



**FRISBY CofE
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Rise
Primary School

Frisby Friday Flyer

Friday 25th September 2026

Dear parents and carers,

Collective Worship Take Home

In Collective Worship this week, we have been thinking about how Nepal has announced that its wild tiger population has more than tripled, rising from 121 tigers in 2010, to 429 today. Officials say the turnaround is the result of years of protected wildlife corridors and local communities working hand-in-hand with conservationists to protect the big cats. With tiger numbers now increasing, more encounters between tigers and nearby villages are leaving experts asking how people and wildlife can safely share the same land going forward.

Things you could talk about at home:

WONDER (Looking out at the world)

- I wonder what it would be like to live near wild animals. How can we show courage and trust in God while respecting His creatures?

REFLECT (Looking inwards at ourselves)

- Are there times when I put my own needs before the needs of others, including the world around me. What could I do about this?

DO (Responding through actions and choices)

- How can I show responsibility and kindness towards creation through the choices I make each day?



Nut-Free School Reminder



As a nut-free school, we kindly ask all parents and carers to ensure that snacks and packed lunches brought into school are free from nuts and nut-containing products. This is an important measure to help keep all children safe, particularly those with severe nut allergies. Please remember that some foods may contain nuts even if they are not immediately obvious, such as chocolate spreads (Nutella), cereal bars, and some cakes or biscuits. Thank you for checking ingredients carefully and for helping us maintain a safe environment for all pupils.

Parents' Evening Booking Information

Booking for our upcoming Parents' Evenings will be available from 9.00am on Monday 28th September and will close at 3.30pm on Friday 9th October. Both evenings - Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th October - will be face-to-face meetings only.



Please be aware that all appointments are restricted to a 10-minute time limit and are only available on the dates specified above. This is necessary to ensure we can accommodate all families and provide timely support to everyone. We understand that this may require some adjustments on your part, and we appreciate your understanding and cooperation. If you feel your child's needs may require a longer discussion, please contact your child's class teacher. They will do their best to accommodate your request later in the half term, although this cannot be guaranteed.

You will only be able to book an appointment if you have a registered Arbor account. The online booking system allows us to ensure a smooth and fair process, and appointments will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Please note that popular time slots may fill up quickly, so we encourage you to book as soon as possible to secure your preferred time.

Local School Advisory Committee (LSAC) Update



After 18 years of dedicated service to our Local School Advisory Committee (formerly the Local Governing Committee), we would like to extend our sincere thanks to Mr Simon Bailey, who has stepped down from his role as Chair, to take up a new position as a Trustee within Rose Multi-Academy Trust.

Over nearly two decades, Simon has given countless hours in support of our school community and has helped guide the school through some significant milestones and periods of change, including the appointment of new headship, the school building extension, and our transition into the Trust. His commitment and unwavering support have played an important part in shaping the school that we are today.

On a personal note, I would also like to thank Simon for the encouragement and support he has given me in my role as Headteacher. His experience and genuine care for our school have been greatly valued, and I am incredibly grateful for the support he has provided throughout my leadership journey.

While we will miss Simon's presence on the LSAC, we are delighted that he will continue to support education across the Trust in his new Trustee role, and we wish him every success as he takes on this exciting opportunity.

We are also pleased to announce that Mrs Sharon Reason has been appointed as the new Chair of the Local School Advisory Committee. Sharon is already a valued member of the committee, and we look forward to working closely with her as she leads the LSAC in supporting the continued development and success of our school.

Please join us in thanking Simon for his outstanding service and in welcoming Sharon to her new role.

Teams4u Shoebox Appeal

We are pleased to let you know that once again, our school is taking part in the Teams4U Shoebox Appeal, a wonderful initiative that brings joy and practical support to children and families in need across Eastern Europe and beyond.

If you would like to get involved, you can request a shoebox and donation envelope from the school office. These will help guide you through what to include and how to support the project.

How it works:

- Fill a shoebox with a selection of small gifts and essential items such as toiletries, stationery, toys, sweets (non-chocolate), and warm accessories like hats and gloves.
- Each box is then sent to children and families who may be living in poverty, orphanages, or challenging circumstances.
- Your donation helps cover the cost of transport and distribution, ensuring your box reaches someone who truly needs it.

This is a fantastic opportunity to make a real difference in someone's life this Christmas. Thank you in advance for your kindness and generosity.



Presentation Champions



At Frisby, we hold high expectations for all our pupils. We believe that excellent presentation is crucial for academic success. By acknowledging and rewarding students who excel in presentation, we emphasize the importance of striving for excellence in every aspect of their education.

Class 1 – Arthur Reilly
Class 2 – Lyla Matthews
Class 3 – Violet Holmes
Class 4 – Georgia Whelband

We would also like to celebrate those pupils who have shown significant improvement in their presentation this week. Their hard work, perseverance and commitment to improving their work habits are commendable, and we encourage them to continue striving for their personal best. A special mention goes to: Rafe Robinson, Eli Nugent, Milo Underwood and Eli Temple



Frisby School Values Certificates



This half term's school value is 'Being Aspirational'. Well done to the following children who have been awarded a values certificate in today's Collective Worship:

Class 1 – Arthur has engaged with new friends in the classroom and been a fantastic role model to his peers. He is a lovely member of Class 1 and is thriving in his lessons especially Phonics and Maths. Well done!

Class 2 – Alex demonstrates a positive attitude towards his learning and consistently approaches tasks with enthusiasm. He has shown particular

strength in phonics, listening carefully and contributing confidently during lessons.

Class 3 – Isla consistently shows fantastic aspiration by always giving her very best and approaching every challenge with enthusiasm and determination! She has produced some outstanding work in English, impressing us with her creativity and use of ambitious vocabulary to bring her writing to life. Her enthusiasm, hard work and willingness to challenge herself truly shine through. Keep up the incredible work!

Class 4 – Olivia is a true role model of Frisby. She is aspirational in all that she does, trying to be the very best version of herself. She constantly impresses me with her conscientious attitude and her want to find out how she can be and do even better than she has done before. Well done Olivia – we are all very proud of you. Keep up the great work and attitude.

Important Dates

To help families stay informed and plan ahead, we include in our newsletter a list of key dates and events that are taking place this term. We encourage all parents and carers to check this section regularly, as dates may occasionally change and additional events may be added throughout the term. We will continue to update this section as new opportunities and activities are confirmed, so please keep an eye on future newsletters and school communications for the most up-to-date information.

IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 29th September – 2.00pm – SEND Coffee Afternoon at St Thomas Church (parents/carers are welcome)

Tuesday 29th September – 2.30pm – Phonics meeting for parents of children in Class 1

Monday 5th October – 11.00am – 2.30pm – Class 4 out at Y5/6 Mixed Football Tournament

Thursday 8th October- 9.30am – Open session for prospective parents for a September 2027 start

Thursday 8th October – time TBC – Class 2 out at Little Springers Gymnastics Festival

Friday 9th October – Hello Yellow Mental Health Awareness Day – wear something yellow to school

Saturday 10th October – 10.00am – Melton & Belvoir Primary Schools Cross Country @ Long Field
 Spencer Academy
 Monday 12th October -Village Scarecrow Walk
 Tuesday 13th October – 3.40pm – 7.00pm – Parents Evening
 Wednesday 14th October- 9.30am – Open session for prospective parents for a September 2027 start
 Wednesday 14th October – 3.40pm – 6.30pm – Parents Evening
 Thursday 15th October – 9.30am – Harvest Service at St Thomas Church (parents/carers are welcome). Parents/carers of Class 1 are invited to remain in church for tea/coffee and cake afterwards.
 Friday 16th October – INSET Day – School is closed to pupils
 w/c Monday 19th October – Half Term
 Monday 26th October – School reopens for pupils
 Tuesday 3rd November – Sky concert
 Tuesday 10th November – Visit from Life Education
 Friday 13th November – Individual school photos
 Friday 13th November – Children in Need – bake sale @ 3.30pm in the school hall
 Monday 16th November – Road Safety Education Week
 Monday 16th November – Anti-bullying Week
 Wednesday 25th November – 3.30pm – Kathryn Saunby Festive Pottery Painting
 Friday 4th December – am – Santa Fun Run in aid of Rainbows
 Friday 4th December – 3.30pm – 5.30pm – Christmas Carnival
 Monday 7th December – 2.30pm – Class 1/Class 2 Nativity performance to parents/carers
 Wednesday 9th December – 9.30am - Class 1/Class 2 Nativity performance to parents/carers
 Wednesday 9th December – 5.00pm – 6.00pm – Key Stage 1 Disco
 Wednesday 9th December – 6.15pm – 7.15pm – Key Stage 2 Disco
 w/c Monday 14th December – Bikeability – Class 4
 Thursday 17th December – School Christmas Dinner Day
 Friday 18th December – 9.30am – Christmas Service at St Thomas Church (parents/carers are welcome). Parents/carers of Class 2 are invited to remain in church for tea/coffee and cake afterwards.
 Friday 18th December – 3.30pm – School closes for Christmas break
 Monday 4th January 2027 – 8.50am – School reopens to pupils

Growing with hope; serving with compassion; transforming with humility.

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TICKETS AVAILABLE AT EVENTBRITE, HOSE SCHOOL, HOSE POST OFFICE & SQUIRREL STORES

SEND Coffee Afternoon



Tuesday 29th September
2pm, St Thomas' Church, Frisby

A chance for parents and carers to meet, chat and share experiences in a welcoming, supportive environment. Whether you have questions about SEND provision, would like to connect with other families, or simply fancy a cuppa and a chat, you are very welcome.

No question is too big or too small — just come along!

Mrs Williams