



Frithville Newsletter

Friday 8th February 2019



Did you know?

February.

Middle English feverer, from Old French feverier, based on Latin februarius, from februa, the name of a purification feast held in this month. The spelling change in the 15th century was due to association with the Latin word.

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Dear Parents and Carers,



Gymnastics Development Day:

Last Friday a group of year 3 & 4 children attended a Gymnastics development afternoon at Boston High School. The children participated in a variety of gymnastic skills including rolls, shape in flight, leaps and rhythmical ribbon skills. It was a fantastic afternoon and the children enjoyed learning new skills.



School Council:

On Tuesday, we went to Gipsey Bridge Primary School. We are school councillors and we met with school councillors from other schools so that we could learn about Chinese New Year. We learned about the Chinese Spring Festival, which is their most important festival. A Chinese lady told us some interesting facts such as the entertainment in the Spring Festival. We had a good morning: it was really a lot of fun and very interesting. *(Olivia Bateson & Ryan Cronin)*



Thank you...

I owe a huge debt of gratitude to all the staff at both New York and Frithville Primary Schools, for their time, understanding and patience whilst I have been slightly less than 100% over the last nine weeks. It is very easy to take situations and people for granted, but it is at times like these, when you fully appreciate what we have across both schools. I have relied on staff for transport, reports and everyday tasks that I would normally do myself; through a time of tremendous change behind the scenes, with academisation and the formation of a tremendous new Multi-Academy Trust. We have an amazing team that is committed to work together, to one end... and that is... the children we are responsible for. The children have been magnificent throughout the term, a term which can be the most difficult, straight after Christmas... dark... changeable weather! Thank you also to you, the parents, for your support, without which we would not be able to achieve half as much.

Parents' Afternoon:

Parent's Evening will be on Tuesday 26th March. Appointments will be available from 3.30pm to 6.00pm, letters will be sent home on Friday 15th March. Those children who have IEP meetings arranged do not need to book a parents' evening appointment as well.

PE Kits:

Could I remind parents to ensure that their children come to school with a complete PE kit please. This includes: a change of footwear, T-shirt, shorts and during cold weather, jogging bottoms and a sweatshirt. Swimming is also an integral part of the national curriculum and all children are obliged to attend. More importantly... it is an essential life skill. Thank you.

Headteacher:

- Emily Ellis** For the good participation in a music session.
- Emily Pye** For carrying on class learning at home.
- Olivia Scott** For carrying on class learning at home.
- Harriet Cooper** For a good paragraph using subordinate clauses.
- Sam Bhatoo** For good effort in English this week
- Leah Baines** For perseverance in maths.
- Lola Tait** For perseverance in maths.
- Georgia Read** For excellent results.
- Charlie Gittos** For effort in phonics.

HOUSE POINT WINNERS
Hurricanes
301 points

Shining Stars:

- Tyler Congreve** For effort and progress in reading.
- Harriet Ellis** For effort in all lessons this week.
- Thomas Marsh-Randall** For the good effort made since joining the school and the progress made.
- Mrs Tempest** For patience and teamwork above and beyond the call of duty.

Dates for your diary:

- Friday 15th February End of Term 3
- Monday 25th February Start of Term 4
- Tuesday 26th March Parents' Evening**
- Friday 5th April End of Term 4
- Tuesday 23rd April Start of Term 5
- Mon 13th – Thurs 16th May KS2 SATs week**
- Friday 24th May End of Term 5
- Monday 3rd June Start of Term 6
- Tues 4th – Fri 7th June Coalbrookdale Residential**
- Friday 19th July End of Term 6