

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Dear Parents and Families,

This week eight of our year 3/4 girls from each school, across the partnership, attended a girls' football competition at Breckland Leisure Centre in Thetford. This was the first of many different events due to take place throughout the school year. Each school was placed in a league table of four, playing other local schools. Despite the rain the children had an amazing day and worked really hard. The Norman came second in their league and Duchy and Weeting both came third in their respective leagues. Everyone who took part will receive a certificate today. We were very proud of their behaviour as well as their football skills!



*Karma, Annie, Ellie, Hollie, Lottie & Lola ready for their matches.*

### Weeting Harvest Festival



This year for Weeting's Harvest Festival they collected gift bags for the residents at Brandon Park Nursing Home. These included cooking ingredients and treat items like chocolates, hand cream and bubble bath. Our School Council will be visiting the residents to hand over our donations. The whole school performed two songs celebrating Harvest then Chestnut Class sang and danced to "Hot Potato", Beech Class performed the poem "Two Pumpkin Seeds", Elm Class performed the poem "Plant Four Rows" and Oak Class sang "The Harvest Samba". A very big thank you to all our families and friends who supported us.

### Governors

Although we are fortunate to have a team of enthusiastic governors, we would like to encourage parents to join our Local Governing Body. If you are interested, please contact our Chair of Governors, Jacqueline McCamphill, on 07811 112274.

Vacancies

We still have a number of vacancies across the Trinity Partnership these include;  
 EYFS teaching Assistant at Weeting  
 Midday Supervisor Post @ The Norman  
 And a Teaching Assistant at Duchy of Lancaster  
 If you are interested in any of these vacancies, please see the website for more details and an application form.

E-Safety

It is important to continue to remind children of the importance of staying safe online, particularly as we now have more electronic devices with internet access, including phones, tablets and games consoles. Please monitor your children's ICT usage carefully, and if possible, in shared family spaces to reduce online risks including cyber-bullying. We will be sharing these SMART online safety rules with our children.

You can find more information including resources and videos at <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk>

You can also find the poster on the back page of this newsletter for your reference.

Attendance

There are 190 days in the school year which leaves 175 non-school days for family time including visits and holidays.

This week the following classes won their school's Attendance Award. Well done to you all and thank you parents for your help improving attendance across the Trinity Partnership.

<b>The Norman CE Primary School</b>	<b>Robins Class with 97.12 %</b>
<b>Duchy of Lancaster CE Primary School</b>	<b>Hedgehog Class with 98.85 %</b>
<b>Weeting CE Primary School</b>	<b>Chestnut Class with 98.6 %</b>

Yours sincerely



Mr Owen Rhodes



### Diary Dates

Duchy- blue    Norman- red    Weeting- green

Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> September	After school football begins for 4 weeks
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	After school dodgeball begins for 4 weeks
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	School photographs
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> September	Harvest Festival @ St George's Church, Methwold, 9.15 am
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest festival church service @ St Andrew's Church, 10 am
Wk commencing 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents evenings, specific days and times to be confirmed
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Wk commencing 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas productions, specific days and times to be confirmed
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Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas production - dress rehearsal
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas production - afternoon performance
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas production - evening performance
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol service @ St Andrew's Church, more details to follow
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Wk commencing 9 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents evenings, specific days and times to be confirmed
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Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Easter church service @ St Andrew's Church, more details to follow
Tuesday April 21 <sup>st</sup>	Swimming starts for Year 6's
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	May Day celebrations on Fendick Field in the afternoon
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Easter service, more details to follow
Wk commencing 11 <sup>th</sup> May	SATs week
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports day

### Reminders

Can we please ask that all school dinners are paid for before, or on the day, they are taken to reduce any dinner debts. We thank you for your cooperation on this matter.

For safeguarding reasons, we ask that if your child is not attending school that you call the school and leave a message on the absence line. You should please state your child's name, class and the reason for their absence.

Please can we remind parents to return any letters/forms/money to the drop box in your school's reception area. This keeps your information safe and stops letters from getting lost in children's book bags! Please ensure that any money goes into a sealed envelope with your child's name & class clearly marked along with an indication of what the payment is for e.g. "dinner money".

Please ensure that your child is sent into school with a *healthy* snack for mid-morning break time to give them a boost through to lunchtime. Children in reception through to year 2 are provided with a piece of fruit or vegetable but after this children need to bring their own.





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## Be Safe

Keep your personal information safe and secret. Think carefully before you share a photo of yourself or your friends.

Full Name	James Paul Smith	
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Mobile Number	0792 210 340	
Email Address	jsmith@friendz.co.uk	
School Name	Friendz School, London	
Password	jsmith123	

# M

## Don't Meeet Up

Never arrange to meet an online friend because it can be dangerous. No matter how well you think you know people, they might be pretending.



# A

## Accepting Emails can be Dangerous

If you receive junk mail (called Spam) or messages which make you feel uncomfortable, tell an adult that you trust and delete them. Don't reply to them!



# R

## Reliable?

The internet is full of friendly people and amazing information. However, sometimes people might say or write things which are untrue, so you should always think carefully before trusting what you see or hear.



# T

## Tell Someone!

Most of the time that you are online, you will have lots of fun. However, if you see something that makes you feel uncomfortable or worried, make sure that you tell an adult who you trust.

