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Dear Parents

Happy new year to you all and welcome back to a brand new term at Friars. It has been fantastic seeing all the children again and they have wasted no time getting stuck in with their new learning this week. We have also had a number of new children and families join the school and so we would like to welcome them too!

Free parenting course:

There is a parenting course running this term that is free of charge and open to all parents. Please see Miss Bridges if you would like a leaflet and more information.

It is called Strengthening Families, Strengthening Communities Parenting Programme

Venue : Time and Talents 2, opposite Tesco, Surrey Quays Shopping Centre, Redriff Road, SE16 7LL

Day: Wednesday's for 13 weeks during term time. Time 11am-2pm

St John's Waterloo family fest:

On Saturday 19th January from 12-4pm, St Johns will be having a family festival which will enable you to have a tour of the church, see regeneration plans and meet the staff. There will be popcorn, candy floss, face painting, bouncy castle and arts and crafts. All are welcome and it's all free!

Spring term curriculum:

You should all have had the spring 1 2019 parent curriculum information leaflets sent home by today. They are also posted on the class pages of the website.

Children's learning at Friars:

Y2 have started reading "Yeti and the Bird" and wrote letters of advice to the yeti to help him learn how to make friends with people. The class also had a mysterious visit from a yeti. Or did they...?

Dear	Yeti,
	Thank you for your letter. I am writing to you
to help you make some friends. Here is what you should do.	
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When	they are hurt
and	make them laugh
by tel	ing some zokes and
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them	smile and look after
them	when they are in
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Dates for the Spring term

New items in red

Monday 14th January - children in Y2/3/4 being assessed for CHILL project

Tuesday 15th January—parent coffee morning; Y3 start swimming

Thursday 17th January—16 children from Y3/4 to athletics tournament

Friday 18th January—Y5 to the Ragged school **Thursday 24th January**—Y5 to watch Twelfth Night at Southwark Playhouse

Tuesday 29th January—Y5 parent IMPACT workshop 9-10

Thursday 31st January— 16 children from Y2 to athletics tournament

Friday 1st February— 9 children from Y5/6 to Hi5 netball tournament

Monday 4th February— parent open morning 9:10—10

Tuesday 5th February—safer internet day **Wednesday 6th February**—Y1 parent IMPACT workshop 9-10

Thursday 7th February—Y6 to TFL junior citizenship course

Friday 15th February—last day of Spring 1 Monday 25th February—first day of Spring 2 Week beginning 25th February—Maths week Tuesday 5th March—final Y3 swimming session; Y5 to Into university

Thursday 7th March—World Book day Tuesday 12th March—Y2 start swimming;

Spring term parent consultations

Wednesday 13th March—spring term parent consultations

Thursday 14th March—parent coffee morning 9-9:30

Monday 18th March—Y5 to Dreamtime tales at Cadogan Hall

Wednesday 20th March—YN parent IMPACT workshop 9-10





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Paper copies of our safeguarding policy are available for parents from the school office. It is also posted on the policies section of the website.

