

# Frodsham CE Primary School NEWSLETTER



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

28th April 2023

Dear All

I hope you had a lovely Easter holiday and a good break. We are ready for the fun of the summer term: there is so much to look forward to. There is lots of work to be done too, especially our Y6 class who will sit their SATs in a week's time. No doubt they are looking forward to Mrs Weedon's bacon sandwiches. I wish them lots of luck. All we can ask, is that they try their best. I am already so proud of them for their hard work and fantastic attitude.

This month marks 10 years since I became the very proud headteacher of Frodsham CE. It continues to be an absolute privilege to work with every member of our school family. We all work hard to make our popular school the best it can be where children and staff can achieve great things. Headship is a very challenging job but so rewarding especially when I get to witness first-hand the children shining their light so brightly. This was true on the Y4 residential visit to Kingswood; what a pleasure it was to accompany the class. We had a wonderful time and the children were amazing; it was so lovely to see them grow in confidence and independence as well as display their special gifts and talents, challenging themselves while away from home. Thank you to Miss Riddiough and Mrs Palfreyman for looking after them on this fantastic trip, I know they had just as much fun.

A warm welcome to the new staff who have joined our team this term: Mrs Singer is our new Admin Officer so you will soon get to know her. Mr Clark is teaching Y4 two days a week and Mrs Palfreyman will be supporting teaching and learning across the school.

We hope they will enjoy working with our wonderful children and families.

I wish everyone a successful summer term. I am very excited for the week's ahead (hopefully the sun will shine soon). Mrs Kirby

## *Year 4 Residential to Kingswood*

Y4 enjoyed their two night residential to Kingswood, Colomendy. They faced many challenges such as caving, leap of faith, Jacob's ladder, crate stack; they enjoyed lots of team activities and problem solving. One of the hardest challenges was making their own bed! Thank you Y4 for being absolute superstars!

"I liked buggy building because we each had a go and used team work and resilience." Olly

"I liked the leap of faith. When you jump off, you might think it is scary but when you jump off, it's actually fun!" Bramwell

"I enjoyed having fun and being away with my friends." Daisy N

"I learnt a lot about other people. Everyone was resilient and over came their fears." Bella



## *Sports News*

**Y2 Football Tournament** Enormous well done to our Y2 football team who played 9 fantastic games of football on Thursday afternoon at Helsby High School in the Mini Kickers Football tournament. They achieved silver medals, showing skill, hard work and determination throughout. I don't think there was ever a more excited team at a competition, their spirits were certainly high!! Well done team, we are very proud of you.

**Dynamo Cricket** On Monday KS2 had the fantastic opportunity to be involved in some Dynamo Cricket sessions with a coach from the Cheshire Cricket Board. The children learnt some catching and bowling skills and applied it to some game situations. Coach Andy was promoting the Dynamo Cricket program for Y3,4,5,6. If your child is interested in joining a club, please follow the link below to find out where your nearest session can be found:

<https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/dynamocricket>



## Achievements

### Headteacher's Award

Rec- Dewi & Sidney  
Y1- Jack & Harry  
Y2- Millie & Alice  
Y3- Robin & Rose  
Y4- Oscar & Grace  
Y5- James & George  
Y6- Jack & Mia



Rec- Jessica, Jamie & Alfie  
Yr 1- Solomiia & Elliott  
Yr 2- Wren & Henry  
Yr 3- Joshua & Jackson  
Yr 5- Freya & Jonah  
Yr 6- Billy & Georgie

Congratulations to Tabitha in Yr1 for being awarded a Blue Peter Badge for her wonderful picture of a giraffe snacking on some tasty leaves.



Congratulations to Sebastian in Yr2 for successfully completing his Grade 4 swimming.



## Easter Celebrations

**Easter Service** Children from Reception to Y6 class came together to retell the story of Jesus' crucifixion and the joy of his resurrection through drama and singing at St Laurence Church. Well done everyone!

**Easter Eggstravaganza** Thank you to all the children who entered the Easter competition. All the entries were eggcellent and showed amazing creativity. Well done to our winners from each class.



## Notices

### School Uniform

We strive for high standards in all that we do at Frodsham CE. We want children to take pride in wearing their uniform and hope this also encourages them to take pride in their work and their behaviour.

We expect all children to adhere to our uniform policy and ask that parents please support us with this.

Children must wear black school shoes, trainers are not permitted, including plain black ones, and boots should not be worn.

**Coronation Celebration** A reminder for the children to dress smartly on **Friday 5th**— we are off to a coronation followed by a picnic lunch on the field and lots of fun activities.

### Gardener Wanted

Following the retirement of our super gardener, Malcolm, who has maintained the beautiful borders at the front of school for many years, we are looking for a new gardener. If you are interested, or know someone who might be, please contact the school office.

## News from Rev 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.

If you prefer to take a "quiet few minutes" at home – you may like to listen to our Podcasts "**Say one for me**" where along with reflective music we will here from many different people in our community about their experience of prayer. Find them on our Facebook or Website every Wednesday / Sunday.

Love and blessings, Rev Elaine



## Dates for the Diary

Monday 8th May  
Tues 9th– Fri 12th May  
Friday 12th May  
15th– 26th May  
Friday 19th May  
Mon 22nd– Fri 26th May  
Friday 26th May

Monday 5th June  
Tuesday 6th June  
Tuesday 6th– 7th June  
Wb 12th June

Friday 16th June  
Friday 23rd June  
Tuesday 27th June  
Friday 30th June  
Mon 10th & Tues 11th July  
12th & 13th July  
Friday 14th July  
Thursday 20th July  
Friday 21st July

Coronation Bank Holiday  
Y6 SATs  
Y4 Class Assembly **2.40pm**  
Y2 SATs  
Class photos  
Y6 Residential to Conway  
Y3 Class Assembly 9.05am  
Finish for half term  
Inset day  
School opens  
Y2 Residential to Foxhowl  
Y1 Phonics Screening Check  
Y4 Multiplication Check  
Y2 Class Assembly 9.05am  
Y1 Class Assembly 9.05am  
KS2 District Sports  
Sports Day  
Y6 Induction Day Helsby High School  
Y6 Leavers' Play  
Reception Class Assembly 9.15am  
Y6 Leavers' Service  
End of term