the Foremarke Flyer



The Newsletter of Repton's Preparatory School

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From the Headmaster

Dear Parents.

I extend a very warm welcome back after the half term break. The children have returned eager to engage and take advantage of all on offer.

We've had an energetic start to the half term with our annual House Swimming Gala. The children swam tremendously well. It was a wonderful collective gathering demonstrating the commitment and energy of Foremarke pupils.

We have much to look forward to in the coming weeks. Next Thursday will be World Book Day when there is always much spirited participation across the whole school. Our production of Romeo and Juliet is really now beginning to take shape. We are really excited about seeing the production and experiencing some fine performances. Foremarke's Young Musicians of the Year competition continues its qualifying rounds and The House Songs are also coming along pleasingly.

Do make a diary note and embrace the opportunity to see our pupils perform over the forthcoming weeks. You will be most welcome.



House Swimming Gala

The House Swimming Gala on Wednesday saw some fantastic swimming. Well done to all the swimmers and thank you to all who made the event possible.

Congratulations to Wavell who won the competition. Mountbatten came 2nd, Tedder 3rd and Alexander 4th. There was much partisan support for each houses, it was a wonderful event.



Sports News & Notices



Congratulations to Mr Anderson.

Mr Anderson as been selected for the Commonwealth Games Hockey Team and so will be absent for one or two days and over the Easter holidays.

CITY OF DERBY SWIMMING CLUB

Would you like to join the City of Derby Swimming Club?

Train, compete and have fun developing skills and friends?

City of Derby Swimming Club is looking to expand its squads in the Junior Coaching Programme.

If you are minimum ASA Stage 4 and aged 4-8 years then please get into contact with us to arrange a trial.

Email: membership@coderby.co.uk



Team of the Week

Wavell



Congratulations to Wavell for coming first in the House Swimming Gala.

Fencing Competition Details

Reminder for the Fencing Competition.

Date: Saturday 25th

February

Time: 2pm to 3:30pm

Location: Sports Hall



Follow all the lastet Foremarke Sport news on twitter, @ForemarkeSport



Parent-Teacher Meeting: Yr 8 & Y6

There are two more Parent-Teacher meetings scheduled for this term. Invitations to both events have already been sent out.

Year 8 (day)	Monday 26th February	6.30pm —8.30pm	Sports Hall
Year 6 (day)	Tuesday	6.30pm	Sports
	6th March	—8.30pm	Hall

We hope that these meetings will provide you with an opportunity to discuss all aspects of your child's progress this term and we are very much looking forward to seeing as many parents as possible. Should you have any concerns at this stage, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Samantha Krbacevic
Assessment and Reporting Coordinator
skrbacevic@foremarke.org.uk

Music School Notices

Message for Boys' Choir

We are giving Saturday Boys' Choir members who have Saturday afternoon away fixtures the opportunity to attend school in their sports kit, wearing full tracksuit. This will enable them to attend the choir rehearsal during morning break without having so much of a rush, as well as allowing them some time for biscuits and fresh air.

Theory Candidates

Theory candidates exams are next Wednesday, 5pm in the Music School – they need to arrive by 4.50 with sharpened pencils and an eraser in a clear plastic bag.

Music School Notices

Calling All String Players



Friday 2nd March, Pro Corda

Any string players interested in Pro Corda courses please take a look at the website.

www.procorda.com

The team are vising Foremarke on Friday 2nd March. Auditions can take place here at school but applications do need to be made online. Please let Mrs Bloor know if you decide to book an audition. Thank you.

2018 FOREMARKE YOUNG MUSICIAN OF THE YEAR COMPETITIONS

THE CHARLES JENNENS MUSIC SCHOOL, FOREMARKE HALL



Tuesday 27th February: Brass

4:15pm to 5pm. Intermediate Category.

5pm to 6pm. Advanced Category

All dates and details are in the school calendar.

Pre-Prep News and Notices

Notices

Thursday Ist March – World Book Day (children dress as a book character)

Thursday 8th March – 8:30am – Pre-Prep Parents' Breakfast

Friday 9th March – Pre-Prep Reports

People Who Help Us

In the Nursery, we have started this half term by learning all about 'People Who Help Us'. On Tuesday, we were very excited to welcome Mrs Edwards into school who spoke to the children about her work as a dentist. We learnt all about the uniform that dentists wear and the reason that they wear face masks. We also learnt how to look after our teeth and we can now all recognise foods that are good and bad for our teeth. In the form room, we have also been cleaning pretend teeth and counting out 'teeth' during a maths game.

In Drama, we also pretended to be doctors and managed to use large amounts of bandage!!





PLAYTIME STARS AWARS
YEAR ONE

LOST PROPERTY

Sophia Kneeshaw, Reception Oak, has lost her named woolly hat.



"Working Hard" A Golden Rule

Golden Leaves are awarded to children who follow the 'Golden Rules' particularly well. Congratulations to:-



Nursery	Reception
Molly Jean Simpson	Emily Kirkland
Elodie White	Jenny Wyatt-Shannon
Isabella Fisher	Emily Parker
	Austin Roberts
Year 1	Year 2
Year 1 Isabelle Naylor	Year 2 Archie Taylor
Isabelle Naylor	Archie Taylor

Learning Objectives

Reception

Literacy

To learn about the role of Police Officers.

Mathematics

To learn about the language associated with capacity, looking at full, half full, empty, nearly full, nearly empty.

Year One

English

To describe their World Book Day character.

To write a character description of Immi.

To know the digraph 'oa.'

Mathematics

To recognise odd and even numbers.

To use the book 'The Hungry Caterpillar' to recite and write the days of the week in order.

Year Two

English

To use a range of openers to vary sentence starts.

Mathematics

To solve money problems involving working out change.

Lower School News and Notices

Notices

Sports Team Photographs

Next Tuesday (27th) the sports team photographs will be taken. If your child has played in a school team this term, please ensure that they have the appropriate kit in school on this day.

Y3 Ancient Egyptian Day

Next Friday (2nd March) is Ancient Egyptian Day for Year 3 in school. Children should arrive in their school track suit, white polo shirt and trainers. Please see the letter sent home for further details.

40 Lunchtime Concert

On Wednesday Lower School enjoyed the second of our musical concerts with some excellent solo pieces followed by a fun whole-class rendition of 'Nellie the Elephant'.



LOST PROPERTY

Alex Marriott (3F) has lost his tracksuit bottoms. Peggy Ascott (3C) – pink personalised Garmin watch/activity tracker.

Alfie Smith (3C) – named hockey stick bag

Year 3 English

Year 3 have been studying different types of poems. They particularly enjoyed a poem called 'Night Time Nasties' in which someone having trouble going to sleep keeps imagining all sorts of terrible happenings. They then tried to write their own verses.

Mum and Dad cooking tea, Is a mummy getting ready to fry me, Stomping closer towards my bed, But I know it's only in my head. Freddie Fenton (3M)

The light on the landing, outside my room, Is a scary white eyed witch, sitting on her broom, Flying closer to my head,
But I know it's just in my head.
Sienna Moss (3F)

A creaking sound on the roof,
Is a horse's skeleton stamping its hoof,
Flying closer towards my bed,
But I know it's only in my head.

Alfie Smith (3C)

Exploding Volcanoes!

In Papercraft activity the children have spent the last half term building a volcano out of paper mache and a water bottle, which they then decorated to make it look real. We filled the bottle with a mixture of ingredients to create a foaming red lava! All the children have enjoyed watching the eruptions!



Boarding News and Notices

NOTICES

Travel forms

Please return the end of term travel forms to Mrs Hill by Friday 9th March. Thank you.

Labelling of uniform

We would be grateful if you could please ensure that all uniform and home clothes for boarders is labelled before being brought into school to avoid items being lost. Should you require clothes to be labelled, we recommend Lesley Aishford who is based in Repton.

LABELLING AND UNIFORM

ALTERATIONS

Contact Lesley Aishford 07876 801011

(Repton High St)

Boarder of the Week Jenna



For helpfulness with younger boarders, great organisation and for consistently being a great boarder in Nightingale. JH

NEWS

Chocolate cake to start the half term!

Burdett enjoyed a chocolate cake on the first night back to celebrate Alex's 11th birthday.



NEWS

Scuba diving!

We are excited about our forthcoming scuba diving activity this Sunday.

There is a rumour some fish have been brought in to our pool for the event...we are still searching for them!





Academic Stars

Miss Bushby has seen some fantastic work over the last week and is pleased to announce the following Academic Stars!

3C	Ralph Marston	Art
	Parker Rigg	English
	Lucy Sisson	Art
3M	Freddie Fenton	Art
	Sophia Langley	Art
3F	Molly Brailsford	Art
4H	Sophie Maronge	English
	Nunihal Sandhu	English
5ES	Henry Buckley	French
	Poppy Mercer	English
	Darcy Shaw	English, French
	Martha Wong	English, French
5JC	Felicity Birmingham	English, Maths x 2
	Poppy Blount	Maths
	Abigail Edwards	French, History,
	Hattie Lees	PSHE Maths
	Greg Morris	Science, French
	Effie Moseley	Geography
	Ehmun Sandhu	Maths
	Amily Sinka	French
6RN	Jacob Ingleston-Orme	Latin
	William Morrison	English x 2, Latin x 2
	Amanpreet Thandi	Maths, RS, Latin
7IC	Harriet Harte	English, Latin
7FL	Francesca Thacker- Martin	French x 2, Latin
7KC	Adam Khan	Science, French
7JD	Alice Marriott	English
8SO	Sienna Swoyer	English, French
8RW	James Taylor	English, Latin
8JW	Jacques Hibbs	English
8RA	Archie Hidderley	English, Maths, French













REPTON SCHOOL ENTERPRISES

CRICKET COURSE 2018

CRICKET COURSE @ FOREMARKE HALL

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 7-13 YEARS OLD

Monday 26th - Thursday 29th March

10.00AM - 3.00PM

Aimed at young cricketers of all abilities to get the season off to a flying start!

The course is designed to improve players all round game; working on key skills and developing technique and tactical awareness. Attendees will take part in a mix of activities and practices in bowling, batting, fielding and wicket keeping.







Cost: £120



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To book or for further information: REPTON SCHOOL ENTERPRISES Telephone: 01283 559322 Email: BookingsEnt@repton.org.uk WWW.REPTON.ORG.UK/COURSES



Clean Hit Cricket 'pop up cricket shop'

Friday 23rd March at Foremarke Hall 12:30pm onwards in the Sports Hall. 2018 range of equipment including Gray Nicolls, Kookaburra, Gunn & Moore, Masuri, Shrey and Salix

Foremarke coach and Repton Director of Cricket,

Howard Dytham, and his company Clean Hit are again teaming up with the school to bring you top quality cricket kit for this season.

We look forward to seeing you on Friday 23rd
March or for more information please contact
Clean Hit Cricket at:

Mobile - 07771 718998

Email: - sales@cleanhitcricket.co.uk

upper School Presents Romeo & Juliet

By William Shakespeare

Richard Theobald Theatre Friday 16th & Saturday 17th March 2018

For tickets email jwhitmore@foremarke.org.uk or return the slip below.

All welcome.

Ticket Slip for Romeo & Juliet

Please reserve tickets	s in the name of	
Friday 16th March	please indicate in the box the number required	
Saturday 17 th March	please indicate in the box the number required	
Signed:	Date:	
PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO Mr. WHITMORE		

Friends of Foremarke Chocolate Donations

Donations of chocolate treats would be much appreciated for our popular upcoming event.

The main School and Pre-Prep offices will be happy to keep them safe for us.



Thank you very much in advance





Friends of Foremarke Meeting

Saturday 3rd March.

Hall Cottage Meeting Room

After drop off at 8:30pm.

All parents welcome.



Hello,

In this edition of the Flyer you will find details for a number of events the Friends of Foremarke have coming up during this second half of Lent Term:

- Friends of Foremarke Meeting Sat 3rd March, Hall Cottage Meeting Room.
- Pre-Prep Parents' Breakfast Thurs 8th March, Dining Room.
- Chocolate Bingo Sat 10th March, Dining Room.
- Play bars (for the school production of 'Romeo & Juliet') - Fri 16th & Sat 17th March, Lower School/Theatre.

It will be a busy time for us! We hope to see you soon - please come along & say hello.

And please do get in touch if you would like to lend a hand - the more, the merrier!

With best wishes, Dons Coleston-Shields (Chair, Friends of Foremarke)

Pre-Prep Parents Breakfast

Thursday 8th March, 8:30am to 10.15am In the Dining Hall

This is a free social event which affords parents a good opportunity to meet, chat and enjoy good food.

RSVP: Dons Coleston-Shields,
DonSCS@googlemail.com—please reserve your
place by sending your name and any dietary
requirements.







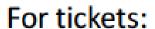
Friends of Foremarke



Saturday 10th March 2018

Doors open 18:00 – Bingo starts 18:30

Family ticket £17 (2 adults/2 Children) Single Tickets £5



Email: friends_of_foremarke@yahoo.co.uk Alternatively,



Fill out the slip below and post into the Friends Blue Box in the Assembly Hall or Pre-Prep with a cheque made out to "Friends of Foremarke"

Chocolate Bingo Booking Form		
Name of Family:	Email/Tel No	
Quant Family (2 Adults + 2 Children) Single	Quantity Beef burger & Chips Hot Dog & Chips Veg burger & Chips	