



Alfriston School

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Newsletter - 14th March 2019

FoAS AGM

The Friends of Alfriston School are holding their AGM on Tuesday 19th March starting at 8.45am at the school. Come along and find out how the money raised last year was spent! We are always looking for new parents to help or just come up with new ideas. Everyone is welcome.



Pearl Class Request

Pearl Class need junk modelling materials such as small cardboard boxes, clean yogurt pots and kitchen rolls please. If you have anything spare can you please hand it in to the school office.

Thank You!

We would like to say an absolutely massive thank you to the Friends of Alfriston School who have purchased a set of iPads for the school. This provides a broader range of learning



opportunities for the children using technology and enables them to use specific learning apps only available on iPad.

Without the committee's hard work and parental support, this wouldn't be possible, so thank you! all very much!



Whole School Trip to Drusillas

On Wednesday the whole school went on a trip to Drusillas and the children had an amazing day! Each class had an education session. Pearl education session was mini beasts where they met giant African snails, hissing cockroaches and giant millipedes. Ruby Class education session was all about habitats and adaptations and they got to meet a rat snake and a chinchilla. The education session for Sapphire Class was about conservation with the class also meeting a rat snake and a chinchilla. Emerald Class learnt about habitats and adaptations and got to stroke a very cute armadillo. Thank you very much to Drusillas for enabling this amazing visit.



Football Match Report

On Thursday Alfriston played Cradle Hill in the Spring League. After going in 2-1 down at half time, the school team stormed back with two quick goals early in the second half, then defended brilliantly to hold on for a 3-2 win. We are now looking forward to an away match at Seaford Primary on Monday 18th. Well done Lola, Jack, Andrew, George, Bruce, Sasha, Ewan, Evie, William and Rodney.



What's coming up next week

Monday 18th March	School football match away
Tuesday 19th March	Class Photos FoAS AGM FoAS Uniform Sale
Wednesday 20th March	Sapphire Class Trip
Thursday 21st March	Y5 Visit to 'Little Big Bang'

This Week's Class News

Pearl Class

For Science Week ,Pearl Class explored the material of Paddington Bear's coat as they wanted to make it waterproof for him in the rain.

They have been retelling the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

In Maths, Pearl Class have been exploring capacity through the medium of porridge!

The number of the week is 19!

Ruby Class

In Ruby class this week, they began a science investigation using paper helicopters.

In English they have written a recount about our wonderful trip to Drusillas.

In maths, they have been problem solving and investigating division as 'groups of'.

Sapphire Class

Sapphire Class have continued their science learning about light which they have incorporated in to the British Science Week 'Journey' topic.

In English, they have been creating performances and writing play scripts.

In Maths, they have started to look at what fractions are and what they represent.

Emerald Class

During Science week, Emerald have looked at animal migration, researching reasons why animals make such journeys.

In Maths they have been learning about volume, including investigating a formula for calculating the volume of cuboids including cubes.

In English they have continued to look closely at the language choices made by authors to create effects and discussed how they can create similar effects in their own writing.

Dates for your Diary

New dates are in bold:

Fri 29th March	Sapphire Class 'Wild Beach' Session
Mon 1st - Thurs 4th April	Year 6 Bikeability
Thurs 4th April	Ruby class visiting Litlington and St. Andrews Church
Fri 5th April	Easter Service
Sat 6th - Mon 22nd April	Easter Holiday
Tues 23rd April	Children return to school
Thurs 25th April	Year 5/6 Keysteps Gymnastics Competition
	Sun Safety Session - Pearl Class

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AGM - has been re-scheduled to the 19th March

Tues 19th March - 3.00pm
Secondhand uniform Sale

Tues 2nd April - Easter Craft Workshop - a letter to follow on Monday

100 Club Draw - next draw 29th March