



Frogwell Primary School & Complex Needs Resource Base

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# Frogwell Primary School Newsletter

4th April 2025

## Attendance

The top attending classes this week were:

- 1. Rosen Class 96.3%
- 2. King-Smith Class 95.2%
- 3. Potter Class 95%

The highest attending class (or classes!) each week wins extra playtime or another activity chosen by the class. We also have a bigger class prize/reward at the end of each term for the class that has the highest attendance overall for that term, and one for the whole year! The winning class at the end of Term 4 was Rosen Class with an average of 94.6% for the term. Please remember to report all absences via email at [attendance@frogwell.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:attendance@frogwell.wilts.sch.uk) or using the online form embedded into the school website at [www.frogwell.co.uk](http://www.frogwell.co.uk)

## Social media

We are aware there has been some concern amongst parents this week related to a social media post. We would like to remind the school community that using social media to raise concerns is wholly inappropriate and causes enormous harm to the school and its staff. It does nothing productive and in fact detracts school attention away from more important matters, which ultimately harms the children's education. The school has a complaints policy and procedure, available freely on the school website, and this is the only correct or appropriate way to raise concerns. Thoughtless scaremongering and alarmist posts do nothing except cause distress.

## Parent Pond news

The recent Family Bingo night raised a brilliant £287 for the school! The next event is the Spring Disco in May.



**THANK YOU!**  
**We raised £287!**

**SPRING DISCO**  
THURSDAY 1 MAY

**EYFS KS1 + POTTER**  
3.15 - 4.30PM

**KS2 + MCKEE**  
5.00 - 6.15PM

**TICKET INCLUDES**

- ✓ GAMES
- ✓ HOTDOG
- ✓ SWEETS

BRING YOUR OWN WATER BOTTLE

**£3 PER TICKET\***  
BOOK VIA CLASSLIST

\*SIBLING DISCOUNT AVAILABLE

## Children's news



McKee Class have been working with Bath Rugby Foundation this term. This week Torben was the "shark" in the game!



Here is one of our forest schools groups enjoying learning how to light the fire.



## Staff updates

As you may already know, one of our TAs and MDSAs, Miss Jukes, leaves us today. We wish her well for her next venture. After Easter we will be joined by a new TA, Mrs Bicknell, who came for a visit to Donaldson Class today.

## And finally....

As I enjoy my last day at Frogwell today, I want to say a huge thank you to all our families for all the support you have shown me over the last (almost) 17 years. I joined the school in 2008 as the Deputy Head and became the Headteacher in 2018, and during that time I have formed so many memories and had so many amazing experiences. Although I am very excited about my new job with Wiltshire Council's Targeted Education Service, I will truly miss Frogwell because it has meant so much to me and has been like a second home. My last day has been filled with emotion – I was treated to an incredible assembly this morning (brilliantly led by Emily and Freya) where the children sang songs, performed on the recorder and presented me with the amazing cards they have made in their classes. The lovely comments and kind words from children and parents alike over the last few days have been overwhelming and I am so grateful to you all. It has been the privilege of my career to work here and I wish everyone in the school every success for the future.

With love and very best wishes, Ms Neville

## Diary dates for 2024-25

<b>Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	TD day – school closed to children
<b>Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> April</b>	Start of Term 5, children back to school
<b>Week of 12<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 6 SATs week – no absences will be authorised this week
<b>Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	End of Term 5
<b>Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	TD day – school closed to children
<b>Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	Start of Term 6, children back to school
<b>Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	End of Term 6
<b>Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> July</b>	TD day, school closed to children

## Parent /community information



**DYNAMOS CRICKET**

**This is our game.**

[dynamoscricet.co.uk](http://dynamoscricet.co.uk)

**Join us at:**  
Chippenham Cricket Club, Bristol Road, Chippenham, SN15 1NH

**Session dates:**  
GIRLS ONLY SESSIONS - Every Tuesday, 13th May to 1st July

**Session timings:**  
8.15-7.15PM

**Contact:**  
Jo Parsons, Lead for Girls' cricket at Chippenham CC, [jojparsons22@gmail.com](mailto:jojparsons22@gmail.com), 07821 711172

CHIPPENHAM CC



**Chippenham Cricket Club**

**Easter Cricket Camp**  
7th - 11th & 14th - 17th April  
Excluding 9th April

£30/ day or £20 for a half day

Sibling and block booking discount available

9am—12pm  
12:30 pm—15:00 pm



All abilities welcome

ECB Qualified coach

DBS Checked, First aid trained & child safeguarding

**Cricket Fun and Games**  
For Boys and Girls 5 - 15

Contact Mark Hick—[chippenhamcccamps@gmail.com](mailto:chippenhamcccamps@gmail.com) for booking information.

Spaces are limited!



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**Participating clubs 2024**

- Chippenham Town Youth FC
- Chippenham Hockey Club
- Chippenham Netball Youth
- Chippenham Cricket Club
- Chippenham Rugby Club

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[www.gameoncharity.com](http://www.gameoncharity.com)

