

Alfriston School

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Newsletter - 20th December 2019

Sports News

Last Friday some of the children from Emerald class represented the school at the Seaford Tag Rugby Festival organised by Seaford Rugby Club. It was a cold and windy afternoon but the whole team did amazingly well. Their passing and team play was fantastic and they managed to score lots of tries. Well done to the team!

Choir Visit

On Monday the school choir, led by Mrs Ellis, visited Alfriston Court. The children entertained the residents with their lovely Christmas songs. The children were amazing and were complimented on their singing and beautiful manners.

The Great Fire of London

As a great finish to their Great Fire of London topic, the children watched as their very own Pudding Lane went up in flames.



Advice About Keeping Children Safe Online

Gaming is likely to be high on the agenda for many children this Christmas. For some useful advice on how to keep your child safe whilst gaming please follow the attached link -<u>https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/gaming/</u>

Happy Christmas and Happy New Year



We would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We look forward to seeing you all in 2020!

Farewell

In yesterday's assembly we said goodbye to Mrs Crystal.

Mrs Crystal was appointed as deputy headteacher in September 2014. She has been unwavering in this role and always fully supportive. She has also been the class teacher for both of our KS2 classes and led English throughout the school. In addition, at times over the years, she has led several other subjects and also been a Staff Governor. She is truly a natural teacher and always passionate about doing what's right for the children

We are all going to miss her. We wish her the very best and a long and happy retirement.

Village Roadworks

You may be aware that the village high street will be closed from January, for approximately 5 months, while South East Water carry out work. Having met with South East Water, we have been reassured that maintaining access to the village and school will be their priority. The work will start from the A27 end of the village and initially access to school from that side will be via Winton Street. As the work progresses through the village they will be widening the exit to the free car park to allow for two way traffic. During the work, if you are travelling from Seaford, you will need to use Weavers Lane to get to the school. We will keep you updated if we are notified of any further information.

Music Lessons

Sue Whitehead has a new group of keyboard lessons starting in January. This will be the last new group before September. If you are interested in lessons for your child please email Sue directly on suzannewhitehead@hotmail.co.uk

What's coming up

Monday 6th January

Children return to school for the beginning of Term 3