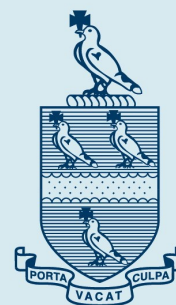


# the Foremarke Flyer



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## From the Headmaster

*Dear Parents*

*A new study by the Department of Education has found 30,000 fewer children were bullied in the last 10 years compared with a decade before. Whilst this is a significant and welcome decline, the figure still remains in my mind too high. No child should feel the hurt and pain caused by the varied forms of bullying. Any school which claims it has no bullying is deluding itself. The most important thing is to ensure quality systems are in place to protect and support.*

*Our visiting speaker Robert Higgs at Monday's assembly is an author and presenter on anti-bullying who has been featured on BBC Radio 1 & 2 as well as BBC Breakfast on television and is an active member of Anti-bullying alliance. He spoke to the pupils about ways to recognise, challenge and resolve bullying issues. This clear message reflects that which we always tell the pupils; tell someone – make a noise. Robert provided excellent strategies for the pupils to apply in difficult or challenging situations. The pupils thoroughly enjoyed his presentation, gaining a great deal from it and having reinforced the messages which we as a school deliver regularly.*

## “Blue Friday” messages hit home at the end of Anti-Bullying Week



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## SPORTS NOTICES

### TENNIS STARS



#### Foremarke Hall Year 8 boys are through to the National Finals in the AEGON National Schools event.

This is a team event and Foremarke has been superbly represented by Filipe Costa, Sevakh Kang, (OF) Alex Ottewell (OF) and Jobim Ffrench. We have a combined Repton and Foremarke team as this is a national schools competition which runs January 2015 - December 2015. Alex and Sevakh started the year in year 8 so can finish the competition even though they are now in year 9 at Repton.

We were seeded number 1 for the regional finals however competition was very evenly matched across the 4 teams representing the midlands. The Foremarke team showed their strength by firstly defeating Leicester Grammar. The match was tied 3-3 after the singles and doubles so it needed Filipe and Alex to win a tense but brilliant tie break shoot out to book a place in the regional final. The boys then gathered momentum from their semi-final victory and steam rolled through a very strong Warwick School team winning by 5 matches to 1!

Coach Ben Rushby (pictured above centre) commented "The boys were magnificent and a pleasure to work with. Both their attitude and performance has been fantastic, however it is their competitiveness and sheer desire to win which has been most rewarding to see. This group of players are collectively by far the strongest four I have worked with within a school environment"

The National Finals is held over 5<sup>th</sup>/ 6<sup>th</sup> of December at Bolton National Arena where 4 teams will be battling for the title of "National Champions".

## Congratulations to our UI3 girls who are IAPS NATIONAL CHAMPIONS!



Look out for a video of the event which will be on the sports pages of the web site next week.

# Pre-Prep News

## Pre-Prep Learning Objectives Michaelmas Week 11

### Reception

#### Mathematics:

To recognise and name familiar 3D shapes.

#### Literacy:

To recognise the digraphs: **oi**, **ue**, **er**, **ar**.

### Year One

#### Mathematics

To know the days of the week; order familiar events in time.

To know the seasons of the year and begin to know the months.

#### English

To plan a Space adventure using a story board.

### Year Two

#### Mathematics

Relate addition and subtraction facts to missing number sentences.

Estimate, measure and compare lengths in centimetres; use a ruler accurately.

#### English

To locate and highlight comprehension answers with the text. To put words spoken into speech bubbles in preparation for direct speech.



### PLAYTIME STARS AWARD

#### Reception



### “Be polite” A Golden Rule

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

Nursery	Reception
Sophia Trafford	Wilf Lytle
Samuel Moore	Julius Leavesley
Emily Edwards	Harriet Ellis
	Sophia Tasker
Year 1	Year 2
Lucy Sisson	Nya Grant
Florence Pawley	Daisy White
Theo Taylor	Mary Heaton
Phoebe Hodges	Jack Prince

## Sudbury Museum visit

On Thursday last week Year Two headed off to Sudbury Museum of Childhood. They were greeted by some very lovely volunteers who expertly guided them through the Museum. One of the highlights of the day was the Victorian Classroom where the children dressed in waist jackets, caps and smocks before paying a penny to enter what seemed the very dull environment of the classroom. The children behaved suitably as they were told to sit up straight and copy wrote lines from the board onto slates. They chanted a poem and watched as Mrs Clark and Mrs Smith were pronounced dunces! All was done in good spirit.

Another favourite part was playing with the Victorian toys; wooden hoops, spinning tops and Jacks. Then they were onto the children's workplace displays where nearly everyone braved a trip up the dark chimney. It was all topped off with a lovely playtime on the adventure playground. A great day learning in a super environment.



### NOTICES FROM THE PRE-PREP OFFICE

If you require tickets for the Pre-Prep Christmas Production 'Star of Wonder', please ensure you return your reply slip to Mrs Reddall as there are only a few tickets left for both performances.

There will be no activities on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November due to Parents' Evening.

There will be NO Gym on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November.

### Lost Property

Imeia Grant: Reception Oak is missing her named coat, please check at home.



# Lower School News

## LEARNING POWERS

Year 4s are working hard on developing their Learning Powers. The following pupils have impressed their

4J	Hugo Royston-Webb	Motivation
	Harry Thandi	Persistence
4M	Louis Errington	Motivation
	Caoimhe Kirtland	Persistence

## Book Week

Last week Lower School had their annual Book Week and, whilst there were book related activities in English lessons, for many children the highlight of the week was a visit to the Book Fair to browse the new books. There was also much excitement to find out which child in each form had won a raffle prize to choose an extra book. Thank you to parents for supporting this occasion because by the end of the week a total of £886.44 had been raised; this enables us to use the commission to update and add to the books in our library.



Lower School raffle prize winners

## Change in match date

Please note the U9 A+B girls' hockey match will not be on this Monday. It will take place on 30<sup>th</sup> Nov instead

## Lower School Music Concert

The whole of Lower School were involved in the Music Concert which was held in the Theatre on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November. A large audience thoroughly enjoyed an evening of entertainment from a variety of soloists, the jazz trio, the string quartet and the Lower School orchestra. The choir performed a couple of the songs from their Christmas Show. The children performed with such confidence. Thank you to Mrs Bloor, Miss Miller and the peris for their help in preparing the children for this occasion.



## Headmaster discovers Foremarke jug

The Headmaster 'discovered' this tiny jug on an internet auction site recently. It was part of the reveal to Frank Gardner but not aired in the BBC programme 'Who Do You Think You Are?' We are extremely grateful to Mr Jonny Coulborn for his expert research on its style and age and by whom it was painted.

Apparently it was made at the Derby factory, circa 1780 and shows a view across Foremarke. The image is one of only two known of the former Jacobean House which formerly occupied this site prior to the wonderful Palladian splendour of the current Hall. The other image is a small sketch which has only been seen in reproduction. The image on the jug may well have been painted by either 'Jockey' Hill or Zachariah Boreman one of the many talented artists painting at the factory at the time. It may have been painted from the original sketch as opposed to on site.



## Boarders of the Week



All the boarders who went laser tagging and quad biking at the weekend, as again a member of the public complimented them on their excellent manners and behaviour, even covered in mud!

JH

## General Knowledge Quiz Finalists

Well done to these pupils who have qualified for the final which takes place on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> December

Alexander	Mountbatten	Tedder	Wavell
Tom Graves	Robert Jones	Zoe Barkey	Hattie Lees
Zak Wedgwood	Harry Thandi	Gil Grace	Bertie English
Nicholas Dickens	Rufus Coulborn	Henry Wagstaff	Leo Pollock
Freya Wedgwood	James Russell	Liam Leahy	Jack McKay
Julian Fenby	Kiera Cooksey	Alex C- Shields	Aaron Atwal
Zara Wedgwood	Zara Knowles	James Rai	Louis Cooke

## Lost Property



William Orpin Y8 has lost his named adidas football boots size 11 last seen on Monday.

Jolyon Leavesley has lost his new named school coat.

## Year 7 and 8 Drama

### Twelfth Night Week 11 Rehearsals

**Monday 4:15-6:00pm:** Act 2 Scene 2

Izzy, Lucy, Lijana, James, Felipe, Jude, Alice, Mimi, Toby, Aman, Emma, Jonny, Sophia, Kira, Freya

Act 2 Scene 1

Alice, Emma, Jude, Aman, Izzy, Lucy, Lijana

**Tuesday 4:15-5:00pm:** Act 2 Scene 5

Julian, (Alice), Aman, Jude, Mimi, Toby, Izzy, William

**Tuesday 5:00-6:00pm:** Act 2 Scene 2

Aman, Jude, Mimi, Toby, James

There will be prep at 5pm for those that want it with Mr Wells in T012.

See me if you are unable to attend.

JW



## Academic Stars

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

3C	Martha Haines	History
	Harry Whittaker	History
3M	Raphael Barack	RS
4M	Emma Dammers	Maths
	William Morrison	English
	Sophie Steele	Maths
	Isobel Warrilow	English, Maths
4J	Lea Barkey	History
	Zara Dunn	English
	Gil Grace	English x 2
4HU	Gabriela Costa	English
	Jacob Ingleston-Orme	Maths
5SD	Harriet Harte	English x 2, Science, Geography
	Alexander Millard	Science
	Archie Webb	Science
	Daisy Wong	English, French, Geography
5ES	Lara German	Geography
	Jessica Grace	Science
	Georgina Jackson	French
	Sam Parkin	French
	Leo Pollock	RS
	Polly Sisson	English, French
	Luca Stanojevic	French
	Henry Wagstaff	Science
5JC	Evelyn Brough	English, Geography x 2
	Freya Bruno	Geography
	Stelios Dex	Geography
	Tom Pickering	Geography, RS
6AE	Charles Hardwick	English, Science
	Nathan Mackinnon	French
	Otto Schneck	Science
	Joe Sookias	English, French

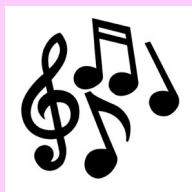


7IC	Harriet Coombs	Science
	Eleonora Coull	English, Maths
	Jaivik Sharma	English
7PW	Kiera Cooksey	English
	Alexander Coleston-Shields	Science, French
	Victoria Villagra Rodriguez	Science x 2
7SJT	Aaron Atwal	French
	Alice Churchill	Latin
	Lydia Cooper-Ewin	English, Science x 2, French, Geography x 2, Latin
	Adaia Flotats Boix	English
	James Wright	English
7KC	Eleanor Brough	Latin
	Katie Croghan	English, Latin
	Daisy Darby	Geography
	Elise Smith	Latin
7GW	Holly Davis	Latin
	Kira Maxwell	Science, Latin
	Millie Owen-Jones	English, Latin
	Oliver Weldon	English
	Belle Zhou	English
7PR	Freddie Lake	Latin
8GK	Aman Ari-Kainth	Science, French, History, RS, Latin
	Isabelle Roberts	English
	Michael Sinka	English, French
	Amy Smith	Geography
8RW	James Truelove-Cooke	English, Science
8SK	Conor Cushley	English, History x 2, Latin
	Tristan Hawks-worth	French, Geography
8JW	Joseph Presley-King	English
8RA	Emma Mansfield	English, French
8ST	Kate Knight	English, Geography
	William Orpin	Latin



## Music News

### Upper School Concert



**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November  
at 7pm in the theatre**

Performers will remain at school  
for a rehearsal and tea

All children who play in the following will  
perform:-

**Orchestra  
String Orchestra  
Brass Ensemble  
Jazz Band  
Guitar Ensemble  
Percussion Ensemble  
Chamber Choir  
Training Band\***

\*Including the Lower School children who  
rehearse on Wednesdays at 8am

Family and friends are warmly invited to  
attend and support the children.

**No tickets required**

The concert will finish at approximately 9pm.

### Christmas Shoebox Appeal

A big **THANK YOU!** to everyone who supported this popular annual appeal by the Samaritan's Purse charity. A total of **115 boxes** were collected on Wednesday morning by a representative of The Rotary Club of Derby who takes the beautifully wrapped shoeboxes to a collection depot in Darley Abbey. From here, the whole consignment is then transferred to a huge lorry which transports all the lovely gifts to children, this year, in Serbia.



Help  
required for  
Christmas  
Fayre

**Saturday 28th November**

The four School Houses will once again be present at the Christmas Fayre. Each House will run a stall to raise as much money for charity as they can. In the past these stalls have been very well supported and I would like to ask for your help again this year.

Tedder will run a cake stall and we are asking for cakes to be donated just before the fayre, Mountbatten are running a sweet stall and any donations from now would be very welcome, similarly books for the Wavell stall and small 'lucky dip' type prizes for the Alexander stall.

Please support the houses as they strive to raise lots of money, all the children really enjoy this event and the older ones love to get involved on the day running the stalls and persuading you to part with your cash. This is one event in the year when the Houses work together to help others so please donate freely to any stall.


We thank you enormously for your support.

Please bring your donations to Q6 or leave in the School Office for Mrs Cooper to collect.

Mrs Cooper

REPTON SCHOOL MUSIC SOCIETY


# HANDEL'S Messiah



SUNDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 2015  
7.45 PM  
PEARS SCHOOL, REPTON SCHOOL

SOLOISTS:  
SOPRANO - NICKI KENNEDY, MEZZO-SOPRANO - LEIGH WOOLF  
TENOR - ANDREW KENNEDY, BASS-BARITONE - EDWARD GRINT

THE DARWIN ENSEMBLE  
DIRECTED BY JOHN BOWLEY



TICKETS £13, PROGRAMMES £2  
AVAILABLE FROM REPTON SCHOOL LODGE, 01283 559200 AND ON THE DOOR

# Friends of Foremarke

## HELP REQUIRED

This is a busy time of year and we would really appreciate some help with the following events. It would be great if you could contribute as we really need to extend our group of volunteers.

### Can you bake cup cakes?

Volunteers required to bake cakes at home for our stall at The Christmas Fayre. Please email Victoria at

friends\_of\_foremarke@yahoo.co.uk



### Christmas Fayre Lucky Dip

We would be very grateful for donations of small wrapped gifts for our popular Lucky Dip. Small new toys, gifts, books or surprises would be perfect.

Please leave them in the Pre-Prep office or hand to Tara Watson / Suzanne Royston Webb ASAP.

### Help to set up and tidy up

Volunteers required for the Xmas Fayre after pick up Friday 27th, on the morning of Saturday 28th to help set up and after the Fayre for tidying up. Contact friends\_of\_foremarke@yahoo.co.uk

### Stallholders - one or two stalls remaining

Do you want to have a stall at the Christmas Fayre ? Please contact:-

friends\_of\_foremarke@yahoo.co.uk

### Could you help to serve interval drinks at the Upper School Concert?

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm in the theatre. Please contact :- Dons Coleston-Shields donscs@googlemail.com

Thank you!

**Friends of Foremarke**  
**Christmas Fayre**  
**Saturday 28th November 2015**

**12.00 till 4.00pm**  
**In the Sports Hall**

**Family and Friends Welcome**  
**Festive Stalls, Gift Ideas, Kids Crafts, Refreshments,**  
**House Tables, Carol Singing**  
**and Father Christmas visiting from 12.30 til 2.30**

## Christmas Poster Competition

After close inspection by their panel of judges, the Friends are pleased to announce the following winners of this year's Christmas Fayre Poster Competition:

### PRE-PREP

Jack Prince

Betsy Wilton

### LOWER SCHOOL

Rachel Birmingham

### UPPER SCHOOL

Henrietta Davenport

Alexander Coleston-Shields

*Congratulations to all.*

