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## St. William's Weekly News Round

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#### Parent Consultations

Thank you to all parents who attended Parents' Consultations this week and completed our questionnaire, information will be compiled and results will be issued in due course. If you were unable to make it to the parent consultations, please speak to your child's class teacher after the break to make an appointment, as this is a good opportunity look at their work and the progress they have made this half term. Prize Raffle Draw for children whose parents completed a questionnaire will be drawn Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> November.

#### Salts Mill



Lime class enjoyed their visit to Salts Mill this week, where they were introduced to David Hockney's work. The children drew copies of the pictures and were impressed by the items they saw. Thank you to Mr Daly and Mrs Lang for sparing your time to come with us, the

children enjoyed your company.

#### Judaism Visitor – Mr Grizzard



Visited each class to share his own faith story. The children were fascinated with the artefacts he presented. Mr Grizzard



enjoyed his time in our school, he said, 'The children at St. William's School are amazing'. We are very proud of the

knowledge you all shared with Mr Grizzard and the thoughtful questions that you asked him.



#### Poppy Appeal

After the half-term holiday, poppies will be available in school. All donations will go to the charity, The British Legion, which provides lifelong support to serving and ex-serving military personnel and their families. On 11th November we remember those who lost their lives serving in the armed services in

all conflicts; from the beginning of the First World War up to the present day. We give thanks for the freedom and peace we enjoy today and pray for those still suffering in war-torn countries.

#### Dates for your diary:

**Achievement Assembly every Friday, 2.45pm in the school hall.**

<b>07.11.19</b>	Visitor for Y5 & Y6 from the Peace Museum to talk 'Poppies, Remembrance and War Horses'.
<b>08.11.19</b>	Flu Immunisations for Rec – Y6
<b>20.11.19</b>	2.50pm Fluoride team meet with Parents for consent to apply application. Ash & Oak
<b>28.11.19</b>	9am Fluoride Application Ash & Oak
<b>05.11.19</b>	KS2 Music Concert

School re-opens on **Tuesday 5 November 2019.**

'Be in the line for the ten to nine!'

**Breakfast Club** opens every day at 8am, 50p per child per day. A lovely way to start the day!

***Wishing all our pupils and their families an enjoyable half-term break. BE SAFE at Halloween & Bonfire Night!***

***Remember, the clocks go back one hour, 27/10/19, at 2am in the morning.***

**Warning: No Holidays in Term Time** Please book holidays for when school is closed. To make it easier and fairer for parents, this year we have arranged our holidays schedule so we have two weeks at Spring Bank (25/05/20 - 08/06/20) when bargain holidays may be available. We do not authorise any holidays in term time **and fines will be issued for taking your child/children out of school during term time.**

**Safeguarding Children**

**Attendance and Punctuality** – Parents/carers must contact school on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of their child’s absence. Staff from school **MUST** conduct home visits, as part of safeguarding procedures, after several days’ absence; even if parents have notified school because we have a **statutory duty of care** to check that pupils are safe. It is the law for all pupils to attend school every day and arriving on time for the 8.50am school bell is an essential life skill needed for the world of work.

**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
Ash	86.4	5	37mins
Oak	80.7	6	2hrs 51mins
Pine	79.6	3	34mins
Beech	92.5	5	55mins
Lime	88.5	3	28mins
Holly	95.0	2	31mins
<b>Overall school %</b>	<b>86.8</b>		

**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 more than one child with 100% then you will receive two or more chances of winning the prizes!**

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



**Hot Chocolate Friday!**

Congratulation to the children who have gone ‘above and beyond’ this week: **Amelia, Katrin, Aronas, Mia, Hashim, Lena, Zain, Dominik, Logan, Hamza, Kamil and Arvin.** Well done for always following our school rules and modelling our core virtues.

**Golden Table Winners: Eesah, Ralph, Umayma, Sofia, Logan and Samuel.** These pupils have demonstrated outstanding behaviour during lunchtimes. On Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> Nov, they will be on the Golden V.I.P. Table and will receive a prize for their exemplary behaviour. Keep this up!

**Class teachers’ Achievement Awards:**

**Jeremiah, Vivienne, Aronas, Konrad, Hashim, Iylah, Shanel, Sofia, Pavol, Umme-Haani, Sasa and Armani.**

**Year 4 Prefects** this week did a wonderful job **Zain, Sofia, Patryk, Nina, Femisola and Hassan.**

**After School Clubs:**

If your child would like to attend an afterschool club, please complete the relevant forms sent home. The clubs are based on age appropriateness and places are filled when completed slips are returned.

**Monday 3.30pm – 4.30pm Minecraft** Ash, Oak, Pine, Beech, Lime and Holly

**Monday 3.30pm – 5.00pm Cooking** Lime and Holly

**Monday 3.30pm – 4.30pm Football** - Beech, Lime and Holly

**Tuesday 3.30pm – 4.30pm Choir** Pine, Beech, Lime and Holly

**Tuesday 3.30pm – 4.30pm Science** Beech, Lime and Holly

**Tuesday 3.15pm – 4.00pm Jiggle & Wiggle** Ash and Oak

**Wednesday 3.30pm – 4.30pm Martial Arts** Beech, Lime and Holly

**Thursday 3.30pm -4.30pm Arts/Crafts** Ash, Oak, Pine, Beech, Lime and Holly

**Thursday 3.30pm -4.30pm Dance** - Beech, Lime and Holly

**Thursday 3.30pm -5.00pm Cooking** Lime and Holly