



Newsletter

Grandparent Breakfasts



To celebrate the upcoming National Grandparents Day (6th Oct) we are hosting two Grandparent Breakfasts at Friezland. You are welcome to join us on either **Thursday 10th** or **Friday 11th** October 9am-10am. You can enjoy a breakfast butty and a brew and the children will share some performances with you! *Please note, CLASS 3 (Year 3 & 4 pupils) are going on a trip on Thursday 10th so please book the Friday if your grandchild is in Class 3. Please book your place and pay for your chosen breakfast butty on School Spider.*

Reminders:

Class 2 Welcome Meeting: 5pm on 16th September

Class 4 Welcome Meeting: 5pm on 19th September

Class 1 & 2 Parents: please book onto a Phonics Workshop on 30th September. 9-9.45am or 5-5.45am. Book [here](#)

All parents please give a YES or NO response for flu immunisation by 12pm Sunday: Click [here](#)

School Council Elections...made real!



At Friezland, we ensure that our pupils learn about the British Values which are Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance, and Individual Liberty. In the run up to our School Council elections, we are focussing on Democracy. To find out about the role of a councillor and democracy in action, we welcomed Mr Al-Hamdani into Class 4 this week. Not only is he one of our parents, but a local councillor. He explained how he was elected and described the key elements of his job to the children, who saw the parallels with the role of a School Councillor. The children asked lots of really thoughtful and pertinent questions, and we all definitely came away with lots of new knowledge!

Home-School Agreement



This year's home-school agreement has been uploaded to Google Classroom for children in **YEAR 1 to YEAR 6**. It will be set as a task in 'Class Work'. Please read and then confirm your commitment to home-school partnership working by 'submitting' the task. This will act as your confirmation - no paperwork to return to school! Thanks.

Halloween Disco



Friends of Friezland are in the process of organising another spooktacular Halloween disco for Friday 18th October. Details will be shared soon, but for now... save the date!

Friday Celebration Assemblies!



On Fridays, Miss Hill leads our celebration assemblies. It is an opportunity to hand out lots of awards and recognise the achievements of our pupils. It involves:

- Announcing the week's team point winners
 - Awarding an 'Expectation Certificate' to one member of each class
 - Handing out weekly Mathematics Certificates
 - Awarding 20th Kid & 20th Grown-Up Certificates
 - Awarding Badges (Bronze, Silver, Gold etc)
 - Celebrating sporting or musical events
 - Wishing 'Happy Birthday' and giving out Birthday Book donations
- The PowerPoint for every Celebration assembly is shared on Google Classroom/Tapestry, so please take a look and, if your child's name is on there... you know they have a certificate in their bag!

Open Mornings

We are hosting Open Mornings for prospective Reception 2025 families on the following dates:

Wednesday 25th September: 9.30 – 10.30am

Tuesday 15th October: 9.30 – 10.30am

Wednesday 13th October: 9.30 – 10.30am

Details and a booking link are on our [website](#). We do have spaces in some other classes, so if you know anyone moving into the area or looking to transition, please ask them to contact school for a tour.



Good luck to all our Friezland pupils representing their village in the Saddleworth Olympics this weekend!

Dates for the Diary

September

16th Class 2 Welcome Meeting in school 5-5.45pm

19th Class 4 Welcome Meeting in school 5-5.45pm

20th Flu Immunisations

24th Class 4 Castleshaw Trip (details sent out)

25th Open Morning 9.30-10.30am

30th Phonics Workshop 9-9.45am / 5-5.45pm

October

7th Individual Photos

9th Full Governing Board Meeting 6-8.15pm

10th Grandparents Breakfast 1: 9-10am (Classes 1,2,4)

10th Class 3 Trip to the Jewish Museum (details sent out)

11th Grandparents Breakfast 2: 9-10am (Classes 1,2,3,4)

18th Halloween Disco (details to follow)

25th INSET Day (School closed to pupils)

28th – 1st Nov Half Term

