




Newsletter 24.10.25

Dear Parents/Carers

As we head into a well-deserved half-term break, we wanted to share some of the wonderful things that have been happening at school and let you know about some exciting events coming up!

 **Harvest Festival – A Joyful Celebration!**

Our recent Harvest Festival was a truly heartwarming event. It was wonderful to see so many children taking part – more than ever before! Thank you to everyone who contributed food items as well as those who joined us in celebrating this special time of year. Your generosity and support are always appreciated.

Girls' Football – Flying the Friskney Flag!

It was a privilege to take our Year 5/6 girls to the recent football event. They played with determination, teamwork, and great sportsmanship – truly embodying our school values. Well done girls!

Farm School – Thank You for Your Understanding

We'd like to thank you all for your understanding regarding the **cancellation of Farm School** this week. This was the first time we've had to cancel a session, but with yellow weather warnings in place, the safety of our children had to come first.

Friends of Friskney update

A huge thank you to everyone who took part in the **Weight of the Marrow Competition** – it was a fabulous success and brought lots of smiles!

The Friends of Friskney are now busy preparing for our much-anticipated **Bingo Night on Thursday 14th November**. If you have any additional prizes to donate, please drop them off at the school reception. We'd love to see as many of you there as possible – if last year is anything to go by, it promises to be a fantastic evening!

Open Day – Spread the Word!

We're excited to welcome prospective families to our second **Open Day on Monday 17th November**. Please do spread the word to anyone who may be interested in joining our wonderful school community. A copy of our flyer with the QR code to register interest is below.

Primary school applications open on the 17th November. Parents/Guardians can apply online at <https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-admissions/apply-school/> or phone 01522 782030 and make an application over the phone.

Remembrance Service

We will be holding our annual **Remembrance Service on Tuesday 11th November at 10:45am** by the **War Memorial**. Parents and friends are warmly invited to join us as we honour and remember those who have served. The final day to purchase a poppy will be Monday 10th November before and after school.

Autumn/Winter Lunch Menu

You should have received the new Autumn/Winter lunch menu, which will begin after the half-term break. **Booking is now live via MCAS.** A copy of the menu is included below, along with some photos of meals from this week.

Parents Evening

Parents Evening will take place the **first week back after half term – 12th November.**

This year, you will be able to book your own time slot as bookings can be made through the parents evening section on the MCAS app (see picture below). Please note that slots are available on a first come first served basis. The booking system will be open from 9am on Monday 27th October and will close on Monday 11th November at 6pm. If you have any issues please email enquiries@friskney.laat.co.uk and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

Love in Action: Jackie's Marathon for Children

On 14 December 2025, our incredible CEO, Jackie Waters-Dewhurst, will be lacing up her trainers in Honolulu, Hawaii, to take on her first ever marathon — at the age of 62!

Jackie is running to raise vital funds for the Love As Action – Together Fund, a transformative initiative by LAAT that helps remove financial barriers to learning for children across our schools. From providing essentials to enabling full participation in school life, the fund is already making a meaningful difference — and Jackie's marathon is set to amplify that impact.

What makes this challenge truly remarkable is Jackie's personal journey. In her own words, she “never even ran as a child, hated PE, and only took up running briefly 10 years ago before quickly giving it up.” Now, she's embracing the Jeffing method — a structured run/walk approach — to make this endurance feat achievable.

The Honolulu Marathon is one of the few in the world with no cut-off time, welcoming every participant to finish at their own pace. This ethos of inclusion and equity mirrors LAAT's core values — and the stunning views from the volcanic course are a bonus!

Importantly, every penny raised will go directly to the Love As Action – Together Fund. Jackie's journey is not just about the miles — it's about showing love in action and ensuring every child has the chance to thrive.

Let's cheer Jackie on and help her make a lasting difference. If you would like to donate please visit the just giving page [here](#).

Children in Need - 14.11.25

We are raising money for Children in Need. Our children in school are completing 'Challenge 25' and are looking at completing our challenges over the week. If you would like to support us and donate please use the link below:

[Tina Wood is fundraising for BBC Children in Need](#)

It is a **non uniform day on the 14th November** and anyone that makes a donation through the link will be entered in to a draw to win the Pudsey teddy bear pictured below.

Teaching Assistant Vacancies

We currently have **two Teaching Assistant positions** available at Friskney Primary School. If you or someone you know is interested in joining our dedicated and friendly team, please contact the school office for more information or visit the trust website [here](#) for more details and how to apply.

We hope everyone enjoys a restful and refreshing half-term break. We look forward to welcoming all our pupils back to school on **Monday 10th November**.

Take care and God bless,

Mrs Wood

Headteacher

Teaching Assistant (Fixed Term) x 2 vacancies



SALARY

Grade 3, Point 6 – 9, £24,796 - £25,989 FTE
£17,273.61 - £18,104.69 (Pro rata)

HOURS

30 hours per week
39 weeks per year (Term time plus inset days)
Monday to Friday 8:30 – 3:00 with a 30-minute unpaid break each day

START DATE

As soon as possible – 28th April 2027

LOCATION

Friskney All Saints Church of England Primary School

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Tuesday 11th November 2025 (noon)

INTERVIEWS

W/C Monday 24th November 2025 (Times TBC)

For an informal discussion about the role, or to arrange a visit, please contact Friskney All Saints Church of England Primary School on enquiries@friskney.laat.co.uk or on 01745 820324

Please go to [My Trust Careers](#) to apply



RECEPTION OPEN MORNING



We are holding an open morning for children due to start school in September 2026:

17th November 10-11am

To book in, or to look round at another time, complete the form using the QR code below or give us a call.

Not in our catchment area? We are able to accept children from beyond our area.

CHOOSE US FOR:

A 'warm and welcoming school'*

An ambitious curriculum

Breakfast and after school club


Small class sizes

Our Farm School

*Ofsted July 2024



MORE INFORMATION

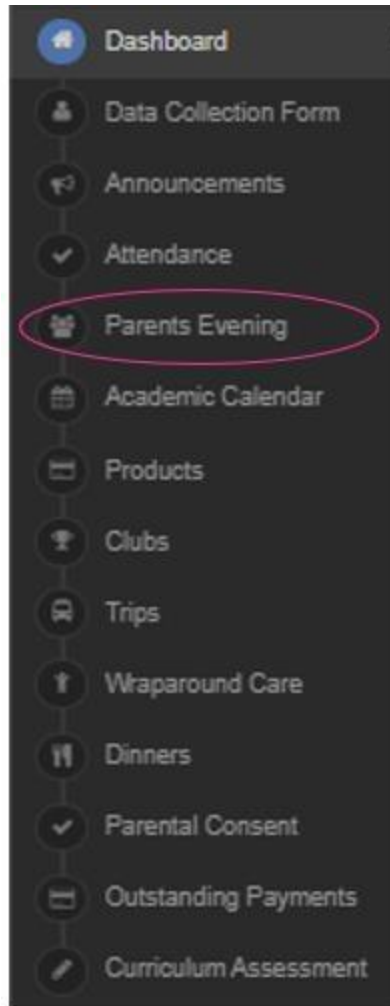
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www.friskneyprimary.co.uk 

enquiries@friskney.laat.co.uk 

To register for our open day:
Scan the QR code OR ring/email the office for more information





Final Poms Totals of the term: Well done to the **Yellow team**. Clear winners this term. You will all receive your reward after half term.

Red -

Term total - 682

Blue -

Term total - 560

Green -

Term total - 553

Yellow -

Term total - 719

Dates This Term

Start of term two: Monday 10th November 2025

10.11.25 - Flu Vaccinations for children with parental consent.

11.11.25 - Remembrance service - 10.45am at the War Memorial - Friends, family and the wider community are welcome to join us.

12.11.25 - Parents Evening - Booking available on MCAS from 9am Monday 27th Oct - 6pm
Monday 11th Nov

13.11.25 - Year 5/6 Farm School - Children to be dropped at the Askefield project between 8.30-9am and collected between 2.30-3pm

14.11.25 - Children in need - see information above.

14.11.25 - Friends of Friskney Bingo night

16.11.25 - Christmas fair at the village hall. KS2 choir to sing. Times TBC

17.11.25 - Open morning - 10-11am for children and families due to start reception in Sep 2026

20.11.25 - Year 3/4 Farm School - Children to be dropped at the Askefield project between 8.30-9am and collected between 2.30-3pm

24.11.25 - Reverend Fiona in school to speak to Y3/4 about Communion

26.11.25 - Y3/4 to attend the Friskney Congregation in the Communion service 9am. All friends and family are welcome to join us.

27.11.25 - Reception/Y1/Y2 Farm School - Children to be dropped at the Askefield project between 8.30-9am and collected between 2.30-3pm

Clubs for Term Two

Our after school club has a theme from 3pm - 4.15pm. To reserve a place and pay for the club, please log into MCAS. If you require the extended provision until 5.30pm this is also available to book via MCAS and will consist of the themed first session then a less structured second session.

Monday

Computing Club - all ages

Tuesday

Games night - all ages

Dodgeball– Year 2-6 - **A FREE CLUB RUN BY JB SPORTS. We ask that a commitment is made for the whole half term**

Wednesday

Film club – all ages.

Thursday

Art and Craft Club - all ages

Brass group (Trombones and Trumpets) - Y5/6

Friday

Drama group - all ages

Lunches - NEW MENU!

| Autumn Winter 2025/2026 | | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| WEEK ONE | Option One | Plant Balls in Tomato Sauce with Rice | Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread | Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy | Chicken Korma With Rice | Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce |
| | Option Two | Vegan Burger in a Bun with Potato Wedges | Autumn Vegetable Lasagne | Vegetarian Wellington with Roast Potatoes and Gravy | NEW BBQ Vegan Sausage Pasta with Garlic Bread | Cheese and Bean Pasta with Chips and Tomato Sauce |
| | Vegetables | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day |
| | Dessert | Savoury Cheese Scone | NEW Apple Crumb Cake with Custard | Fruit Medley | Jelly with Mandarins | Syrup Sponge with Custard |
| WEEK TWO | Option One | Classic Cheese and Tomato Pasta with Wedges | Spaghetti Bolognese | CHICKEN SHACK BBQ Chicken or Quorn with Seasoned Potatoes and Sweetcorn Salad | Minced Beef Pie | Breaded Fish or Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce |
| | Option Two | Mild Mexican Chili with Rice | Vegan Spaghetti Bolognese | | Creamy Chickpea and Coconut Curry with Rice | Pasta Station: Pasta with toppings: Cheese, Sweetcorn, Tomatoes, Cucumber |
| | Vegetables | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day |
| | Dessert | NEW Gingerbread Cookie | Chocolate Brownie with Chocolate Sauce | Fruit Salad | Sticky Toffee Apple Crumble with Custard | Vanilla Shortbread |
| WEEK THREE | Option One | Cookie Macaroni Cheese | NEW Baked Chicken Wrap with Paprika Wedges | Sausage with Roast Potatoes and Gravy | Mild Caribbean Chicken with Golden Rice | Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce |
| | Option Two | Tomato Pasta | Cheese Whirl with Paprika Wedges | Vegan Sausage and Roast Potatoes with Gravy | Caribbean Stew with Wholegrain Rice | Red Pepper Frittata with Chips & Tomato Sauce |
| | Vegetables | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day | Vegetables of the Day |
| | Dessert | Oaty Cookie | Pear Crumble with Custard | Fruit Salad | NEW Jamaican Ginger Cake with Custard | Comflake Tart |
| MENU KEY | | Added Plant Protein | Wholemeal | Vegan | Chef's Special | |
| <p>Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings - Bread freshly baked on site daily- Dairy salad selection - Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt</p> <p>ALLERGY INFORMATION: If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.</p> | | | | | | |
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The Week In Pictures:

Harvest Festival:











Girls Football Development Day:





Poppy Appeal:



Community News

FRISKNEY
FRIENDS

W2H

Our Wellbeing Hubs provide a safe and supportive space for those experiencing mental health and wellbeing challenges.

We can signpost you to other services in the local area, help you build social networks and develop the knowledge and skills to manage your mental health and improve your wellbeing.

Friskney Wellbeing Hub

Friskney Wellbeing Hub is working in partnership with Friskney Friends to provide a safe place for people to meet, socialise & talk.

Tuesdays 1 till 3pm
First Tuesday of the month we will host a community meal.
1 course meal, tea & coffee - £2 per person

Funds raised will ensure Friskney Friends becomes a self sufficient local group.

For more information and updates, find us on Facebook or speak to our Community Connectors on WhatsApp
07493 266569 (Skegness) or 07901 211220 (Spilsby)

H.A.Y. helps people find local resources for mental health and wellbeing. www.hayfincolnshire.co.uk

NHS Lincolnshire
Lincolnshire *Working for a better future*
Lincolnshire Community Mental Health & Wellbeing Transformation
H.A.Y. Lincolnshire

**Leverton Leisure
Centre**

Upcoming Events

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| SEP 20 SATURDAY 2PM TILL 4PM <i>Roller Skating</i> | SEP 27 SATURDAY 7PM TILL 9PM <i>Wrestling for families and adults</i> | OCT 18 SATURDAY 2PM TILL 4PM <i>Roller Skating</i> |
| NOV 01 SATURDAY 6PM TILL 9PM <i>Halloween</i> | NOV 15 SATURDAY 2PM TILL 4PM <i>Roller Skating</i> | DEC 06 SATURDAY 2PM TILL 5PM <i>Children Christmas party</i> |
| DEC 31 WEDNESDAY 8PM TILL 1AM <i>New years eve families and adults party</i> | 2026 JAN 24 SATURDAY 2PM TILL 4PM <i>Roller Skating</i> | |

@reallygreatsite



Important Information

Due to its popularity, this is a **BOOKABLE** luncheon

To Book

Email
info@friskneyfriends.co.uk

Contact Diana
07854 680804

or **prebook** at a previous luncheon.

Christmas with Friskney Primary School Choir



2nd December 2025

Friskney Village Hall, Church Road, PE22 8RD

info@friskneyfriends.co.uk



2 course luncheon
(mains & desert)
£6.50 p.p.
12.30pm

MENU

Traditional Christmas Dinner
or Traditional Nut Roast

Traditional Christmas Pudding

Supported by



1 - KS2 children will be singing at the community lunch even in December. Everyone is welcome to come and join us.

BAR

FOOD

THE FRISKNEY VILLAGE SHOW

HALLOWEEN BINGO

DOORS OPEN 6.30PM SPOOKY EYES DOWN 7.30PM

FRIDAY



31ST OCTOBER

PRIZES FOR BEST FANCY DRESS
ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED
BY AN ADULT
PRIZE RAFFLE
STAND-UP BINGO WITH A CASH PRIZE

FOOD BY
JO'S TASTY BAPS

HALL BAR
OPEN



FRISKNEY VILLAGE HALL PE22 8RD



CHRISTMAS CRAFT AND GIFT FAIR

FRISKNEY VILLAGE HALL

STALL HOLDERS APPLY
NOW!

Limited to 22 tables @ £10 (supplied)

Sunday 16th NOVEMBER

2025

WIDE VARIETY OF CRAFTS
AND GIFTS

REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE
ALL DAY

ALL PROCEEDS TO VILLAGE HALL- REG CHARITY NO 510408

APPLICATIONS TO
TERSWOOD@GMAIL.COM



FRISKNEY WI

Friday 7th November

Friskney Village Hall

Doors open 18:30


Eyes down 19:30

Lots of lovely prizes!

BINGO!


**Swifts JFC U10s girls football
& Wildcats**

**BE PART
OF THE
TEAM!**



**FOOTBALL TRAINING
FOR GIRLS AGED 5-11**

- ⚽ Girls' Football – Fun, Friendly & Safe!
- Where girls grow in confidence – Fun, Friendly, Safe Football!
- Join the team! Fun, Friendly, Safe girls' football sessions.
- Football for girls – all about fun, friendship & feeling safe.
- Learn, play, and smile – girls' football that's fun, friendly, and safe!



**SWIFTS JFC
SKEGNESS GRAMMAR SCHOOL
6:30PM-7:30PM
£3 PER SESSION**

Reminders

- **PE days this term: Nursery and Reception - Monday and Friday. Years 1/2 - Monday and Friday. Years 3/4 - Tuesday and Wednesday. Years 5/6 - Tuesday and Friday**
- **Please ensure that all school meals are booked via MCAS by Wednesday for the following week.**
- **If you require before or after school care, we do run a breakfast club from 07:45am – 08:30am for a cost of £3. Our core after-school club runs from 3:00pm – 4:15pm at a cost of £5 (Discount for those in receipt of Pupil Premium or Young Carers). If you require our EXTENDED after school club, it is an additional £3 for the provision from 4.15-5.30pm. All MUST be booked via MCAS as we are unable to put these on via the office. If you would like any more information about either of these, please feel free to contact the school office.**
- **If your child has a Doctors/Dentist appointment can you please show us the appointment letter or card so this can be put with your child's records. If you have**

been sent a text message for the appointment, please can you screen shot this and email it to enquiries@friskney.laat.co.uk.

- **Childcare choices:** Don't miss out on getting the support you are entitled to. Visit the Childcare Choices website, linked below, to check what offer you might be eligible for. <https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>
- **Nursery funding:** To get your 30 hour code for funded nursery places, please visit www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/fundedchildcare
- **Parking at school:** Can parents/carers please ensure that they are not parking both sides of the road as it is dangerous when tractors/buses etc are trying to drive through. If you are able to, please can you consider parking in the Village Hall car park, which will alleviate the problem. Thank you.
- If you have changed address or Telephone number recently, or if you would like to add another contact, can you please advise the office.
- If you or your child have a worry, our 'Worry Button' is always available on our website. Click [HERE](#) to take a look.

This Week's Bible Quote: **Matthew 22:39**

'And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbour as yourself.'

Contact Us

If you need to get in contact, the school office is open from 8.15-3.15 Monday-Friday.

Friskney All Saints C of E Primary

Church End

Friskney

01754 820324

Email: enquiries@friskney.laat.co.uk

Website: www.friskneyprimary.co.uk

Facebook: [friskney all saints c of e primary](#)

How are you going to use the Friskney 5 this week?

The Friskney 5



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