# Felsted Primary School Friday Flyer



### 13/10/2023



### PARENT REPRESENTATIVES GROUP

We had our first meeting of this academic year on Tuesday and it was very positive and helpful. Hopefully the notes from the meeting have been shared with you. I would like to thank the parents who give up their time for this. We will continue to meet each half term and updates will be sent out after each meeting. We are still looking for a rep for Cherry Tree so if you are interested please email me

on <u>head@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk</u>

### **HEALTHY CHOICES**

As a school we do what we can to support the children with developing healthy practices. Our Whole school Food Policy sets out what children are able to have to eat and drink while in school. One of the things we ask is that children are provided with water throughout the day. This was a discussion point in the Parent Rep meeting and all

agreed water was the healthiest choice and as a school we should continue with this policy. I would ask parents if they have individual concerns around children not drinking enough to let class teachers know so that we can encourage and monitor this. If children bring flavoured water to school we will offer plain water in its place.



#### **COSTUME SWAPS/DONATIONS**

Here is the link to a new costume swap/donation Facebook group. <u>FPS Facebook group - Costumes</u>

Parents came up with this idea during the parent rep meeting in the hope to provide an easy place for our school community to share and swap costumes amongst ourselves.

We all know how fast our children outgrow their costumes, leaving us with outfits that no longer have a purpose or that fit. To tackle this, parents have established this group in the hope to promote sustainability, create a more budget-friendly approach and to generally just help each other out! Hope to See you there!



## WALK TO SCHOOL LEADERBOARD

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2 <sup>nd</sup>	-	BIRCH TREE
3 <sup>rd</sup>	-	APPLE TREE

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CHERRY: Roman & Aurelia APPLE: Teddy & Frank BIRCH: Bertie & Elsie MAPLE: Charlie & Darcy ELM: Zayn & Florence H LAUREL: Teddy, Nikhil & Ethan OAK: Chloe, Polly, Rhys, Charlie Will S, Marcy & Bella

JIM BEAR AWARDS

APPLE: Megan MAPLE: James BIRCH: Teddie





### SPORTING EVENTS

This half term has been full of events and many children have been able to get involved. Reception, Year 1 and 2 took part in the Teddy Bear Run last week. There have been Football and Dodgeball Tournaments. This week saw a cricket day for KS2, a small number of children were involved in Boccia also. The children, as ever have been a credit to the school with their positive attitudes and great manners. A big thank you to Miss Mitchell for all the organising of teams and helpers.



Last chance to purchase tickets for our upcoming **Halloween Disco** being held on **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October**.

Tickets are  $\pounds$ 3.00 for years 1-6. Tickets can be purchased from our online shop felsted-primary-school-ptfa.sumupstore.com or from the school office. Discos times as follows:

- Years 1 to 3-3.15pm to 4.15pm
- Years 4 to 6 4.30pm to 5.30pm

There will be our usual tuck shop if the children do wish to bring in some change/pocket money. Best to be in a named purse, wallet or envelope.

We are so pleased to see so many of your already securing your tickets for our Felsted Primary School Fireworks Display being held on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November. Gates open at 5.30pm Fireworks lit at 7.30pm. We can confirm that local vendors will be there to serve you including, The Little Bagel Box, CM6 ICES, Choccy Heaven and Barista Boy Coffee Co. There will also be a bar serving alcohol and cold drinks and Evo

**Lo.** Inere will also be a bar serving alconol and cold arinks and **Evo Inflatables** will join us to keep little and big ones entertained in the run up the main event. Glow wands and paraphernalia on sale including light up hair accessories.

We are looking for volunteer Marshalls throughout the night to assist. No-one misses out on the firework display! If you think you, or, a member or your family who is attending can assist then please leave your name and number at the office.

Tickets to be purchased in advance of the event at early bird price. <u>Please click here to buy tickets</u>

### **CONTACT DETAILS**

Please get in contact with us if you have any questions or queries that can't be addressed through Tapestry. For general questions use the <u>admin@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk</u>. Any SEN enquiries should be sent to <u>senco@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk</u>. For anything confidential please email directly to the head using the <u>head@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk</u>

### ATTENDANCE



This week Bruno will be going to-Elm Tree - well done! Their attendance was 98.3%!!

Weekly average for attendance this week was 96%.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

19/10/23: PTFA Disco 2/11/23 Motherwhelmed-wellbeing session in the hall at 2pm 3/11/23: PTFA Fireworks 7/11/23 – Flu immunisation 7/11/23: Sept 2024 Intake Open Morning 9.30am 17/11/23: Spotty clothes day for Children in Need 28/11/23: KS1 Open Evening 3.15 29/11/23: KS2 Open Evening 3.15 1/12/23: PTFA Christmas Bazaar 4/12/23: Nativity Dress Rehearsal 9.15am 5/12/23: Nativity 2pm 6/12/23: Parent Rep Meeting 9am 7/12/23: Nativity 2pm 19/12/23: Whole School Panto

Wishing everyone a restful weekend from Mrs Collins and all the staff at Felsted Primary School

