonstrated it using Big Blue Whales."

Sebastian "I loved learning all the new facts, I didn't know it had such a big heart."

Sports News

Last week the year 5/6 Sportshall Athletics team competed in the level 2 finals at Ellesmere Port Sports Village. In a very competitive field of 12 schools we placed an impressive 4th place, it was very tight at the top!

We could not be more proud of our year 5 basketball team who showed incredible talent, hard work and resilience in the year 5/6 Mini Basketball



tournament. Their behaviour and sportsmanship was impeccable.



Harmony Week

As part of our Harmony week,

Year 6 had visits this week from Arfana (Islam) and Molly (Quakers).

We enjoyed learning a Polish song and dance called Hohaer (Hero). We also had a dance workshop from Movema to songs from Nigeria and the Caribbean.

Charlotte "It was cool hearing about other religions and what it is like being a part of that culture."

Carmella "It was cool to have a dance workshop because it was so fun. My favourite was the Caribbean dance."

Yr 5 have been looking at S.outh America. We have researched and drawn endangered animals, and made Brigadeiros to share with Yr 3.

George "Learning the music has been really fun and makes you want to join in. The food is also really tasty"

Olly "I have enjoyed learning about worldwide harmony."

Yr 2 visited St Luke's Catholic Church to learn about a different place of worship.

Arran "They have a tabernacle in which they keep the hosts for mass."

Jack and Tabitha "they also have an alter where the priest says the prayers."

Year 4 . Maisie "I loved Harmony week because it was fun learning about Maori symbols."

Beth "I liked Harmony week because it's interesting learning about different cultures."



9th February 2024

Woodland Trust

Yr 5 were invited by the Woodland Trust to a tree planting activity. They have had a great time planting trees , managing to plant 150 saplings on the former golf course. They learnt about the importance of trees. We hope they will be enjoyed for many years to come.



PTA News and Events

Save the Date ! School Disco—Tuesday 19th March Details to follow watch this space



NSPCC NUMBER DAY

Thank you to everyone for supporting our NSPCC number day. The children were very inventive with their ideas.

We raised a whopping £156.69

Message from Reverend Elaine

Dear Friends

We have many different services and events at church: **Holy Communion:**

Sundays at 8am and 10am. Tuesdays at 7pm

Messy Church for families at 3pm every 1st Sunday of the month during term time.

Still Point: a reflective, quiet service at 4pm every 3rd Sunday of the month.

Toddler praise: for babies and preschool children at 10am every Wednesday during term-time.

Further information on Website: <u>https://slfchurch.org/</u> Facebook: <u>www.facebook.com/saintells/</u>

Love and blessings, Rev Elaine





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Achievements

Well done to Abbie for achieving her Level 3 swimming.

Hetty, Year 3 has been awarded her Blue Peter Sports badge for completing 2 Tenby Iron Kids!

Well done to Sophie for passing her level 4 certificate in Swimming.





Be a Chorister for a

Day. Catrin and Grace in Yr 3 had a wonderful time at Chester Cathedral joining children from all across the region. They took part in a music and singing workshop and got to wear chorister robes.

Dates for the diary

Friday 16th February– school closes for half term Monday 26th February- school reopens Tuesday 27th February—Year 6 Lenten Service 9.05am—St Laurence Friday 1st March Secondary Places Notification Tuesday 5th March—Year 5 Lenten Service 9.05am —St Laurence Thursday 7th March World Book Day Friday 8th March—Year 1 Class Worship 9.05am—School Hall Tuesday 12th March Year 4 Lenten Service 9.05am—St Laurence Wednesday 13th & 14th March Pop UK Workshop Wednesday 13th & 14th March Parents' Evening Friday 15th March Yr 6 Maths Quiz final at Helsby High School Monday 18th March Pop UK Performances, 2-3pm, 6-7pm Tuesday 19th March Yr 3 Lentern Service at 9.05am—St Laurence Friday 22nd March School Disco Monday 25th March Year 5 First Access Concert 11am Thursday 28th March Easter Service 9.30am Thursday 28th March Yr 6 Snap Chat Performance Thursday 28th March– school closes for spring break Monday 15th April- school reopens for summer term Wednesday 17th April Reception Places Notification Y4 residential to Kingswood 24/4/2024—26/4/2024 Y6 residential to Conway Centre 20/5/2024-24/5/2024 Friday 24th May– school closes for half term Monday 3rd June- INSET day Tuesday 4th June- school reopens Y2 residential to Foxhowl 5/6/2024-6/6/2024 Monday 13th May KS2 SATS Week Friday 28th June Sports Day (reserve 3rd July) Friday 5th July- INSET day Wednesday 24th July- school closes for summer holiday