



Frosterley Primary School

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Newsletter 01.03.24

Red Nose Day

It was lovely to see everyone supporting Red Nose Day today. We learnt more about Comic Relief in our Family Groups and enjoyed a cake as part of our fundraising.

There was a grand total of £63 and counting - thank you everybody! The money you have raised will make a big difference to a lot of people.

Thank you to our School Council for organizing the day.

School Meals – Price increase

You should have received a letter from Durham County Council earlier this week about the increase in school meal prices to £2.81 (+VAT for nursery children £3.38) from 1st April 2024. We know that this is a significant increase, but this agreement has been reached with Chartwells to cover increased costs in food and staffing. It will be fixed until April 2025.

World Book Day Reading Competition

Thank you to everyone who sent in pictures of reading in unusual places. FOFS have provided prizes of book tokens for our winning entries.

Congratulations to:

Toby

Caleb

Daytona

Qwinton

Book Fair

The book fair is in school until Tuesday, 19th March. Please pop in at the end of the school day to choose a book.

Easter Activities

Everyone is invited to our Easter assembly at 2pm on Thursday 28th March.

We are running an Easter crafts competition. Please bring entries into school from Monday 25th March – Wednesday 27th March for judging and for everyone to enjoy.

Healthy Snacks

Children are welcome to bring a snack for breaktime but that should be a healthy snack – not crisps or sweets.

Clubs for the Spring Term

Just a reminder that clubs finish promptly at 4.30 and 5.30. If children are collected late, there will be additional charges.

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 3.30 – 4.30 | Music Club | Sports Club | Drama Games Club | Art and Craft Club |
| 4.30 – 5.30 | Homework Club | Nature Club | Lego and Puzzles Club | Free Choice Club |

Please book at least 24 hours in advance to allow us to plan for the numbers attending. We will always try to help out at short notice in an emergency.

CAHMS Sessions for Parents

Please find attached to the email a flyer from CAHMS highlighting sessions to help parents and carers to understand and support their children's mental health and wellbeing.

Stars of the Week

Nursery

15.03.24 – Toby for learning his days of the week.

Team Marble

08.03.24 – Ruby for her perseverance with number bonds.

15.03.24 – This week it is Alex for building resilience with playing games.

Team Amethyst

08.03.24 – Lincoln for excellent effort with his reading and being kind to others.

15.03.24 – Daytona for trying hard in all lessons and being helpful at playtimes.

08.03.24 – Riley-Mai for a consistently high quality of work all week.

15.03.24 – Qwinton for being an excellent geographer on our trip to Hamsterley Forest.

Diary Dates

March

Tuesday 19th - Wednesday 20th – Whitby Residential Y5 and Y6

Monday 25th – Easter crafts competition entries into school

Wednesday 27th – 3.30pm SATS Meeting for Y6 parents

Thursday 28th - 2pm Easter Assembly

- End of term (No clubs)

April

Monday 15th – Children return to school.

