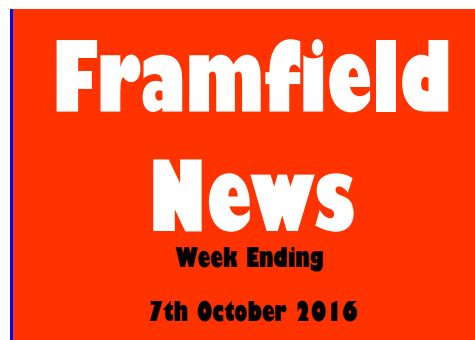


IMPORTANT DATES 2016/2017

W/c 10th October	Bikeability for Years 5 and 6
Tuesday 11th October	FAB Football at Manor School—selected pupils
Wednesday 12th October	Open Day for Potential Year R 2017 09.30 -10.30 FAB Football at Manor School—selected pupils
Tuesday 18th October	FAB Football at Manor School—selected pupils
Thursday 20th October	Phonics Workshop at 9am for parents of KS1 Pupils
Friday 21st October	Open Day for Potential Year R 2017 09.30-10.30 PTFA Autumn Party 17.00-19.00
END OF TERM 1	
Monday 31st October	Pupils return to school for the start of TERM 2 School Photographs—Tempest Photography
Tuesday 1st November	Parent Consultation Afternoon 15.15-18.00
Wednesday 2nd November	Parent Consultation Evening 17.00-19.00
Monday 7th November	Peacocks School Trip to Bodiam Castle PTFA AGM 20.00 in school
Tuesday 15th November	Kingfishers/Blackboys Class 2 Trip to Michelham Priory
Friday 18th November	National Takeover Day—details to follow Children in Need Day—details to follow
Saturday 26th November	PTFA Christmas Fayre 13.00-16.00
Friday 2nd December	Uckfield Late Night Shopping

REMAINING INSET DAYS FOR 2016/2017

Tuesday 3rd January 2017
Friday 21st July 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,
We have ended this week with our super Harvest Festival Service. Thank you to all those who attended and to all the staff and pupils for making it such a success. I am sure you will all agree that the singing and presentations were wonderful.
We warmly welcome Miss Fiona Barnes who is a PGCE student from Sussex University. Fiona will be with us every Thursday until next March, working in Kingfisher's Class. The PTFA Blitz Party was a resounding success. A staggering £1672 was raised. Many thanks must go to everyone who made it such a great occasion.

Message from Mrs Katharine Rabson Stark, Chair of Governors

Most of you know will know about the planning proposal to erect a Telecommunication mast on the Recreation Ground behind our school. Myself and the senior leadership team have had many conversations regarding this matter with many of you and the matter was discussed at our full Governing Body meeting on the 29th September. Our stance is that as a school we have a large community of children, parents and carers, all of whom will have differing perspectives about the proposals for this mast. The Governing Body must therefore remain neutral in these discussions and honour the variety of opinions within our community. However, we have stated our concerns that

due to the time at which the discussions regarding the Mast commenced in the Village, a time where the school was shut, adequate consultation with the School and its community as a major stakeholder has not taken place and therefore the voices of a large number of parents and carers have not been heard. We have voiced this concern. If you would like to discuss this further please do contact me via the School Office. If you would like to view all the Planning Proposal documentation or comment on the proposal please visit www.planning.wealden.gov.uk, quoting reference code:

Tempest Photography

Children's school photographs will be taken on **Monday 31st October 2016**. Please ensure that your child is wearing smart uniform and a big smile. Photos of pupils with non-school siblings will be taken from 8.30am onwards in the Memorial hall. Please note school siblings will have their photo taken in the school day.

The Big Sing

Our Eagles Class are once again participating in "The Big Sing". We are performing on Wednesday 7th December at 5.30pm. Tickets are now available and everyone is welcome to attend.





Well done to Imogen Marchant for earning her Blue Peter Sports Badge for inspiring someone to take up a new sport—gymnastics.

SOME REMINDERS

Birthday Cakes

As part of our healthy school's initiative, we would prefer it if you didn't send your child to school with birthday cakes. A plate of fruit would be a nice alternative. Or, as some parents have done in the past, you might like to mark your child's birthday by giving a present to the class such as a jigsaw or a book. Many thanks for your support in this—our Health Plan will be shared with everyone shortly.

Coats

Now that the weather is becoming more Autumnal, please do remember to send your child to school with a coat.

Sickness and Diarrhoea

A reminder that your child can only return to school **48 hours after the last bout** of sickness and/or diarrhoea.

Open Mornings for prospective Reception Pupils September 2017

These are taking place on **Wednesday 12th October** and **Friday 21st October** from 9.30am onwards.



Cross Country by Lucy Bagguley

Last Wednesday 9 of us from Years 5 and 6 went to Rocks Park School. We went there for the cross country event. We had to run around a big field and through part of a wood 2 times. The first 16 from the girls' race and the boys race went through to the finals. I came 11th and am going to represent Uckfield.

FAB Football

Our Federation Football team took part in a tournament at Manor Primary School on Tuesday of this week. We are delighted to inform you that the team came second overall. The FAB (Framfield & Blackboys) team won their first game and drew two matches which meant they got through to the final. Well done all players who took part and thanks to Mr Boorman who managed the team in his first FAB football match.

Effort Awards

Peacocks

23rd September 2016

Edwin Hall—for settling into school so well and coming in so happily
Alexa Horthy—for working hard on her reading at home

30th September 2016

Ryder Hillman—for working hard on his maths work
Connie Naylor—for fantastic number work

Kingfishers

23rd September 2016

Margot Rabson-Stark—for her positive attitude and efforts to persevere
Daisy Holland—for her hard work and effort to produce a great mouse house design that inspired others

30th September 2016

Lorraine Mendeguarin—for always focusing and producing great work
April Buckley—for her thoughtful contributions to class discussions

Puffins

23rd September 2016

Imogen Marchant—for going above and beyond with her homework making Stone Age tools

Kayleigh Wickham—for showing courage and perseverance in swimming

30th September 2016

Harry Fenton—for some brilliant dictionary work this week and even proving Miss Maidman wrong
Amelia Awbery—for showing perseverance in all lessons and helping others

Eagles

23rd September 2016

Oliver Geer—for an excellent attitude to learning and some good creative writing

Bobbie Ridley—for a mature and responsible attitude to school life as a new Year 6

30th September 2016

Evie Jarrett—for showing perseverance in maths

Elliott Howell—for great enthusiasm and subject knowledge in science

Mathletics Champion

30th September 2016 Toby Carlisle

School Council

Peacocks	Riley Wickham
	Isabella Lambrecht
Kingfishers	Tristan Hillman
	Georgia Fenton
Puffins	Poppy Tyler
	Evie Lewis
Eagles	Leon Holland McGhee
	Rosemary Saunders

Parent Consultations

Tuesday 1st November
15.15-18.00

Wednesday 2nd November
17.00-19.00.

Sign up sheets will go up in the last week of Term 1.