

Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School

Snippets

Academic Year 2023/24

15/03/2024

Reception – Trip to Rand Farm and Year 5 trip to Uncle Henry's

It's been a busy few weeks at school with trips and events going on. Year 5 enjoyed an interesting day at Uncle Henry's where they learnt about where our food comes from. Some great questions were asked and the children were impeccably behaved as always. Year 5 have also taken part in Bikeability this week – well done to all.

Reception went to Rand Farm on Thursday (their first trip with school), it was a very exciting day for them! All the children behaved beautifully; we had a fabulous time.

Our Partner School

Year 6 connected with our partner school, Mohammed Shamel School in Beirut, Lebanon. During the call they engaged in discussions about the rights we believe all children possess and they exchanged artwork related to these rights. It comes as no surprise to us that children from both countries expressed very similar beliefs and ideas – our children show us the way.



Freedom to be safe, children must be kept away from harm.

Our children are the change we want to see and we are so proud of them all.

FOLS Film Nights

A huge thank you to our FOLS team for organising and running two great film evenings.

Next date to put in your diary is: Thursday 16th May – Disco

We would also like to put on a Summer Fayre this year – any help with the organisation and ideas for the event are greatly appreciated. FOLS are always keen to welcome new members – please get in touch if you would like help.

Reminder: Reverend Canon Phillip Wain's Retirement



The Easter Service in church will be held at the end of the day on Thursday 28th March. This will also be Reverend Canon Phillip Wain's last service with our children, due to his upcoming retirement at Easter.

We would like to invite you to school from 3.30pm until 4.15pm if you would like to come in, say goodbye and a personal thank you to Phillip.

If you would like to send a message via e-mail please use the office address. Please could you let any past pupils and parents know about this event as all are welcome.

A Big Thank You and Goodbye

We would also like to take the time to give a big thank you to Sandy Carter and her pet therapy dog Lily who have volunteered at the school for over 5 years.



They have decided to retire from the Pet Therapy service. The children will miss seeing them in school. The support they have given the children either hearing them read or helping with dog phobias has been invaluable.

Tully Cup

This term we will be choosing pupils who have shown that they are: **'Being the best they can be.'** The Tully Cup was presented to:

08.03.24

Gracie S – Y1

Leo B – Y4

15.03.24

Harriet T – Y3

Rec

Upcoming Events

| Date | Class |
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| Monday 25th March | Boys' football – County Cup Final |
| W/C 25th March Mon & Tues | Parent Consultations |
| Thursday 28th March | Easter Service at Church |
| Thursday 28th March | Break up |
| Tuesday 16th April | Children return to school |

If you have any worries or concerns, or positive feedback, your first point of contact is your classteacher, but please bear in mind that drop off and pick up times are really busy.

If it is something urgent then email the office and the message will be passed on, or see a member of the senior leadership team on the gate as you leave, alternatively, contact the office to make an appointment.

office@olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk

You can also communicate with your class teacher via Seesaw, but once again please respect that they may not respond straight away, especially if this is after 'normal' working hours – whatever these are!