



FRYERN FEDERATION

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PAYNE'S PIECE

So, I want to share a little anecdote with you today:

Back in the 1960s when the race to the moon was fully under way, John F Kennedy (American President) was being given a tour of the facilities at NASA. As the entourage walked through the corridors, they passed a janitor who was mopping up in a corner and JFK stopped to have a quick conversation with him. 'Tell me,' he asked, 'what is your main role here?'

'Sir,' replied the janitor, '**I am helping to put a man on the moon.**'

This is one of my favourite anecdotes, and I'm not too bothered whether it's true or not. It speaks to me very strongly about what makes a great team. About how success occurs as a result of the investment of everyone. How every cog is vital to the working of the machine. I'm four weeks in at Fryern now, and I have been able to get into classrooms, see more of our daily practice and get to know colleagues and our community more. My takeaway from this is : we are fortunate, indeed.

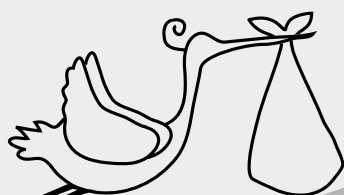
Your children are loved. Our community is valued. We have some exceptional talents and ambition throughout the team who are driven to be better, do better and care more each day. Each and every one of them. The Fryern Federation is fabulous and is only going to get better. We are pulling in the same direction and we are focussed on a positive future - and your support and contribution is making that even easier.

Thank you to all those who filled out the parent survey. We've had 182 responses, which is short of the 200 I aimed for, but it's a very good baseline and your contributions have been really helpful. We will publish the results for you to see next week, and then work to improve ourselves more for next time.

Have a great weekend, and please remember that you are a part of the Fryern family and that you contribute to our success as much as anyone. Thank you!

Jeremy
Executive Headteacher

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SOMETHING'S COOKING...

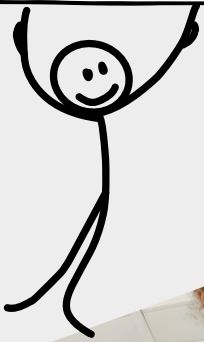
Big news!! We're very excited to share that Mrs Runcie is expecting another baby!! On behalf of our whole community we want to wish her, Cam and Evie many congratulations and much love. We've still got a while until #2 arrives, so you will have plenty of opportunity to pass on your best wishes personally as well!



2. WONDERFUL CITIZENSHIP



This young superstar was invited by the Lord Mayor of Southampton to attend an award ceremony in recognition for all her hard work supporting Southampton Social Services Children's Toy Appeal. She was presented with a certificate by the Lord Mayor Councillor Laurent. We are so proud of her for all she has done for our local community - a credit to Fryern in every way!



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MUSIC TIME....



Year 4 students had a blast during their music class this week, as they learned to play the recorder. Here they are in action!

More music fun as Year 3 are learning to play 4 bar patterns inspired by Chinese Lantern Music, ready for Chinese New Year. This week, they have been working in teams to support each other reading the notes and making sure that we play them in the right order!





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TURTLE CODING!

Year 4 became tech wizards this week, conjuring up turtle code to craft some jaw-dropping polygons in their computing class. Watch out, world, these mini-techies are on the rise!

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SUBLIME SCIENCE!

Get ready for a wild week of science ahead! Next week the children will be having fun exploring all things science, including our Sublime Science workshops on Wednesday and Thursday. Huge thanks to the PTA for your generosity, we could not fund such amazing events without your support so it is very much appreciated. Stay tuned for next week's review and photos!



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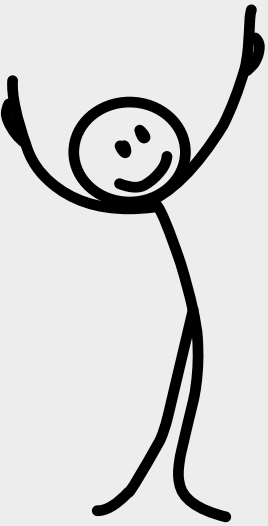
VALENTINE'S RAFFLE



It's that special time of year again and Mrs Herrick is running her Valentine's raffle. From next week there will be a box in Reception where you can buy a strip of 5 tickets for £1. All proceeds go to the Guide Dogs Association for the Blind and all contributions are appreciated

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WORKERS OF THE WEEK



YR: Millie, Delilah, Ayan & Harry H

Y1: Theo S, Scarlett G, Ezra & Karolina

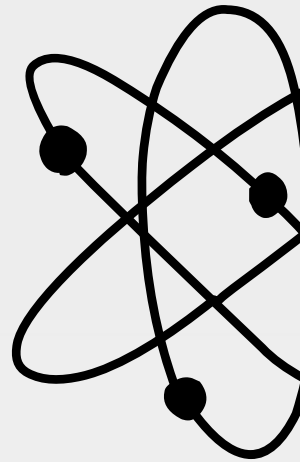
Y2: Salieu & Sobhan

Y3: Florence, Niamh, Albie, William, Jack, Thomas & Max

Y4: Ruhi, Yasmin, Sophie & Harry S

Y5: Hannah, Katie, Sophia, Lily G, Charlotte, Liela, Jamie, Billie & Krish

Y6: Edward, Dolly, Scott, Nellie, Khushi, Colby, Bella-Mae & Edward K



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HEAD TEACHER AWARDS

YR: Reeva, Florrie, Alexis, Bridget, Aubree, Delilah, Remi, Millie & Charlie

Y1: Karolina

Y2: Salieu, James & Jessica

Y3: Florence & Albie

Y4: Ruhi, Chloe & Freyja

Y5: Jesse

Y6: Eli, Daniel M, Shivanshi & Sukhmani





DATES FOR THE DIARY

January

31st Wednesday - Sublime Science workshop – Year 4, 5 & 6

February

1st Thursday - Sublime Science workshop – Year R to 3

7th Wednesday - Year 4 Show – 2pm and 6pm

7th Wednesday - Year 3-6 Cross Country event 1-3pm

7th Wednesday - Year 6 Winchester Science Museum trip

8th Thursday - Year 2 Roald Dahl dress up day

9th Friday - last day of term

12th Monday – 16th Friday - half term – school closed

19th Mon - return to school

20th Tuesday - Year 6 Careers Day

March

7th Thursday - World Book Day

12th Tuesday - Year R spring height, weight & vision check

13th Wednesday - Rock Steady concert - 9.30am

15th Friday - Year 2 hockey tournament

18th Monday - Year 3 Marwell trip

20th Wednesday - Year 2 SeaCity Museum

20th Wednesday - Year 5 show – 2pm & 6pm

21st Thursday - Year 4 Listen to Me concert - 9.30am

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22nd Friday - Rock Steady concert - 9.30am

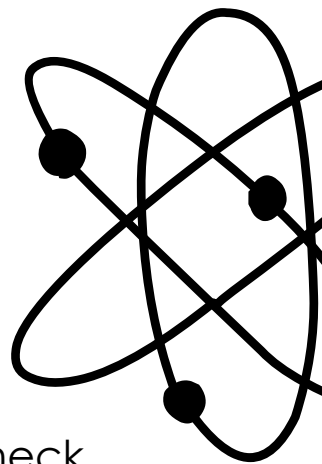
25th Monday - Easter service – Willow & Oak – 1.30pm

26th Tuesday - Easter service – Cherry & Chestnut – 1.30pm

28th Thursday - Easter Bonnet Parade – time TBC

28th Thursday - last day of term

29th Friday – 12th Friday - Easter Holidays – school closed



April

15th Monday - return to school

16th Tuesday - Year R Hilliers trip



May

3rd Friday - Year 1 trip to Arundel Castle

6th Monday - bank holiday – school closed

6th Monday - Maypole dancing for Fryern Funtasia

13th Monday - SATS week

22nd Wednesday - choir show – 6pm

24th Friday - last day of term

27th Mon - 31st Fri half term – school closed

June

3rd Monday - return to school

5th Wednesday - Year R Church visit – 9am

7th Friday - Year 1 Church visit – 9am

10th Monday - Enterprise Week

17th Monday - Year 5 trip to Stubbington

25th Tuesday - Toynbee Induction Evening - 5.30-7.30pm

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July

1st Monday - July Toynbee Induction Day - full school day

11th Thursday - Year 2 end of year show – 9.15am & 2pm

11th Thursday - Year 6 show - 1.30pm

12th Friday - Year 6 show - 1.30pm

15th Monday - Year 6 leavers party

19th Friday - whole school picnic – 12pm, parents welcome
(weather permitting)

19th Friday - last day – school finishes 1pm. BOOM!!

22nd Monday - INSET day – school closed

23rd Tuesday - INSET day – school closed

