

Frodsham CE Primary School

NEWSLETTER



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

12th July 2024

Dear All

Well this will be our final newsletter of the academic year and what a year it has been. Thank you to you all for your support. This morning's reception worship summed up our school as a happy place, where we have lots of fun, grow and learn and most importantly love one another, as God loves us. Well done reception— you did a brilliant job and a huge thank you to our super Y6 big buddies who have helped look after you so well. We also congratulate Y6 on all that they have achieved in their SATs results. We are very proud of each and every one of you for working hard and doing your best. Next week, we know you will be shining brightly in your leavers' play: Moana. I can't wait. We wish you all luck as you move on to your new schools and exciting futures. Keep in touch and visit soon.

It has been lovely to welcome the Hooton family back as Thomas re-joins Y4 and Sofia Y1. We also welcome Violet, Y3, into the school family. We hope you quickly settle in.

We are so lucky to have an amazing team of staff here at Frodsham CE so it is always sad to say goodbye. We thank Mrs Cummings, Mrs Wood, Miss Conlan and Mrs Prescott for all they have done to support our children and families over the years and wish them well for the future. We will miss you very much.

Please support our Summer Fair this evening, the PTA have done a fantastic job organising it. Thank you for all your kind donations. I look forward to seeing you there. Hopefully I will get to chat to you before the end of term but if not, I wish you a very happy, please be sunny, summer holiday. Kindest regards Mrs Kirby

Yr 1 Bickley Hall Farm

Yr 1 went on a walk across the meadows to look for signs of wildlife such as owl pellets, then we did a meadow sweep.

Abby, " I liked dissecting the owl pellets."

Charlotte, " I like doing the bug sweep."

Cameron, " I loved "



Ethos Group

Ethos group helped a local hero, Phil, to celebrate his 100th Birthday by making 30 wonderful birthday cards. Phil was in the RAF so Bella, with her own money, bought him some lovely gifts showing Spitfires. The cards and gifts made a wonderful contribution to his special day. Well done Miss Riddiough and ethos group for making him feel so special.

Sports News

School was proud to play host to the FAVSP Festival this year. It was a wonderful morning with so many of our local schools joining in the fun. Reception, Yr1 and Yr 2 had a great time in the multi skills events. Y6 set up the events and welcomed over 200 KS1 children to the event. Great job Yr 6!



Sports Day The children had a great time racing in the morning, supported by families, and went on to have a fun afternoon of sports activities run brilliant by our Y6. Congratulations to Netherton Team on winning- yet again!



Yr6 Chester Cathedral Service

Thank you to the Chester Diocese for hosting a wonderful leavers' service for our Yr 6 children at Chester Cathedral, sharing it with children from other schools. They had time to reflect on their primary school years and gave thanks to God for their many happy memories. They thought about their hopes and aspirations for the future, encouraged by Bishop Sam that God will be with them each and every day.



Frodsham CE General Election

There has been much excitement in school over our very own general election. We had 10 parties, who all wrote very convincing manifestos with clear policies to make our school a better place. They presented brilliantly in our hustings and were put on the spot with some tricky questions. Everyone remembered to register so all received a poll card to vote on the big day. Thank you to our professional polling station staff: Alisha, Cameron, Flo and Jonah. They worked very hard to count the votes and it was close at the top. We were delighted that our local MP Mike Amesbury could announce the winning party to the school: The Forest Party. The newly elected leaders have promised to deliver their policies to improve the forest with some fun, new equipment.



Well done to all the candidates who stood: you were amazing!



Notices

David Harris We have been very sad to hear that our former headteacher, Mr Harris, died this week. Mr Harris was a hugely popular headteacher and well known to our community. He retired in 2003 having been head here for many years, including appointing Mrs Griffiths.

School holiday dates Please note school opens Monday 2nd June 2025, not Tuesday 3rd June 2025 as previously published. If any holidays have been booked for this date, please let the school office know before the end of term.

Yellow Zig Zags Please remember that these lines are to ensure the safety of all our children. Do not stop or park on them especially at drop off and pick up times.

School Uniform Please continue to adhere to the uniform policy in the final days of term, including no lines in hair.

Support Staff 2024/25

We greatly value the contribution of all our fabulous support staff in making this a wonderful school family for our children to be part of. Thank you for all your hard work and dedication.

EYFS— Mrs Rowland, Mrs Ryder, Mrs Hunt Chambers, Ms Osborne

Year 1— Mrs Kavanagh

Year 2— Mrs Arnold

Year 3— Mrs Richards

Year 4— Mrs Richards & Miss Forster

Year 5— Mrs Barlow & Mrs Fray

Year 6— Mrs Gardiner

ELSA: Mrs Gardiner, Mrs Kavanagh, Mrs Barlow

Sports Coach— Mrs Williams

School Office— Mrs Singer, Mrs Kaur

Site Maintenance Office— Mr Higginbotham

Dates for the diary

17th & 18th July Yr6 Leavers' Play 6-7 pm — Tickets for our Y6 families on ParentPay

19th July- Transition Day

19th July— School Council Mad Hair Day

Tuesday 23rd July 9.30am— Yr 6 Leavers' Service— St Laurence Church

Wednesday 24th July— school closes 3.15pm for summer holiday

School Holiday dates and Inset days 2024/2025

2024

Monday 2nd September	INSET
Tuesday 3rd September	Autumn Term begins
Friday 25th October	School closes for half term
Monday 4th November	INSET
Tuesday 5th November	School re-opens
Friday 20th December	School closes for Christmas holiday

2025

Monday 6th January	Spring Term begins
Friday 14th February	School Closes for half term
Monday 24th February	School re-opens
Friday 4th April	School closes for spring break
Wednesday 23rd April	Summer Term starts
Friday 23rd May	School closes for half term
Monday 2nd June	School re-opens
Friday 18th July	School closes for summer holiday
Monday 21st July	INSET
Monday 22nd July	INSET
Wednesday 23rd July	INSET

Achievements

Swimming Awards

Tom, Reception	—	Level 2
Edward, Reception	—	Level 1
Dewi, Reception	—	50 metres
Catrin, Yr 3	—	Grade 1 Piano
Sidney, Yr1	—	Won Welsh Mountain Bike Series under 6s

Jamie, Yr1 — Tough Mudder Race for Life

Congratulations to all the competitors in last week's Frodsham Downhill Run.



Reception Class Worship

It was Reception's first class assembly, celebrating their first year in big school. We also said thank you to the big buddies by singing a song to them and giving them a special friendship bracelet. We were very proud of all our wonderful reception children. Well done everyone!

Ffion, "I loved going up to the microphone with my best friend Enfys."

Tobias, "I enjoyed singing to my mum and dad."

Grace, "I saw my mummy watching me."

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: <https://slfchurch.org/>

Facebook: www.facebook.com/saintells/

Love and blessings, Rev Elaine

