



Newsletter 6 Summer Term

Friday 13th July 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

FoFS Summer Fete

Another successful event was held last Friday with FoFS providing us with an entertaining evening of singing, dancing and a variety of stalls to visit and enjoy. An amount of £2,100 has been raised for the school, which is a tremendous effort. Thank you to everyone who came along and helped to make this a fantastic evening, and thank you to all the staff and volunteers who assisted with the organisation and on the night.

Year 5 Boys Cricket Final Report by Freddie and Oliver

The Year 5 boys went to Kidlington for the area Cricket Finals on Wednesday 4th July. We had great fun and played our best and came 6th out of the top 10 schools out of 234, who made it to the Finals. Our performance made us feel very proud of our team.

Year 5/6 Swimming Gala Report by Annie and Melissa

On Friday the 6th July nine Year 5 and 6 children went to a swimming gala in Bicester to swim against three other schools. When we arrived we were really nervous and scared but excited at the same time. We all had to do at least 3 races; backstroke, front crawl and breaststroke. There was then a front crawl relay that we came third in and a medley relay which also included butterfly. We tried our best but in the end Fritwell came third. We all had a lot of fun and enjoyed the day.

Year 6 Boys Football Final

Well done to the Year 6 Boys' Football Team who battled hard on a very hot afternoon in the 'B' League Final. Unfortunately the trophy went to the opposition, Marsh Gibbon, but the boys showed great sportsmanship and team spirit.

Year 6 Quadkids County Final

A fantastic day of athletics took place at the Oxfordshire County Finals venue in Abingdon last Friday – and it was a perfect time to show off our new sports kit. The children each took part in the same four disciplines – throwing, standing jump, sprint and long distance – and competed against nine schools from the County. Although we did not win the Finals it was another successful event for team Fritwell.



Year 5 & 6 Girls Cricket Final Report by Annika and Naomi

On Wednesday 11th July the Year 5 and 6 Girls Cricket Team went to the Oxfordshire County Finals for a Kwik Cricket tournament. The girls did amazingly well, whilst learning new skills. Annika in the Stingrays class said “Before this tournament my bowling wasn’t so good, but now I can bowl a whole lot better!” and Naomi in Sharks said “We came third, winning two games and losing the other two, but the ‘friendly’ game was far more relaxing so we won that too!” We all had a fabulous time and are very proud.

I had an email from Carl Hamilton, who is the Partnership Development Manager for NOSSP. He said “PE and sport at Fritwell is certainly very strong – you regularly punch above your weight at competitions and festivals for a relatively small school! None of it would have been possible without your passion, motivation and commitment to PE and sport.”

A big thank you to the staff, led by Mrs Churchill, to the children who take part, and to the parents who support us with this.

Stingrays & Sharks “Alice in Wonderland”



The Stingrays and Sharks entertained us with a delightful performance of “Alice” this week. The singing was fantastic, the costumes were excellent, and altogether it was a treat to watch the show. We have some extremely talented actors and actresses! Well done to all the children who took part and, of course, congratulations to the teachers who put many hours into making it such a success. Thank you to the public for their donations received over the two nights; £157 raised will be given to a worthy charity nominated by the children.

Sticklebacks & Seahorses trip to Cotswold Wildlife Park



Sticklebacks and Seahorses had a wonderful day at Cotswold Wildlife Park on Thursday. They saw lots of amazing animals, had a train ride, and learnt about predators and conservation. Thanks to the willing helpers who came on the trip.



School Disco

The end of term Summer Disco takes place next Thursday the 19th July. Doors open for children in Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2 at 5.00pm for an hour. At 6.15pm children in Year 3 and above are invited to party until 7.30pm. Please ensure that you fetch your child promptly afterwards. KS2 children will only be allowed to walk home alone if we have prior notification.

Bicester Lawn Tennis Club

The Bicester Lawn Tennis Club is holding an Open Day on Sunday 15th July from 12.00pm to 3.00pm. This is a free family event catered for all ages, with discounts offered for their Summer Camps. For more information please contact Bianca on 07938 145736 or biancapallatt@hotmail.com.

Church News

St Olave's church sends apologies that there will be NO Messy Church this Sunday the 15th July.

Kind regards,

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Headteacher

SCHOOL DIARY

Tues 17th Jul – Year 6 Leavers' Trip to Hinksey Pool

Wed 18th Jul – Year 6 Presentation Evening

Thurs 19th Jul – School Disco

Fri 20th Jul – Tiddlers & Minnows Trip to Woburn Safari Park

Wed 25th Jul – Leavers' Service 10am

Wed 25th Jul – End of School

Thurs 6th Sep – SCHOOL STARTS