



Friday 29th March 2019

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have had a super end to the term with Year 3 and Four's superb production of "The Witches" - we were very proud of how well the children did. We will make sure we put some pictures on class dojo and the website. The children in Year 3 and Year 1 have been helping plant 250 holly and oak trees with the Gaia Trust at Home Farm Marsh-it happened also to be UN World Planting Day. The children were a credit to the school and have been invited to visit the nature reserve again.

This week has seen the finals of the times tables 'Spring Slam Competitions'- the winners are: Year 5/6 1st: Alexander J, 2nd: Joshua R 3rd: Alyssa J, 4th: Phoebe M. Year 3/4 1st: Lilly-Ann M. Their names will be added to the plaques above the trophy cabinet. We are looking forward to our Marvellous Maths morning next week- this will be a great opportunity to come and see how maths is taught in our school right from Reception to Year 6- know many people have come along to the workshops, it will be great for you to have the chance to see how the teaching of maths has changed since you were at school! There are still places available to come along on Wednesday; please let the office know if you'd like to come but haven't put a form in yet.

Mrs Kimberley, Head Teacher

NON-UNIFORM DAY!

The last day of Term, Friday 5th April, will be a Non-Uniform Day – please wear your own clothes to School in lieu of a small donation to help raise funds for our School Library. Thanking you in advance for your support.



Well done to our Year 5 pupils who successfully completed their Bikeability course (in terrible conditions on some of the days!)

Well done to our Hockey Team who played in a tournament against 14 other school sides- they were 7th overall which is a great result for new players!

Our rising stars Year 6 pupils, Max K, Lily and Leon who spent a morning at Pilton Academy playing basketball and receiving specialist coaching- even the new Head Teacher, Mr Hill played with the pupils.

Year 5&6 "SPRING SLAM" COMPETITION WINNERS!



BURTON ART GALLERY – SCHOOL ART EXHIBITION

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AT BIDEFORD

We received some exciting news that our art work of birds and trees has won an award from The Arts Society! There is still time to vote for our entry before Tuesday as the "popular" vote will be announced at the very end of the Exhibition, which finishes on 22nd April, so why not pop along to The Burton Art Gallery over the Easter holidays and vote for us?

Diary Dates



MARCH

- Fri 29th Mar Y3 & Y4 "The Witches" Performances in the School Hall 6pm
(please note – ticketed event, so must buy in advance)
- Sun 31st Mar Daylight Saving – clocks go forward 1 hour!

APRIL

- Wed 3rd Apr Marvellous Maths Morning (9.05am-11.45am)
- Thu 4th Apr Y5 visit "We The Curious" in Bristol
- Fri 5th Apr Non-Uniform Day in lieu of donation (for School Library)
- Fri 5th Apr Break-up at the end of School day for Easter Holidays
- Tue 23rd Apr Start of Summer Term
- Tue 23rd Apr Year 6 – Trinity Golf, Westward Ho!

MAY

- Wed 1st May Year 2 – Tarka Tennis (Pilton)
- Fri May 3rd "Meet The Lifeguards" Presentation In School YR-Y5
- Mon 6th May Bank Holiday Monday
- Mon 13th May Start of SAT's week

Help is always appreciated at PTFA events – please speak to a PTFA member or email us on fremingtonschoolptfa@yahoo.co.uk

TENNIS CAMPS 2019

Learn the fundamentals of Tennis whilst having fun, making new friends & playing games. Our dedicated, passionate & engaging coaches welcome all ages & abilities in the great location of Rock Park.

Dates 2019

- Easter: 8th – 18th April
- May half-term: 28th – 31st May
- Summer: 29th July – 23rd August
- October half-term: 21st – 25th October

Tiny Tots Camp

3 - 5yr olds | 10 - 11am | £6 per day

Junior Camp

5 - 14yr olds | 10am – 1pm | £20 per day

Bring a Friend or Sibling for FREE!*

Location

Park Lane Tennis Club, Rock Park, Barnstaple
EX32 9AH

To book: call 01271 600855 or email

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www.devonshiretennisacademy.com

**For every full day purchased on our Junior Camp, bring a friend or sibling for free to either the Tiny Tots or the Junior Camp!*

PTFA News

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Plus, sign up using OUR LINK and when you raise your first £5, #easyfundraising WILL MATCH IT. Search for Fremington Community Primary and Nursery School.

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Marvellous Maths Morning on April 3rd

We look forward to welcoming those parents that are able to attend to meet in the hall at 9:00am. The group you have signed up to will be from 9:00 going to see the 4 classes on your route for your group, and finishing at 11:45. Our aim is to showcase how we do Maths across the school so have spread out the age groups for you to see. It will not be possible to turn up at a specific time, such as 10:20, to see one class.

If you have handed a slip in but are not able to come to the whole morning, please let the office know so the space can become available. There are still spaces available in each group.



Wishing everyone a lovely Easter Holiday – see you back on Tuesday 23rd!



GAIA TRUST TREE PLANTING

Some photos above of our pupils planting trees with their names on at Home Farm Marsh, a 200 acre sit which borders the Tarka Trail on the Taw/Torridge Estuary, between Bideford & Barnstaple. Leaflets about Home Farm Marsh are available from the School Office.

Roald Dahl's "The Witches" Years 3 & 4 Performance

A huge well done to all of the children involved in our School play. Both shows were a great success and very well supported. Thank you to the PTFA for organising a raffle and to Charlotte Turnbull for taking photographs. Please take a look at the special display board in the School Reception area for more photos.

