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Emails and Letters sent home last 2 weeks:

E-MAIL:

Cross Country Race Info
 JRSO Newsletter
 KS2 Trip reminders
 Owls un-named uniform
 Xmas Performance Ticket info
 Kestrels PE kit
 Parent Consultation Survey

LETTERS (available to download from website)

KS1/KS2 Xmas Performance costumes
 Xmas Performance Ticket info
 KS2 Pencil cases

2018 2019 TERM DATES

	Open	Close
Autumn	5th Sept 29th Oct	18th Oct 19th Dec
Spring	3rd Jan 25th Feb	15th Feb 5th April
Summer	24th April 3rd June	23rd May 24th July

INSET Days

Wednesday 5th September 2018
 Friday 19th October 2018
 Wednesday 2nd January 2019
 Tuesday 23rd April 2019
 Friday 24th May 2019

May Bank Holiday
 Monday 6th May 2019

Autumn 7

Message from Mrs Reid

The past fortnight has been filled with fantastic events. Beginning with Team Fab Frieth's Winning evening at the Wycombe District Young Enterprise competition at Cressex School. During the competition, the teams had to plan and make a prototype, plan the costs, buy any resources they might need, and then sell their prototype and product for as much as possible to the very picky buyers to make a profit with the bank. Fab Frieth worked to



their given roles brilliantly throughout the 'working week'. KS2 then had their brilliant day at the Chiltern Open Air Museum where they found out about life in stone age Britain. They were so well behaved and polite that they were even given an impromptu talk from one of



30th November 2018



the museum's curators free of charge! What great ambassadors for our school! Next came the annual PTA Christmas Fayre. As always, the hardworking troops in the PTA and staff rallied around to transform the school and create a magical Christmas Grotto with lots of excited children making trips to see the guest of honour, Father Christmas himself.

There were some gorgeous stalls selling wonderful hand crafted gifts, the ever popular bottle and sweet tombolas, a toy and book stall, and a host of games and activities for children to take part in. With all this going on, it was especially welcome to have such a great selection of refreshments being served in the village hall. One of the stall holders also sent a lovely email saying:

"We appreciated the space allowed for browsing around our tables, and found the school children that we met quite delightful - they have obviously absorbed the teaching of good manners and respect from their parents and school staff." The Frieth Xmas Factor was the highlight of the day,

with so many talented performers taking to the stage. From solo singers and singing groups, to acting, dancing and gymnastic displays the talent was breath-taking! The performances were rounded off in style by our traditional Year 6 ensemble piece with a rousing dance routine for the finale! Thank you to the tireless PTA committee, staff and the army of volunteers who worked hard into the evening on Friday and then all day on Saturday to make the fayre such a festive treat and a great fundraiser for our school.

Another successful PTA event was organised by Ms Lautenbach, creating beautiful Christmas Wreaths. The creations were magnificent and I know



that everyone involved had the most amazing evening. Thank you to Mrs Lautenbach for giving up her time to create such a special event. Have a lovely weekend everyone!

Mrs Reid



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Christmas performance tickets

The Christmas performance tickets are now available to book through the online system. Can we please remind parents that young babies and toddlers are very welcome at the dress rehearsal but not at the main performances. The evening performance is being recorded and some of our pupils have very small voices that will not be able to compete with a crying or fidgeting child. Thank you for your understanding with this.

Parent survey

The parent survey is now open. Please follow the links on the website to access the survey.

[https://www.friethschool.co.uk/website/december 2018 parent consultation/380942](https://www.friethschool.co.uk/website/december%202018%20parent%20consultation/380942)

Christmas lunch reminder

The school Christmas lunch and parties will take place on Tuesday 18th December. If your child wishes to have the Christmas lunch on that day, please ensure you have ordered on the Live kitchen system.

Christmas Parties and Party Clothes

The Christmas parties will take place in the afternoon following the Christmas lunch. Children are to come to school in school uniform for the morning and bring party clothes to change into for the lunch and party afternoon.

Workshare

This term's work-share will take place on Friday 14th December from 3:15 to 4:00pm. The work-share provides an opportunity for parents to sit with their child and look at their work books and any work on display.

Panto in a Day

We are delighted to be welcoming back 'Panto in a Day' to Frieth for this year's festive performance on the afternoon of Friday 14th December. After a lovely week of being the performers themselves, this provides a great opportunity for the children to be the audience for another great pantomime.

Mufti days

There will be two chances for house teams to win mufti days in the last part of the term. The house team that win the spelling competition will have a mufti day on Friday 14th December. The house team winning this term's house point cup, will have their mufti day on Wednesday 19th December.

Christmas Service

This term will finish with our end of term Christmas Service at 1:00pm in the Church. Parents are very welcome to join us for this service. School will close for the holidays at 2:00pm.



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Clubs

The week beginning 3rd December is the last week for after school clubs. There will be no clubs from the 10th December until the end of term. The new clubs lists will be available and open for booking for January as soon as possible.

DIARY DATES

Dates and events happening in the school diary can all be accessed in the Calendar section of the School Website at the following link:

<http://www.friethschool.co.uk/website/calendar/186376>

More information is available on our school website

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