

IMPORTANT DATES

TERM THREE 2014/15

Sunday, 1st February	2.00-3.30pm Swimming Party, Ringmer Community College—Years 4, 5, 6
2nd February	Sports events, teams to be advised by Mrs Davies 1.00-3.00pm Dodgeball at Alfriston 3.00-5.00pm Football at Firle
6th February	UNICEF Day for Change
10th February	Safer Internet Day
4th March	Eagles and class 4 visit to River Cuckmere (details to follow)
5th March	World Book Day (a detailed letter will be sent out next week)
3rd March	3.10-5.00pm Parent Consultations (details to follow)
5th March	5.00-7.00pm Parent Consultations
13th March	2.20 Eagles' class assembly
19th March	2.20 Kingfishers' class assembly
20th March	2.20 Puffins' class assembly
24th March	9.00 Peacocks class assembly and opportunity to see learning journey books

Please note the following: On Tuesdays and Thursdays the office will only be manned until 2.55pm. If you need to pay money to the school for anything or need change, please avoid this time thanks.

Class Teachers will inform you of any additional learning events as they arise.

Framfield

News

Week Ending

30th January 2015

Dear Parents and Carers,

Just wanted you all to know what a fantastic working atmosphere there is in all the classes. There is a really lively yet purposeful feel of good learning going on across the whole school. Despite it being only the first term we have already had several key events and some of the children have written short reports about these in the newsletter.

We are pleased to say that Mrs Gill Lawday has settled in well as our bursar, working in the office every Wednesday. We have appointed a new secretary Mrs Victoria Lee who will be starting in school next week. She will be in the office on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. I am sure you will also make her feel very welcome at Framfield School.

Disaster Day at Blackboys School

At the beginning of term after their swimming lesson Puffins class met up at Blackboys School for an introduction to their Disaster topic. Leon wrote:

First we went to groups with one teacher who was an expert on a natural disaster. That activity lasted until lunchtime. Then after lunch we watched a video of Mrs Clarke's brother Dr Johnathan Gaylor, a geologist and we had to answer questions from Mrs Clarke. Then we had to make our own houses in groups. When we finished we tested them

against the teachers' 'element' to see if they survived. Then we went back to Framfield School.

Visit from Mr Broccoli (as reported by George)

On Friday 23rd January Mr Broccoli came to Framfield to show us how to eat healthy food more often than chocolate, sweets and sugar.

We had an assembly with him. He told us that we should be eating more healthy than unhealthy food. He said we need breakfast every day because if you don't have it your brain won't work so well because you won't have enough proteins.

He showed us a big circle, it had four sections. The biggest one were fruit and vegetables. The smallest one was chocolate and sugar. It showed us how much of each thing we should eat every day.

Each class got to watch Mr Broccoli make a stir fry. It was amazing because the stir fry was delicious.

There were nine or ten ingredients and he showed us how to prepare them. He made cooking seem really easy and fun. I'm going to ask Mum to make a stir fry at home with Quorn because it was delicious. I really enjoyed Mr Broccoli's visit.

Africa comes to Framfield

Emma said about the Peacocks' topic. We've brought in things from Africa. I took a carving. We've been reading 'Handa's Surprise', dancing and trying different fruits.

Kingfishers' class are enjoying their topic based on the book 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'. Alaina and Flo wrote Mr Willy Wonka has a chocolate room and an inventing room. Mr Wonka is one of the most famous inventors in the world. He has some Oompa Loompas that laugh at everything. Mr Willy Wonka's bars are famous.

Netball report

Last week the two combined FAB netball teams went to UCTC for a net ball tournament. We played in four matches against local primary schools and came in 3rd place..It was great fun!
By Olivia and Adele

PTFA News

Thanks to everyone who helped at and supported the very successful New Year disco party which so many of the children enjoyed.
A big thank you also to everyone who supported the school chocolate tombola stall at the Village market last weekend.

Cyberbullying advice

In assemblies and regularly in all lessons across the school we are reinforcing the e safety messages especially since so many children now have access to their own mobile phones and tablets. There are paper copies on advice for parents and carers about cyberbullying available in reception and also the main DFE document is on our website and has been sent out in hard copy to all families.

Please do set and agree clear boundaries with your children about when and how they use the internet.

Parentview

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>

Have you been on the Ofsted site and completed the Parentview online questionnaire this term? Please try to find a few spare minutes to anonymously show your opinion on key features about your child's experience at Framfield school. For example:
My child is happy at this school.
My child feels safe at school.
My child makes good progress at this school.
My child is taught well at this school.

We pride ourselves on working with parents and this is a really good way of finding out what we do well and where we could improve.

Should you know of anyone who has not completed the questionnaire, please encourage them to do so. If you or someone you know is unhappy about any element of our school, please do come in or encourage that person to come in for a chat: we need to know before we can do anything about it!!

Effort Awards 9th,16th, 23rd and 30th January

Peacocks

Sofia Awbery for working really hard in phonics, learning lots of new sounds

Sadie Langan for showing good focus in her writing

Theo Goodrich for great effort in phonics and using this in his writing

Wanesa Bien for working hard on her phonic sounds, now knows 20 sounds!

Kingfishers

Tyler Hillman for great attitude to his work this week

Joshua Radloff for a great effort with his writing

Trinity Hawkins for her fantastic attitude towards her learning

Archie Bagguley for trying really hard to present his writing neatly

Puffins

Pippin Day for great enthusiasm for reading books

Charlie Page for a great attitude towards learning

Millie Pringle for her great attitude towards learning

Spencer Murphy for an excellent disaster article in

Big Writing

Eagles

Maria Mc Quarrie For great progress in learning her multiplication tables

Morris Holland Mc Ghee for improved handwriting

Emma Britt for showing perseverance in maths

Olivia Burgess for consistently good work across the curriculum