



Frosterley Primary School

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Durham Savers

We are delighted that so many people have signed up for the Durham Savers scheme. The savings will be collected every Monday at the start of the school day. If anyone else would like to join, please complete the forms and bring them to the office.

Children in Need

The School Council ran a very enjoyable Children in Need day last Friday and raised over £90 to support schemes which benefit children throughout the country. Thank you to everyone who took part in and supported the day.

Christmas Lights

The children have been busy over the last two weeks making decorations for the village Christmas tree and lanterns for the lights switch on parade. The school choir will also be on the green to sing at the event. We hope that lots of you will join us for the switch on **Saturday, November 30th at 5pm**. The children will carry their lanterns in the parade and then hang their decorations on the tree. Refreshments will be available.

North Pens Workshops

We were delighted to have North Pens writing workshops in school for the children this week. This year the theme is 'What lies beneath...' and the children are entering a 15-line poem or up to 500-word story in the competition. The children had a wonderful time and were really inspired.

Frosterley Helping Hands

Recently the children wrote letters to Frosterley Helping Hands to ask them to buy access to Charanga for them so that they can continue to learn to play and sing using the program. FHH have very kindly agreed to support this and I am sure that everyone is enjoying the wonderful music performances in school.

FHH use all the money they raise to support activities and enrichment for the children. We really appreciate your support for their fundraising. They have recently given money to buy new equipment in early years and they also contribute to the costs of workshops.

FHH would like to request donations of tombola prizes for the day of the school performance by Friday 6th December.

Community Events

We have been asked to let everyone know about some upcoming Christmas events in the village.

It is the village hall Christmas market on Friday 29th November; please could people support this as Frosterley Helping Hands have a stall.

Also, the village hall is holding a Christingle service on Christmas Eve at 6pm for everyone, hot chocolate and mulled wine available.

Diary Dates

November

26.11.19 - AM Aladdin at the Gala Theatre (all children to be in school at 08:50, Bus will leave at 9 am)

29.11.19 – Village Hall Christmas Fair

30.11.19 – 5pm Christmas Lights switch on – village green

December

04.12.19 – Christmas Lunch

12.12.19 – Christmas Productions 1.30 and 6pm

15.12.19 – Follow the Donkey (Village Green at 3pm)

18.12.19 – Christmas Parties

19.12.19 – 1.30 Christmas Concert – Village Hall

20.12.19 – School closes for Christmas holiday.

January

07.01.19 School reopens

