



Framwellgate Moor Primary School October Issue 2 2015



Monday 19th to Friday 23rd October – Literacy Week

Reading for Pleasure

Thank you to anyone who brought in a photo of themselves reading. They are all fantastic! Here are a few of the photos we received:



Cinderella



The Keystage 2 Pantomime trip will be at the Gala Theatre on Monday 14th December 2015. The cost of the tickets and transport is expensive and the school will partially subsidise the cost so that it can remain at £14.00 which includes an ice-cream in the interval for all of the children. Thank you for all the consent forms which have been returned. Please could all outstanding payments be brought into school after half term.

Keep Universal Infant Free School Meals in schools in England

Free School meals for KS1 children is about to end in November. This is disappointing and there is a petition that everyone can sign to object to this. Please sign this petition:

<https://petition.parliament.uk/petitions/107913>

Please note that we have not been notified of an end date yet, so meals for the infants will continue to be free when we return to school after half term.

'PCC'S Celebration of Superheroes'

Ron Hogg, Durham Police and Crime Commissioner is hosting a free community event on Saturday 31st October 2015 at Sedgefield Racecourse. The event will raise awareness of all the good work that is happening in our local communities, to enable local people to find out more about the work of our real-life superheroes. The event is free to attend, with free parking and free attractions and activities too!

Half Term

School closes at 3:20pm on Friday 23rd October and reopens on Monday 2nd November.



Children in Need

Pudsey's Pyjama Party will be held on Friday 13th November. The theme this year is 'Be a Hero' Pupils can come into school dressed in their outfits for the cost of £2.00. This will also include a drink and Pudsey biscuit. All proceeds will be donated to Children in Need.

Books – making space for Christmas!

If you have books at home that your children have grown out of we would very much appreciate these for our school Library. Please bring them into school. Thank you



Cauliflower Cards



Children will once again complete their Cauliflower Card designs during the week commencing Monday 19th October and they will be sent home by Friday 23rd October. If you wish to order cards, please return the relevant forms and payment to school **no later than Monday 2nd November** to ensure your cards are received in plenty of time for Christmas.

Shoe Box Appeal



Samaritans Purse

We will be supporting Samaritan's Purse Show Box Appeal this year. Please bring in filled shoe boxes by Monday 16th November. If you require a spare leaflet just ask at the office.

Parents Appointments for Open Afternoon

Parent appointments will be held after half term, on Monday 16th November. Appointment sheets will be available from Monday 9th November in the main entrance. If you would rather request an appointment via email please do this from Monday 9th November Framwellgate.primary@durhamlearning.net

Scholastic Book Fair

We have asked Scholastic Book Fair to visit school during the week beginning Monday 16th November to Thursday 19th November. All money raised from books purchased will buy additional books for the school Library.



Poppy Appeal

There will be a collection for the Poppy appeal between Monday 2nd and Friday 6th November to support the Royal British Legion. Please bring in a contribution (suggested minimum 50p) for a poppy if you wish to do so.

Family Learning

Family Learning sessions for Reception and Year 1 parents/carers will be on offer on Tuesday 10th November.

Sessions will run from 1pm to 3pm. The first hour will be adults only, with children joining for the second hour. The content throughout the afternoon will consist of English practice and Christmas themed celebrations. If you wish to attend the Family Learning session, please fill in the slip below:

I will be attending the Family Learning Session on Tuesday 10th November.

Name

Child's Name