

IMPORTANT DATES 2016/2017

Tuesday 15th November	Kingfishers/BB Class 2 Trip to Michelham Priory Eagles/BB Class 4 Viking Workshop at Framfield FAB Indoor Athletics at UCTC 15.45-17.15—selected pupils
Friday 18th November	National Takeover Day—KS2 pupils Children in Need Day Deadline for submitting Tempest Photo orders.
Wednesday 23rd November	Medieval Day Peacocks/Blackboys Class 1 to be held at Blackboys School—letter to follow
Saturday 26th November	PTFA Christmas Fair 13.00-16.00
Monday 28th November	Eagles Trip to Battle Abbey 09.05-15.30
Tuesday 29th November	KS1 Multiskills event at UCTC 15.45—17.00
Friday 2nd December	Uckfield Late Night Shopping—Years 2-6 performing at 6.50pm
Wednesday 7th December	Eagles participating in the Big Sing in Eastbourne
Wednesday 14th December	KS1 Nativity 14.00—15.00
Thursday 15th December	Whole School Christmas Lunch
Friday 16th December	Rainbow Theatre Production of Snow White at School 09.00—10.45
Wednesday 21st December	Whole School Christmas Carol Service led by KS2 END OF TERM 2



REMAINING INSET DAYS FOR 2016/2017

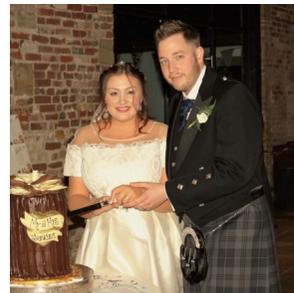
Tuesday 3rd January 2017
Friday 21st July 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,

As promised, Term 2 has been incredibly busy. Highlights this week include the Peacocks class trip to Bodiam Castle and the Puffins class trip to Ashdown Forest. Kingfishers class is looking forward to the trip to Michelham Priory and Eagles class pupils are equally excited about their Viking Workshop and trip to Battle Abbey.

Mrs Jenkins wishes to thank you for all your lovely messages and her wedding presents. Here is a photo of her on her special day.



Message from Mrs Rabson Stark, Chair of Governors

I would like to take the opportunity to welcome four new Governors who joined us in September: Samantha Butler, Gillian Clark, Sarah Cottingham, and Tjadine

Ullmann-Carp. They are all Foundation Governors, which means that they have been appointed by the Diocese, but I think you will recognise some familiar names amongst this list. I am delighted that they all wanted to join us and give something back to our community and they are already getting fully involved. We do have a full membership but I am always interested in hearing from others who might want to be part of the Governing Body in the future, and this should not be restricted just to parents. The richness of the group comes from having perspectives and skills from a wide range of people across the parish and beyond. So if you are interested, or know of anyone who is, please do get in touch with me via the School Office.

National Takeover Day 18th November 2016

This promises to be an excellent day. Those who've applied for positions will have received letters from Mrs Davies will all the details.



Children in Need 18th November 2016

Please can your children bring in loose change to help decorate a large picture of Pudsey Bear. We would love to raise £100! As 18th November is also National Takeover Day, we ask that pupils do not dress up for Children in Need Day as they have done in the past.



On Monday 7th November, Peacocks Class went to Bodiam Castle. For the Reception children, this was their first school trip so everyone was very excited. "My favourite bit was getting to hold a real sword" said Riley. "We got to dress up like a Princess and we had a story about Henry the dog who lived in a castle" said Isabella.



Puffins Ashdown Forest Trip

Otto: "We went into a hut that was set out like one from the Stone Age. We held some flint that was used as a spear head in the Stone Age."

Charles: "We made Stone Age huts using things that we found in the forest, just as the people would have done in the Stone Age."

Table Tennis

Leon, Max Toby, Pippin, Lucy and Bobbie had

an excellent time at UCTC on Tuesday. They learnt some new skills, played some great games, including "Round the world" and enjoyed playing against other keen table tennis players from local schools.

Chess—Bobbie Ridley

On Thursday 27th October, Freddie and I went to a chess tournament at UCTC. It was about pawn storms where you play with only kings and pawns. We both did very well. Freddie managed to get 3.5/6 and I got 4/6. Freddie managed to get a year group medal and I managed to get a special award and we both got the top Primary School trophy.

Class Assemblies—all welcome—9.05am

Puffins: Tuesday 22nd November
Kingfishers: Wednesday 23rd November
Eagles: Wednesday 30th November
Peacocks: Wednesday 7th December

KS1 Nativity—all Peacocks and Kingfishers pupils

Our KS1 nativity is called 'Hey Ewe' and is about a curious sheep. It is a lovely story based on the traditional Nativity. Many of the KS1 children have started practising the songs. The date of the main performance is in the diary for 14th December at 2pm. We warmly invite KS1 parents to come along

Save the date! Uckfield Late Night Shopping Event. Letter to come out shortly to years 2-6., We are singing at 6.50pm but ask that pupils arrive at 6.35pm and are dressed warmly.

TEMPEST PHOTOGRAPHY

The deadline for submitting your order to us is **FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER.**

PTFA—Mrs Emma Naylor

Thank you to all who attended the PTFA AGM, we had a good number of parents and it was nice to see some new parents.

This year I would like to thank everyone involved with all our fundraising for the last school year. With your support we repaired and replaced some electronic white boards, updated all the software in the IT department and gave the children some enjoyable events, including discos and film nights.

I would like to thank Natalie Roberts who stepped down as Secretary this year after 3 years in this tough role, and would like to welcome Monique Neeter who has kindly offered to step into her shoes!

The Committee remains the same Emma Naylor (Chair) Emma Aylen (Vice Chair) Sarah Day (Treasurer), I would personally like to thank Natalie for all her hard work, and thank you all for your continued support.

PTFA—Mrs Natalie Roberts

Please can I encourage you to sign up for easyfundraising using the following link <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/invite/RYFB7Q>. You then just search for Framfield CE Primary School. The school will receive £1 for each new registration.

It's really simple - all you need to do is register and tell people to join to support you. There are over 3,100 shops and sites on board including Amazon, John Lewis, Aviva, the trainline and Sainsbury's, so funds can be raised on everything, from weekly shops to annual holidays and it doesn't cost you or your supporters a single penny extra to use. Happy fundraising!

Effort Awards

Peacocks

4th November 2016

Piper Gagola—for showing kindness to other children
Ronnie Page—for trying hard with all his phonics

Kingfishers

4th November 2016

Billy Page—for hard work and effort with writing.
Tristan Hillman—for good focus in learning, especially on a day with lots of changes

Puffins

4th November 2016

Ella Horscroft—for completing some brilliant 4 digit column addition.
Archie Bradford—for a positive and mature attitude in everything he does.

Eagles

4th November 2016

Max Baker—for showing a positive attitude towards all his learning.
Rosemary Saunders—for showing great determination in challenging maths.

Mathletics Champion

4 November: Thomas Horscroft

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