Frodsham CE Primary School NEWSLETTER



As God's family we love, learn and play together.

18th November 2022



/Dear All

It was lovely to see all the children celebrating their uniqueness by wearing their odd socks on Monday. This year's theme for anti bullying week has been 'Reach Out' and the children have been thinking about how and who they could reach out for help, if they feel they are being bullied. Also, the importance of reaching out to anyone in our school family who they see being bullied and reaching out by speaking up if they see something, or stop going along with something they think could be upsetting someone else. If any of our work and discussions this week have raised any concerns that your child may be being bullied, please come and speak to school. Our definition of bullying is: 'deliberately hurtful behaviour repeated often and over a period of time.' A reminder of a few forthcoming events. Tomorrow we are asking any volunteers to come and help the PTA clear our forest area between 10.00-4pm. If you have any time to spare, please come along. Children are welcome. Next Saturday is the Frodsham Christmas Festival. This is a very special event which gets everyone feeling festive. All children are invited to attend dressed as a character from Peter Pan and walk in the parade. I can't wait to hear our choir perform on the stage at 4.10pm. I know they will be amazing, please support them. Please make a note of other evening events that are coming up in December and we will



Christmas events which we have missed over the last couple of years. Today we raised £228 for Children in Need. Thank you so much for all your kind donations for this fantastic cause. Have a lovely weekend and I look forward to seeing you at an event soon.

provide further information very soon. Thank you for all your support of these very special

Kindest regards, Mrs Kirby



Remembrance Day

Year 6 walked up the hill to join the special Remembrance Day service. The High Sheriff of Chester was thoroughly impressed with the children and wrote to say 'they behaved beautifully



and are a credit to their teachers.' Well done Y6. Thank you to Grace Whitby, Jaxon and Xari for representing our school and laying a poppy wreath at the Remembrance Service at St Laurence Church.

Anti-Bullying Week

On Monday it was Odd Socks Day and this marked the start of Anti-Bullying Week. The children have been celebrating all things that make us unique and different, whilst recognising that we are all equal. Children have been



thinking about ways they can support each other and reach out. Y4 led a super class assembly all about what bullying is and how people can **reach out** for help and to help others. Well done Y4– you were amazing!

Ehtos Group Community Afternoon Tea

Ethos group invited members of our local church community and Midday Assistants to afternoon tea. They made cakes and sandwiches for them and then enjoyed chatting to them and entertaining them with gym and dance displays as well as playing violins and piano.

Lily Q "We got to chat to lots of older people."

Zack Mc "We got to serve them coffee, tea, cakes, sandwiches and biscuits."

Cara S "I liked talking to them and entertaining them with my violin playing."



Sports News



Another busy couple of weeks for our sports teams.

Last week our year 3 class attended a Multi Sports event at Frodsham Leisure Centre. With over 260 children attending from across our cluster, it was a busy one! Staff and children had a wonderfully fun afternoon.

This week, inspired by England's

lionesses, our year 5/6 Girls Football Team went to Ellesmere Port Sports Village to represent our school in a Girls Football tournament. Their performance was outstanding, well-done girls.

Finally, yesterday Billy, Maisie and Calum from year 6 attended Helsby High School for the day to become Bronze Ambassadors for sport. These children are now equipped with skills to lead others within our sports clubs and teams.

None of this could happen without parental support, thank you so much to parents who ensure our school's attendance at these events.

Year 6 Trip to Tatton Park

Y6 were 'evacuated' to Tatton Park, where they learnt what life might have been like for children in WW11. They learnt how to milk cows, toast bread on a fire and met several pigs, goats and donkeys. They also experienced an air raid.



"It was a very cool and amazing day. I learnt a lot of things and facts." Rohan

"I really enjoyed looking at the pigs, one was named after me." Molly

"I loved it there— the staff were super fun and kind. I had an awesome day." Erynn

News from Rev Elaine



Your Christmas events

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St Laurence Frodsham



Advent Service

Music & Readings to begin our Christmas journey Sunday November 27th at 4.00pm



Christmas Carol Service

Sunday December 18th at 4.00pm

Christingle Services

Christmas Eve at 3.00pm & 5.00pm

ADMISSION BY TICKET ONLY

AVAILABLE FROM DANDELION – 6th DECEMBER ONWARDS



Christmas Eve at 11.30pm

CHRISTMAS COMMUNION CHRISTMAS DAY @ 10.00am

www.facebook.com/saintells www.slfchurch.org

Life Education

This week each class has had a session from the Life Education team. The children learnt about how to keep their bodies healthy. Thank you to Frodsham Rotary for helping to fund these important lessons.

Y2 discussed why it is important to look after our own and other people's feelings.

"I enjoyed learning about all the different body parts." Sophia J

"The puppets were fun." Madison

"I liked it when we watched the film about the party. We thought about how the kangaroo was feeling." Catrin

Achievements

Well done, **Ted, Daisy, Bramwell and Edan** from year 4, who helped raise over £1000 for the Forest Hills' 'Children in Need' fundraising swim. Altogether they swam a combined total of 110 lengths equalling 2000 metres. Great Effort!

Sebastian from year 2 achieved his Children in Need swim club challenge to do 10 lengths unaided. He achieved this and did 20 instead! He has raised £30 so far, congratulations Sebastian!



Ella from year 2 won player of the week for the under 7's Helsby Rugby Club recently. Well done to Ella!

Notices

Morning drop off Please can we ask all parents to be mindful of others when dropping off in the morning. Please do not park across the school entrance or drop off on the yellow zig zags. Thank you for your support in helping to keep everyone safe.

Frodsham Christmas Festival please remember to complete the survey on school spider, if your child wishes to attend.

Half Term

Dates for the Diary

Friday 25th November Saturday 26th November Friday 2nd December Tuesday 6th December Wednesday 7th December Thursday 8th December Thursday 8th December

Monday 12th December Monday 12th December Wednesday 14th December Thursday 15th December Friday 16th December Thursday 5th January Friday 17th February Advent Spiral school hall 9.15am
Frodsham Christmas Festival
Frodsham Christmas Tree Festival 3.30pm
Christmas Dinner
2:00pm—Infant Nativity St Laurence
6:00pm—Infant Nativity St Laurence
6:30pm Choir- Bound in Sound Chester
Cathedral
Y5 First Access Concert 9.15am
KS2 Carol Service 6pm St Laurence
12:30— Christmas Inclusive Sports Festival
Christmas Party Day
Last Day of Term— school closes 1.30pm
Whole School Theatre Visit to Storyhouse