



Friezland Primary School

November 8th 2019

We Are All Unique: Anti-Bullying Week

Next week, our PSHE learning will be focusing on friendships and anti-bullying. As part of the theme, 'We are all unique', we are inviting pupils and staff to wear odd socks for a day or the full week. Children will be asked to talk about what makes them unique.



Children in Need Virtual Duck Race

Next Friday, we will be watching the Children in Need Virtual Duck Race, streamed live to our classrooms. If your child would like to purchase a duck, they will need to bring in £1. Last year's winning duck was James Pond- who will it be this year? All money raised will be sent to the CIN charity.



Autumn Term 2 School Dinners

Thank you to our families who have already credited their Eduspot account over half-term. This half-term school dinners for KS2 (Classes 3 & 4) will be £2.30 per day or £78.20 (34 days) for the half-term. This must be paid for via your Eduspot account. Please pay in advance either weekly or for the half-term. If you accrue debt on your account, automated texts will be sent until the account is brought into credit.

Remember- school meals are free for ALL pupils in Classes 1 and 2. As a small school, we value our families support of school meals as it ensures we can maintain the service.

If you wish to make changes to your child's regular lunch time arrangements, we require two weeks' notice.

Greenfield Village Tree Ceremony

The annual Greenfield Village Christmas Tree and Carol Service will take place on **Saturday 30th November** this year from **6pm** starting at Boarshurst Band Club. All families are welcome and invited to join in with the Christmas Carols (our children will be practising in school) whilst enjoying a mince pie and perhaps a glass of mulled wine.

Travelling Theatre Festive Treat

On Friday 29th November, the Arty-Fact Theatre company will be visiting school to present: *The Christmas Snowglobe*! Our fantastic Friends of Friezland are part-funding this visit and we are also requesting a £2 donation per pupil which can be paid via your Eduspot. Last year's visit received fantastic reviews from our pupils.

Oldham's Big Brush Month 2019

'Let's get Oldham's children brushing this November'

You may be aware that children's oral health in Oldham is one of the worst in the country and is a major concern. Big Brush Month is a local campaign supported by Oldham Council and Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust and is a fantastic opportunity to promote the key toothbrushing messages. Find out more here: <https://www.oldham.gov.uk/bigbrush>



Parent-Teacher Meetings

Thank you to everyone who has returned Parent-Teacher appointment request slips promptly. We have been encouraging our pupils to check their bags and lockers for them. Appointment times have been sent home for those who have requested an appointment. Where possible, we have allocated siblings with similar timings. We kindly ask that you please stick to the 10 minutes allocated in order to keep the evenings running smoothly. If you require more time, please speak with your child's class teacher and as always, don't wait for a parent-Teacher session if you need to speak with us.

Save the Date



NOVEMBER

11th Nov: Anti-Bullying Week- wear odd socks- we are all unique!

12th Nov: Parent-Teacher Meetings

13th Nov: No Pens Day

14th Nov: Parent-Teacher Meetings

15th Nov: Children in Need: Virtual Duck Race

25th Nov: Healthy Me Week

25th Nov: Y6 Refugee Workshop

29th Nov: Non-uniform- FOF donation (details to follow)

29th Nov: Travelling Theatre Visitor 'The Snow Globe'

30th Nov: Greenfield Village Christmas tree Ceremony, 6pm

DECEMBER

3rd Dec: Friezland School Tree Ceremony (pupils only)

6th Dec: FOF Christmas Fair, 2:30-5:30pm, school hall

10th Dec: Classes 1 & 2 Christmas Production, 9:15am, school hall (details to follow)

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11th Dec: Friezland Christmas Lunch

16th Dec: Friezland Christmas Celebration, 2:15pm, Friezland Church. All welcome

17th Dec: Class 1 & 2 Christmas Party (details to follow)

18th Dec: Class 3 & 4 Christmas Party (details to follow)

19th Dec: End of autumn 2 term (THUS)