



Frosterley Primary School

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Welcome Back

It has been so lovely to welcome all the children back to school. They all look so smart in their uniforms! We are also pleased to welcome back Mrs Hutchinson and Mrs Telfer and Miss Kane who has joined us as an apprentice in our Nursery.

We are looking forward to an exciting year of learning and hope you will join us for our open events. We have an initial list of diary dates at the end of the newsletter and we will add to them as the term goes on.

Uniform Swap

As a way of reducing waste, we would like to organise a swap of school uniform items which are clean and in good condition and you no longer need.

Please send any items in to school by Thursday, 29th September and we will hold the swap on Friday 30th alongside the Macmillan Coffee Afternoon. We plan to make this a termly event. Thank you.

Bridge Closure

We have been informed that the Council will be closing Frosterley Bridge to vehicle traffic on Tuesday 27th September between 8.30am and 12.30pm to carry out a bridge inspection.

During the closure hours there will be a signed diversion route as shown in the attached plan.

The route makes allowance for larger commercial vehicles but the road over Shittlehope Bridge and past Bucklerdale will be open and they would suggest this may be a more suitable route for cars dropping off children in the morning.

The bridge will be back open after 12.30pm so will be accessible for afternoon vehicle pick-ups. The bridge will remain open to pedestrians during our inspection.

Sunflowers

Team marble planted sunflower seeds in Science and look how high they grew!



Clubs

Thank you to everyone who books clubs in advance. This helps us to know which children are expected or are staying in school and to organise refreshments and resources.

Please see below the table showing which activities are on which days. The charge remains £2.50 per session.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
3.30 – 4.30	Homework Club	Sports Club	Free Choice Club	Design Club
4.30 – 5.30	Art Club	Craft Club	Computer Club	Lego Club

We will always help out at short notice in an emergency.

Please remember that clubs finish at 4.30 and 5.30.

Frosterley Friends Group

Over the years Frosterley School has had amazing support from the friends' group. The group have run fundraising events which have been fun for children and families and have also provided extras for the children in school.

This summer a number of parents who have given a lot of time and support to the school have moved on as their children moved to secondary school. We would like to relaunch the friends' group as we have a number of new families.

We will have our first meeting at 3pm on Thursday 22nd September in school. If you would like to come along, please let the office know by email. Thank you.

Small Electricals and Battery Recycling

Just a reminder that we have a small electricals recycling box in school. Please send in anything which no longer works and we will have them collected and recycled.

Stars of the Week

Pre-School

16.09.22 – Angela Ida – for doing so well with her self-care and being kind and helpful to the others children.

Team Marble

16.09.22 – Finley – for going above and beyond in every lesson.

Team Amethyst

16.09.22 – Nellie – for an excellent positive attitude.

Diary Dates

September

Thursday 22nd – Frosterley Friends' meeting 3 pm

Friday 30th – 3.30 Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

October

Thursday 13th – 2pm Harvest Festival

Thursday 20th – Parents Evening – appointments to follow

Friday 21st – Last day of term – school closes at 3.30

Monday 31st October – School re-opens

November

Friday 18th November – Children in Need

December

Friday 9th – Trip to Pantomime - Aladdin

Thursday 15th – Christmas Play – 2pm and 6pm

Friday 16th – Christmas Lunch

Monday 19th – Christmas parties

Tuesday 20th – School closes for Christmas holiday at 3.30