



# Friezland Primary School

June 26<sup>th</sup> 2020

## COVID 19: Widening of Friezland openings

This week we have welcomed our year 6 children back. They have settled in well to their new routines and we are very proud of how well they have adapted to the changes in place. Unfortunately, at present, we can't foresee further year groups returning before the summer break. If your child is in an eligible year group but is currently at home, please contact us as soon as possible, giving plenty of notice, if you intend for them to return. A flexible timetable is possible but please talk to us first. For those children remaining at home, we will continue to interact via Google Classroom. We are grateful for your patience, support and understanding- the safety and wellbeing of our Friezland Families remains at the forefront of all our decisions.

**If your child is currently in attendance but is unable to attend due to illness etc please ring the school office to inform us in the usual way.**



## Congratulations Mrs. Moores

As the newsletter was being typed, Mrs. Johnson shouted up the corridor in joy, "We've got a boy!". Congratulations to the whole family. Jack was born on Thursday morning weighing 8lb, 3oz. A welcome son for Rebecca and Lee, brother for Eve and grandson for Mrs Johnson.



## Farewell Mr Freeman

Sadly, Mr Freeman will be leaving Friezland at the end of the summer term in order to pursue his goal of becoming a Primary School Teacher! He will be enrolling with MMU in September in order to complete his PGCE. This is something he has talked about for many years so we are really pleased he has decided to make the leap. Mr Freeman has worked at Friezland for over 8 years, initially as a volunteer. We want to thank him for his commitment to Friezland: supporting children in all classes, sport events, residentials, all things IT including establishing our Google Classroom and our many wonderful displays across school to name but a few. We wish him lots of luck and are sure he will come back and visit us.



## Learning WOWs!

The amazing home learning efforts continue- Beatrice has completed lots of learning this week with a special note about her effort in Maths with her decimal tasks. Wilf could be entered into a national handwriting competition with his beautiful cursive writing. He has worked so hard over recent months with this target. Every piece of work has demonstrated his best effort. There was a lot of cooking and baking taking place by pupils in Class 4 last week, as they rose to the challenge of cooking World War 2 recipes. Oscar, Jess and Euan made cookies whilst Daisy and Jonah opted for a 'rationed' carrot cake recipe. Thomas G made the famous Woolton Pie, Stanley tried a chicken curry whilst Bea was adventurous and created a savory roly-poly! Charlie L and Joel made delicious looking egg-free sponge cakes and Jacob and Archie went for fruit cake and rock buns. Only Aimee was reluctant to taste her own recipe - Mum said Dad should try the hot cross buns in case they chipped their teeth! Well done everyone- we'll see you on Bake Off in the future! We know home learning remains a challenge for many but we are grateful for your support. Please contact the class teacher if you require any further support or advice.



## Tempest Photography

We have been made aware that the staff at Tempest photography are currently furloughed. We have been given contact details and have queried the outstanding YR & Y6 photo orders and are trying to establish how / when they will be received. We will update those of you affected ASAP.

## Music Tuition: Keyboard Lessons

If the debit for the summer term Keyboard lessons is showing in your Eduspot account, it will soon be removed. If you had paid this amount in advance of the COVID closures, a refund will be made shortly. Whilst the Music Service has been unable to offer school a refund, we will not carry this cost over to you as we feel it is simply unfair. For those children who currently have lessons, we have registered them for 20-21. **Please e-mail the school office if your child does not wish to continue next year.** We will then advertise spare capacity for new pupils.

## Sun Cream & Hats

Please ensure that your child has a sun hat and adequate sun cream on hot days. We are taking much of our learning outside when possible. Water bottles are an essential item and should be brought to school daily.

