



# Newsletter

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

## Healthy-Me Week

E-SAFETY & CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH

### ESafety

This week, children will be doing some further learning about keeping safe online, not only in class with their teachers, but also in a special assembly from one of our visiting experts.

Our Healthy-Me week also coincides with Children's Mental Health week. So, we will explore how technology can be used in positive ways for our mental wellbeing but also how technology can have a negative effect on our mental wellbeing – and ways in which we can look after ourselves.

## DLP Super Council



Last week, our Year 5 and 6 School Councillors went to Delph primary school to work alongside their fellow councillors in our DLP Super Council! Eva, Maylin, Linus and Charles participated in a great session – sharing and gathering ideas ready for our upcoming E-Safety Healthy Me week. We are really proud of how well they represented Friezland and communicated with the councillors from all our partner schools... and Miss Swaby loved having them come to visit!

## DLP AGM Invitation



Our Annual General Meeting will take place virtually on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 5pm. Please read the attached invitation and agenda, and feel free to attend by following the link provided.

## Class 3 Visit to the Bolton Museum



On Thursday, Class 3 had an exciting trip to the Bolton Museum as part of their learning in History about the Ancient Egyptians. They took part in a self-guided tour of the museum and aquarium in the morning and then, in the afternoon, had a special workshop looking at artefacts like the 3000 year old mummy in this photograph! Daisy said, "I was excited about the mysterious mummies because we'll never really know who they were!" and Alphin loved visiting the aquarium because seeing all the animals, particularly the shrimps, was an unexpected surprise!

## World Book Day: Storyteller Visit!



Each year, we look at different ways of bringing the joy of books to life for our Friezland pupils with a special event around World Book Day. This year, rather than a dressing-up day, we have decided to invite professional storyteller, Alec Williams, to spend a day with us and work with all the children. We are planning an exciting day which will include a whole-school assembly, workshops for each class with a chance for Reception parents to stay and join in, plus opportunities for some children to perform at the end of the day. Alec will be visiting school on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March** (the day after the official 'World Book Day') and we are kindly asking for a donation of **£4.50** per pupil to cover the cost of the visit, via Eduspot. We know this is going to be an exciting day and will share further details nearer the time!

## Oldham Athletic Players to Visit Class 3 & 4!



Thanks to our collaboration with Oldham Athletic Community Trust, our Key Stage 2 pupils will be visited by Latics players **Alex Reid, Mark Kitching and James Norwood** next week! This is an opportunity for the children to quiz the professional players on their training and routines, diet and fitness, influences and inspirations and find out what their job is really like!

## Guitar Day Swap!

Next week, Guitar lessons will swap to **TUESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY** for one week only.

## Reminders:

Easter Bingo Tickets available on Eduspot from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Feb

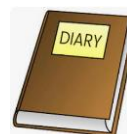
## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### February

- 5<sup>th</sup> Healthy Me Week: E-Safety (includes visitor workshops)
- 5<sup>th</sup> DLP AGM Virtual (see invite attached)
- 7<sup>th</sup> Young Voices – KS2 choir concert
- 14<sup>th</sup> Freddy Fit visit – whole school
- 16<sup>th</sup> The Friezland Flip! (sponsor forms sent home)
- 16<sup>th</sup> Last day of term – tuck shop in the shelter
- 26<sup>th</sup> First day of spring 2 term

### March

- 8<sup>th</sup> Storyteller Visit – whole school (pay on Eduspot)
- 12<sup>th</sup> Spring Celebration at Friezland Church 9.30 – 10.30
- 13<sup>th</sup> Full Governing Board Meeting
- 14<sup>th</sup> Parent's Evening 1
- 19<sup>th</sup> Parent's Evening 2
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Easter Bingo 7.00pm Friezland Church Hall
- 28<sup>th</sup> Outdoor Learning Day / Last Day of term



CASH ONLY ON THE NIGHT!

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JOIN US FOR

# EASTER CHOCOLATE BINGO!

**FRIDAY 22ND MARCH**  
**7.00PM TIL 9.00PM**  
approximate finish time

Bring  
your  
own  
Alcohol!

**FRIEZLAND CHURCH  
HALL**

Bingo sheets, dabbers,  
sweets, crisps, soft drinks & hot dogs  
all available on the night

Tickets Available  
via eduspot from  
Monday 5th February

**£2.50 ENTRY**

First come  
first served!

Pie **MUST** be  
pre ordered via eduspot

**£3.50 PER PIECE**

