



## Framfield Church of England Primary School Newsletter

### Respect

8<sup>th</sup> March 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

This term, we are really reflecting upon our Christian value 'RESPECT'. Our House Captains and House Teachers talked about what respect would look like in the classroom, the playground, the corridors and the lunch hall. A number of children then lead collective worship this week, acting out models of respectful behaviour to the rest of the school. Staff here at Framfield are always watching the children closely and are quick to recognise and give verbal praise when they see respectful behaviour being demonstrated.

#### Houses of Parliament Trip

I was lucky enough to be able to attend the trip to The Houses of Parliament this week with our Year 6 children and those from Blackboys. It was a tremendous visit which included a tour around



the Houses of Parliament, a really engaging pupil workshop which allowed them to experience democracy in action. While we were there, we saw several peaceful demonstrations going on in the vicinity which again, made our discussions about democracy come alive for the children. They met with our local MP Nus Ghani and presented her with letters they had written, expressing their concerns about pollution. She assured us that they will each get a written response. Throughout the day, every child demonstrated respectful behaviour towards each other and everyone they met; they were a credit to their school.

#### Framfield Stagers

During the half term break, many of our pupils took part in the Framfield Stagers performance of Dick Whittington. I had a delightful email from the Stagers with some lovely comments. 'They danced, sang, acted, smiled and most of all, entertained the audiences, making our production of Dick Whittington even more memorable.' Well done to them all.

#### Considerate Parking

Whilst we are aware that parking can be difficult when dropping off and collecting your children, we would ask you to be considerate when positioning your car. Please do not block any driveway in the High Street even for a short period of time. Recently, there have been incidents where members of our local community have not been able to get in or out of their drives.

Parents Workshop 'Raising Resilient Children' – Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> March 1.30 pm – 3.00 pm

Thank you to those of you who have already signed up for this workshop. A reminder of the details:

3P (Positive Parenting Programme) will be running a workshop for parents on:

**Raising Resilient Children**

Who: All parents and carers are warmly invited

Where: Framfield C of E Primary School, The Street, Framfield

When: 1.30 pm-3.00 pm Date: Thursday 21st March

We will be focusing on ideas for helping children to manage their emotions so that they cope well with disappointment and in stressful situations. We will talk about strategies that will allow them to recognise positive and negative emotions – and deal with them in a healthy way.

Refreshments will be served.

To book your free place, please sign up with the School Office.

World Book Day

Miss Barnes organised a very special World Book Day for us this week. The children loved dressing up and every child went home with a new book to read thanks to the book swap. Our Chair of Governors, Mrs Rabson Stark and one of our parents came and read stories in classes. Thank you parents for helping the children with costumes and donating books. Teachers will now look at those we have left and add them to our class book stocks. Any left will be donated to charity.

It has been a special week at Framfield School; I wish you all a special weekend.

Lisa Pestell

Headteacher

<b>Tm 4 /Week 3</b>		
Monday	11/03	Netball club - Miss Barnes
Tuesday	12/03	Kingfishers Trip - Towner Gallery, Eastbourne Chess Club - Mr Stockholm Tennis club - Le Tennis <b>Homework Club Cancelled (Mrs Vernon)</b> Yr 5 and 6 TAG Rugby UCTC 3.45 pm
Wednesday	13/03	
Thursday	14/03	Violin/Ukulele lessons FAB Football (Blackboys) Football Club, R and KS1 - All Star SATS Club - Mrs Tsapparelli
Friday	15/03	
<b>Tm 4/Week 4</b>		
Monday	18/03	Eagles Trip - River Cuckmere Netball Club - Miss Barnes
Tuesday	19/03	Peacocks Drumming Workshop AM Peacocks Dance Workshop PM Chess Club - Mr Stockholm Tennis club - Le Tennis Homework Club (Mrs Vernon) Yr 3 and 4 TAG Rugby tournament UCTC 3.45 pm
Wednesday	20/03	
Thursday	21/03	<b>1.30 - 3.00 pm - Parents Workshop 'Building Resilient Children'</b> Violin/Ukulele lessons FAB Football (Blackboys) Football Club, R and KS1-All Star SATS Club-Mrs Tsapparelli
Friday	22/03	

#### **Forthcoming Events:**

Tuesday 26th March Yr 5 and 6 TAG Rugby tournament UCTC 3.45 pm

Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> March – FAB Festival

Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April – Peacocks Trip to Aladdin, Kings Academy Ringmer - PM

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April - Easter Service, St Thomas A Becket Church, 9.30 am

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May, Bags2School collection day please visit [www.bag2school.com](http://www.bag2school.com) for details

Saturday 18th May - Spring Fair, 12.00 pm-2.30pm at the school

#### **Inset Days:**

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019