

# **Friezland Primary**

## **School**

November 5th 2021

## School – Home Communications

Our weekly newsletter is sent home at the end of each school week and is the main source of communication between school and home where key events are highlighted and celebrated. As you will be aware, we also use Eduspot to communicate other important information. This half-term is particularly busy, meaning you will receive a higher than usual amount of e-mails/texts. This is the best way we can ensure all families receive the same information at the same time, as letters sent home in bags often go astray. We regularly review the ways in which we communicate with families and look for the best ways to do this.

If your Eduspot account is in arrears, you will also receive automated messages to request that you pay off dinner money/ Frosties debt. Keeping your account in credit will minimise such texts. We also post key letters onto our school website for later reference. Thank you for your understanding.

## **Parent-Teacher Meetings**

Thank you to families who have already booked Parent-Teacher appointments via the link e-mailed to families. The booking link will go to the first parent contact ONLY to avoid multiple bookings for the same child. Please share the information with both parents. The link will close at the end of the school day on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> and following that, information regarding your Zoom meeting will be sent to you. We kindly ask that you stick to the time 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.

## **School Dinners**

Our new school menu has been e-mailed home this week with the newsletter. We're back on Week 1 next week. The children have helped to decide on many of the meals we serve and the number of clean plates we are seeing each day, is testament to the great food on offer! Please can we request that any KS2 dinner arrears are brought into credit as meals should be paid for in advance of them being taken.

£12.50 per week £85 for AUT 2 half-term (34 lunches)

## Friezland School Lottery: Gotta be in it, to win it!

Have you joined our School Lottery yet? As well as providing school with a proportion of the ticket sales it also provides families with the chance of winning big! Tickets cost £1 a week and monthly draws often include prize bundles. Use the link to buy tickets by searching for Friezland School and ask family and friends to join in too!

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school



## **Primary School Place 2022**

If your child is due to start primary school in September 2022, please make sure that you complete the on-line application form <a href="https://www.oldham.gov.uk/info/201167/apply">https://www.oldham.gov.uk/info/201167/apply</a> for a primary school place/2494/how to apply (Oldham residents) <a href="https://admission.tameside.gov.uk/CitizenPortal\_LIVE/en?Return\_Url=%2FCitizenPortal\_LIVE%2F">https://admission.tameside.gov.uk/CitizenPortal\_LIVE/en?Return\_Url=%2FCitizenPortal\_LIVE%2F</a> (Tameside residents)

The deadline for applications is 15th January 2022, 5pm

## Midday Supervisor: Join the Team!

Friezland are looking for a friendly and child-centred Midday Supervisor to join our team. The role involves supervising our children during their lunch break and is a term-time only position. If you know anyone who may be interested, please ask them to contact school.

## **Keeping in Touch**

Please can we request that for any 'on the day' changes e.g. Frosties or the person picking your child up, that you ring the school office directly. Whilst our info@friezland e-mail address is checked throughout the day, we may not pick up the message in time. Thank you.

## **FOF Halloween Competition**

Well done to everyone who took part in the FOF Halloween Competition. We had wands, potions, cakes, Minecraft lairs and recipes submitted. The entries were judged anonymously and goody bags were awarded to: Lilly, Avery, Seth P, Hugo, Leo, Scout, Lilly May, Isabelle A, Beatrice and Holly.

## **Dates for the Diary**

#### November

8<sup>th</sup> Class 4: Chester Zoo Visit

8th Class 2: Guy Fawkes Workshop

11<sup>th</sup> Parent-teacher Meetings

**16**<sup>th</sup> Parent-teacher Meetings

19th The School Council Presents: Break the Rules Day

22<sup>nd</sup> FOF Christmas Card online order DEADLINE

25<sup>th</sup> Open Morning for Reception Class, Sept 2022, 9:30am (book a place)

29th Healthy me Week

### December

3<sup>rd</sup> Christmas Pantomime comes to school (see Eduspot)

14<sup>th</sup> Friezland Santa Dash (details to follow)

14<sup>th</sup> Christmas Jumper Day and Party Lunch

16<sup>th</sup> End of Autumn Term 2 (THUS)

