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St. William's Weekly News Round

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HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE BOARD

Fundraising for a school Prayer Garden

Please come and join us at St. William's Church, this Sunday, **7th July 2019** at the 10.30am Mass. Afterwards, in the parish hall, there will be refreshments and a cake stall raffle as part of our fundraising for the development of the Prayer Garden. **Children, please come along and wear your school uniform with pride!** We are grateful to Fr. Michael and the Parish Community for supporting us in this way and I would also like to thank those of you, who have so generously donated cakes for the sale. Thank you, in anticipation of your attendance and support.

Sacrament of Confirmation for baptised Catholic Pupils in Year 6 September 2019

Parents and carers, if your son or daughter is a baptised Catholic and will be in Year 6 in September please see either Fr. Michael or Miss Parker to enrol your child in the sacramental programme. Preparation Classes will start in September and the Sacrament of Confirmation Celebration will be in December 2019. This is a significant step in your child's faith journey and we would not want any of our young people to miss out! If you prefer to contact Fr. Michael directly, the telephone number is 01274 542534.

Polite Reminders

I am extremely PROUD of all our pupils at St. William's and accept our children grow very quickly; however it is important that the children look like they belong to St. William's School and dress in the correct uniform! Black school shoes need to be worn every day and if children are growing out of jumpers the office staff have plenty of uniform stock ready for the new term.

Book bags are £6.00 and also available to buy from Mr Gadd. We do not have the space to store larger, rucksacks in school and that is why we want all our pupils to carry these for their reading record and books. P.E. kits should be kept in school for each half term and the children do not have to carry these to and from school. Black shorts and white T-shirts and pumps should be worn for P.E. If you have any queries regarding uniform and book bags, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Y6 Joseph's Coat of Many Colours

Year 6 pupils and staff have been working really hard on their end of year production, 'Joseph's Coat of Many Colours'. I have seen children acting, heard wonderful singing and I am confident that we will all be overwhelmed by their impressive performance! There will be two performances on Friday, 12th July and letters have been sent to the Year 6 parents/carers as we would like to offer them priority tickets. We must adhere to Health & Safety regulations and we are restricted to numbers in the hall but if we have any additional availability we will offer this to other parents. We hope to see as many of you, as possible, at either the 9.45am or the 6pm Performances.

Dates for your diary:

Reception Parents' Stay and Play every Wednesday, 8.45-9.15am All Welcome!	
08/07/19	Year 1 Visit Yorkshire Wildlife Park.
09/07/19	Opticians visit each class to discuss the importance of healthy eyes!
10/07/19	Y3 to come to school dressed as a Pirate for Pirate Day.
11/07/19	Year 2 Visit The Deep
11/07/19	Oral Hygiene Team visit each class.
12/07/19	End of term production for Y6 Parents 9am Bagels & Croissants, Refreshments in dining hall 9.45am Performance Pupils stay after school – Pizza & social time 6pm Performance
14/07/19	10.30am Mass of Remembrance at St William's Church for the anniversary of Mrs Austin's passing.
15/07/19	Whole School Leavers' Mass 10.30am at St. William's Church – All welcome!
18/07/19	Circus Skills afternoon for our 100% attendees.
18/07/19	Children visit new classes and meet their new teacher for September 2019 9-10.40am
19/07/19	9am Y6 Leavers' Assembly & Attendance Awards 100% Attendance for the year - prize draw for £150 food vouchers 3.15pm school closes Y6 Leavers' Party in Parish Hall 4pm-6pm.
03/09/19	8.50am School re-opens

Attendance & Punctuality

Give your child the best start in life – every school day counts! Be in the line for ten to nine!



This week's Trophy Winners!

Class	%	Number of Lates per class	Time lost through lateness
Reception	88.6	2	3hrs 33mins
Y1	98.1	1	8mins
Y2	92.6	1	15mins
Y3	97.8	3	40mins
Y4	94.3	1	45mins
Y5	95.2	0	0
Y6	94.3	2	1hr 35mins
Overall school %	94.4		

If your child achieves 100% attendance your family will be entered into a prize draw to win £50 shopping vouchers for the term! If you have 100% attendance for two terms your family will be entered into a prize draw to win £150 shopping vouchers! If you have more than one child with 100% then you will receive two or more chances of winning the prizes!

Calendar Dates!

Please check and make a note of relevant events for your child, which are on the front of today's newsletter. It is a very busy time in school and I know many of you are also very busy. Pupils have received their end of year reports today. All parents have the opportunity to discuss this with their child's class teacher and I would like as many response slips, from parents and carers by **Wednesday, 17th July 2019**. If you return this completed slip your child's name will be entered in a raffle prize draw! Thank you, in anticipation of your support.

One Britain, One Nation Day!

Pupils thoroughly enjoyed their Celebration Assembly, last Friday for OBON Day. Here are a selection of photographs of the models each class produced, please ask at the office if you would to see them in school.



Congratulations...Bravo...Well done!!!



Golden Table Winners:

This week these pupils have demonstrated outstanding behaviour during every lunchtime: **Kathrine, Lena, Nina, Wiktorina, Kamil, Ayaan** On Monday, they will be on the Golden V.I.P. Table and will receive a prize for their exemplary behaviour. What wonderful role models you are, for all our pupils!



Class teachers' Achievement Awards:

Congratulations to these fabulous award winners: **Eva, Alan, Cassidy, Aronas, Ruby, Sahil, Nikola, Kevins, Sahil, Aminah, Leon, Tomas, Madeeha, Laraib**



Year 4 Prefects this week did a wonderful job **Sehrish, Gabriela, Pavol, Sahil, Austeja, Bethany, Miguel, Mikail, Daniela, Eurika, Aminah, Oliwia, Hawwa, Funmilayo.**



