

# Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School

## Snippets

Academic Year 2019/2020

29/11/2019

### School Council

On Thursday the School Council led Worship for the whole school. The theme was saving our oceans.

I was incredibly impressed with the way the pupils worked together to put together the Worship and then delivered it with great confidence. This was in front of some of our Governors also who were equally impressed.

I am sure we will be following this theme through to try and make a change in our world.  
Watch this space!

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### Road Safety

Just to update you on the Safety of Cyclists and Pedestrians project. There will be a survey carried out by The Programme Leader of Minor Works and Traffic for the Lincolnshire County Council.

I will let you know the results when this has been completed.

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### Football Tournaments at TGA Results

#### **Girls on Tuesday – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place**

They *all* played fantastically well, with great goals by Stevie-Anne, Issy and Abigail.

#### **Boys on Thursday – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place**

The boys drew three games, won one game and lost two games. They *all* played exceptionally well. The boys all commented that the goalkeeper Jackson did some brilliant saves and a great penalty was taken by Cobi.

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### FOLS Events

#### Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

FOLS meeting, at school, 2.15-3.15pm – all welcome.

#### Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December

##### **Adult Christmas Gift Day**

Children can bring money to purchase a gift for their adult and it will be wrapped up by a member of FOLS ready to put under the Christmas tree.

#### Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December

FOLS Christmas activity night. 3.30 – 5.30pm

### School Events

#### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December

##### **Upton & Kexby Christmas Market**

at The Rose and Crown in Upton. Opened by the school choir at 6pm. All welcome.

#### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December

##### **Christmas Lunch Day**

Please remember to either order on Innovate or contact the office. Children can wear a Christmas jumper with their school uniform.

#### Baby Basket collection day.

Year 6 visit Queen Elizabeth's High School to watch Aladdin. KS 2 Christingle at Upton Church at 6pm.

#### Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December

'Come and Learn' session Christmas Crafts 9-9.30am.

#### Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December

Reception and KS 1 Nativity 2pm and 6pm

#### Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December

Reception and KS 1 Nativity 6pm.

### Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December

Governor Certificate Worship Invitation only.

### Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas Service at Church 9.30am Christmas parties. Christmas Jumpers can be worn again.

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### Over to You!

We would like to share with you some of the comments from our recent survey.

We'll add a few each week so we can celebrate the fantastic school we have the pleasure to work and learn in.

*"The school doesn't create stress or put pressure on the children, which helps promote acceptance, comfort & engagement."*

*"Making the children feel welcome & encouraging children of all ages to mix together."*

*"Providing a well-rounded child, putting values on being 'a good' person, kind, helpful etc, are extremely important."*

With the above in mind, we would welcome any suggestions on how we can continue the successful partnership between home and school.

For instance, 'Come and Learn' sessions or workshops on specific topics that you would like.

We are planning one on sleep issues if there is the interest.

Please contact the office with ideas either in person or by email [office@olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:office@olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk)

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### In Case of Bad Weather

If we need to close school due to weather conditions we will notify you via Parent Hub. If you have not downloaded the app yet, please do. The handle is @Lea\_Primary\_Sch

We will also have reported the closure to Lincs FM so you can listen for updates.

We will also put a notice on our website.

[www.olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk](http://www.olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk)

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### NSPCC Helpline

*If you have a question about parental controls or concerns about a social networks, our Online Safety Helpline advisors are here to help.*

**Call 0808 800 5002**

Monday to Friday 9am – 7pm  
Weekends 10am – 6pm  
Bank Holidays 10am – 4pm

### **'We all have a right to speak out and stay safe.'**

It is everyone's responsibility. Anyone with a concern about a child can ring the Lincolnshire's Children's Customer Service Centre.

**01522 782111**

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### Attendance

*The greater the attendance, the greater the achievement.*

On my request Governors are considering the implementation of **fining** for holidays taken in school.

In addition to missed learning, the children quite often find relationships a little challenging when they return following extended breaks.

We will let you know in plenty of time if this change will happen and what the policy will be.

Overall this week  
25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> November  
**94.25%**

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### Evergreen

Well done to everyone who achieved their Evergreen status.

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### Tully Cup

This term, our school value is 'Creativity'.

Seen from a Christian perspective all of life is a 'gift', entrusted by a loving creator God to humankind for a purpose. This purpose is glimpsed as the creative spirit within each person learns to value and explore, celebrate and enjoy this world in all its mystery and diversity. With this gift comes the mutual responsibility to ensure the creation is not spoiled, but rather sustained and shared by all.

Winners this week:

KS 1 – Charlie DB - Yr2

KS 2 – Laura S - Yr4

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### Communication

We now use Parent Hub instead of the text system to send reminders, Snippets, letters and other information.

The Parent Hub app is the easiest way to receive the messages. Please contact the school office if you would like help on this.

You can also access Snippets on the website and Facebook. Paper copies are available from the office.

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### Next Week

<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Dec</b>	<b>2.15-3.15 3.00-4.00</b>	Year 5 swimming FOLS meeting Young Voices Choir Practice
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Dec</b>	<b>3.20</b>	
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Dec</b>	<b>12.45</b>	Boys Football at QEHS

	<b>3.30-4.30</b>	After school club – Girls Football
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Dec</b>	<b>3.30 – 4.15 6pm</b>	Yr4 After School Games Club Choir at Upton and Kexby Christmas Market
<b>6<sup>th</sup> Dec</b>		

### Diary Dates until the end of term

<b>9 Dec</b>		
<b>10 Dec</b>		FOLS Adult Gift Shop
<b>11 Dec</b>	<b>6pm</b>	Christmas Lunch – Bring Baby Basket items Christingle at Upton Church
<b>12 Dec</b>	<b>9.00 – 9.30am</b>	'Come and learn with your child' session for parents MFL day KS2
	<b>3.15 – 5.30</b>	FOLS Christmas Activity evening
<b>13</b>		
<b>16 Dec</b>	<b>2 and 6pm</b>	Rec and KS 1 Nativity
<b>17 Dec</b>	<b>6pm</b>	Rec and KS 1 Nativity
<b>18 Dec</b>	<b>3.00pm</b>	Governor Certificate Assembly
<b>19 Dec</b>	<b>9.30</b>	Christmas Service (children may wear Christmas Jumpers with school uniform)  Christmas parties Term ends
<b>20</b>		<b>INSET Day</b>