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The Federation of  
**Fryern Infant &  
Junior Schools**

*Growing Together, Learning for Life*

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### Fryern Federation Newsletter

**Baby News** - We're delighted to share the news that today is Mrs Wise last day before she starts her maternity leave next week. On behalf of the whole Fryern Federation community we wish Mr & Mrs Wise all the very best. We cannot wait to meet and have cuddles with the newest member of the Fryern Federation Family.

**Valentines Raffle** - It's that special time of year again and Mrs Herrick is running her Valentine's raffle. From Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February there will be a box in the school office where you can buy a strip of 5 tickets for £1. The winner will receive a beautiful hamper. The draw will take place on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February. All proceeds go to the Guide Dogs Association for the Blind and all contributions are very much appreciated.

**PTA Disco** – We are excited to announce tickets are now on sale for the PTA School disco on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February.

PTA Infant School Disco – 3:30pm – 4:45pm  
PTA Junior School Disco – 5:00pm – 6:45pm

Tickets can be purchased by clicking on the following link:

<https://www.ptaevents.co.uk/acorns/>

**Special Recognition** - As we mentioned in one of our previous newsletters, one of our pupils was involved in collecting gifts for Southampton Social Services gift appeal at Christmas. This week they attended the children's toy appeal award ceremony at Southampton Art Gallery where they received an award for taking part in the appeal. A huge congratulations from us all at Fryern. We are extremely proud of everything you have done and the difference you made to many children's' lives at Christmas.



**Snacks and Drinks** - A polite reminder to please make sure your child comes to school with a healthy snack and plenty of water. Ideally this should be a piece of fruit or vegetables, dairy products like a yogurt or protein-based snacks, for example chicken bites. Children should not bring in crisps, cakes or biscuits. Any queries, please speak to your class teacher. Thank you for your support.

**World Book Day** – We are celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March and are looking forward to seeing the children dressed up as their favourite book character.

**Red Nose Day** - On Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March we will be raising money for Red Nose Day and invite the children to come to school in non-uniform or dressed in 'red' to toe! The school office will be selling red noses this year, more details to follow shortly.

**Year 4 Design & Technology** - In Design and Technology over the last couple of weeks Year 4 have been looking at healthy eating and what we could include in a healthy sandwich. We learnt how to carefully slice cucumber using the claw method. We planned, created and enjoyed our healthy sandwich.



Best Wishes,

The Fryern Team

#### **Workers of the week**

YR: Quentin, Summer and everyone in Zebra class

Y1/2: Carter, Harrison, Olivia, Ted, Ayan, Sophia A, Teddy

Y3: Mia, Lana, Nancy R

Y4: Lola F, Ella, Albie, Jess D, Jess S, Ewan, William, Abbie, Alannah

Y5: Elsie, Lucie, Rhys, Harriet, Evie, Sophie A

Y6: Liela, Iliya, Gaby, Hannah

#### **Head Teacher Awards**

YR: Oliver, Mabel, Jaxon, Jacob, Hector, Anawin, Ellis

Y1/2: Dorothy, William, Harry Re, Lyla, Delilah, Isaac, Trystan, Harry H, Eliana, Florrie, Grace B, Ezra B, Scarlett G

Y3: Morgan, Liam, Zainab, Ewan, Nancy R, Matilda,

Y4: Katie,

Y5: Austin, Bella, Ayrton, Chloe, Tabitha, Ariana, Freddie, Ella R, Evie, Holly, Dexter, Emelia, Freyja, Jasper

Y6: Millie, Phoebe, Alivia, Bethany, Vivi, Skye, Addie, Chris, Jamal,

## Dates For the Diary

### February 2025

3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday	Year 5 Swimming 12:45pm – 3:00pm
6 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	PTA Disco Infant School 3:30pm – 4:45pm
6 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	PTA Disco Junior School 5:00pm – 6:45pm
10 <sup>th</sup> Monday	Year 5 Swimming 12:45pm – 3:00pm
11 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday	Year 6 Winchester Science Centre Trip
11 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday	Year 4 'Glint of Gold' Show 1:30pm
12 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	Year 4 'Glint of Gold' Show 1:30pm
13 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	Last day of term
<b>14<sup>th</sup> Friday</b>	<b>INSET day – School Closed</b>
<b>17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Half Term – School Closed</b>
24 <sup>th</sup> Monday	Return to school
27 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	SEND Parents Workshop 2pm – 3pm

### March 2025

4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday	Testwood Lakes Trip Leopard & Cheetah Class
4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday	Year R School Nurse Spring Born Height, Weight & Vision
5 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	Testwood Lakes Trip Hippo Class
6 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	World Book Day
14 <sup>th</sup> Friday	Year 2 Hockey Competition
20 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	Year R Hilliers Trip
21 <sup>st</sup> Friday	Red Nose Day
26 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	Rocksteady Concert 9:30am – 10:30am
28 <sup>th</sup> Friday	Rocksteady Concert 9:30am – 10:30am
27 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	KS2 Relay Tournament at Lapstone Playfields 9:15am–11:30am (Invite only)
31 <sup>st</sup> Monday	Methodist Church Service Willow & Oak 1:30pm – 3pm

### April 2025

1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday	Methodist Church Service Cherry & Chestnut 1:30pm – 3pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday	Year 3 Marwell Zoo Trip
4 <sup>th</sup> Friday	Last day of term
<b>7<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Easter Holidays – School Closed</b>
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday</b>	<b>INSET day – School Closed</b>
23 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday	Return to School

### May 2025

<b>5<sup>th</sup> Monday</b>	<b>Bank Holiday – School Closed</b>
12 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 SATs
12 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 Swimming 12:45pm – 3:00pm
15 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	Year 1/2 SeaCity Trip
19 <sup>th</sup> -23 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 5 Stubbington Residential
23 <sup>rd</sup> Friday	Last day of term
<b>26<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Half Term – School Closed</b>

### June 2025

2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday	Return to school
9 <sup>th</sup> Monday	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check week
20 <sup>th</sup> Friday	Year 2 Athletics competition at Merdon School 9am-2pm

### July 2025

FRYERN ACORNS PTA  
PRESENTS...

# DISCO

THURSDAY 6TH FEBRUARY

TICKETS £3.75

**CJDJ**

INFANT DISCO: 3.30PM- 4.45PM

JUNIOR DISCO: 5PM- 6.45PM

@ JUNIOR HALL

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INFANT TICKET INCLUDES DRINK &  
BISCUITS

JUNIOR DISCO TUCK SHOP AVAILABLE  
(£2.50 SUGGESTED SPENDING MONEY)

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Roald Dahl's  
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Book by  
David Greig

Music by  
Marc Shaiman

Lyrics by  
Scott Wittman & Marc Shaiman

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