



Frithville Newsletter

Friday 29th November 2019



Did you know?

November - The ninth month?

November derives from the Latin root novem- meaning "nine," because in the Roman calendar, there were only ten months in the year and November was the ninth month.

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Dear Parents and Carers,

School Council Visit:

On Tuesday we took a group of school councillors from both Frithville and New York to North Somercotes Primary School to take part in an activity morning, based around teamwork; 6 schools in our cluster were represented. The children were split into groups, working with pupils from other schools in a series of cooking activities, making flapjack, cheese scones and

As always, the children were magnificent and being part of the Trust we were able to use the minibus... Although, we were subjected to "Wheels on the bus" repeatedly for just over an hour!



Max Respect – Seatbelts and cycle helmets:

Yesterday a team from LCC come to deliver a very good presentation on road safety, focusing on the wearing of seatbelts when driving and helmets when cycling...

The children were using eggs to simulate our bodies in a collision. They had to protect the eggs as they were propelled down a slope...



E-safety:

The latest online safety magazine DITTO is now available for you to download, this is a very good way to keep up to date with our children!

<https://www.esafety-adviser.com/latest-newsletter/>

Gaming and loot boxes...

It's an area that seems to be getting bigger, yet there are still a lot of people (particularly parents) who don't know what loot boxes are. Here's a link to a great article from the UK Safer Internet Centre that explains loot boxes in a nice, easy to understand way.

<https://www.betterinternetforkids.eu/web/portal/practice/awareness/detail?articleId=5158001>

Christmas Card Competition:

Today was the last day for entries, we will be choosing the winners after school tonight!

Headteacher's Award

- Tyler Congreve
- Jack Burks
- Marcus Keal
- Isobel Cook
- Haania Virk
- Lacey Davison
- Charlie Gittos
- Charlie Wood
- Sebastian Tait
- Charlie Gittos
- Leo Andrews
- Simon Morley
- Jonathan Andrews

- For good ideas in ICT lessons
- For fantastic effort in phonics this week
- For improved effort in writing this week
- For perseverance in music
- For super teamwork in a road safety activity
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- For trying hard with a piece of geography writing
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- For good work in maths
- For perseverance in maths

HOUSE WINNERS: Hurricanes 782 Points

Shining Stars:

- Isabella Gadd
- Lilly Dakin
- Lacey Davison

- For fantastic work in English lessons
- For brilliant improvement in writing this term
- For always behaving well & making a good effort in lessons

Dates for your diary:

- Elf Day – Alzheimer's Society
- Christmas Performance
- Christmas Dinner
- School Christmas Cinema Trip
- Christmas Party
- End of Term 2
- Start of Term 3
- End of Term 3
- Start of Term 4
- End of Term 4
- Start of Term 5
- May Bank Holiday Friday

- Friday 6th December 2019
- Friday 13th December 2019 – 12.45
- Monday 16th December 2019
- Tuesday 17th December 2019
- Friday 20th December 2019
- Friday 20th Dec 2019
- Tuesday 7th Jan 2020
- Thursday 13th Feb 2020
- Monday 24th Feb 2020
- Thursday 2nd April 2020
- Monday 20th April 2020
- Friday 8th May 2020