

William Fletcher School

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year and a warm welcome back to school.

Our school value for the month of January is generosity. The children will be thinking about this at the start of the term in relation to the school benefactor William Fletcher who our school is named after. William Fletcher donated a sum of money to pay for a school, which was originally on Church Lane. We celebrate this annually at the beginning of January. Key stage 2 children will be taking part in our Founders' Day service at the church in Yarnton on Monday and as requested by William Fletcher all of the children will be given a small fruit cake to eat (very kindly supplied again this year by Mrs Perkins).

Our school building work is progressing and we are hoping the building will be handed over to the school in the next couple of weeks. We are very pleased to have the school car park back. Please be aware the car park is for staff use only and should not be used by parents when dropping off or collecting children (this includes dropping off for breakfast club).

Next week we will be sending home curriculum maps and class letters please do look out for these in your child's book bag.

Best wishes

Deborah Nind & the William Fletcher team

<p>Our assembly theme for the month of January is Generosity</p>

Celebration of achievements

This week Alex and Mason C in Year 5 have been awarded their Bronze merit arrows. Aliya in Year 5 has been awarded her Silver merit arrow. Well done to them for successfully completing a range of tasks and activities to a high standard to be awarded their arrow badges.

Congratulations to the following child who has reached her 125 nights of reading at home: Flossie in Sky Larks. Congratulations to the following children who have reached their 100 nights of reading at home: Luke, Lizzie, Libby, Lillie-Ella, Samantha, Aliya and Karena in Sky Larks. Phoebe, Maya, Lily, Niamh and Eliza in Red Kites. Abby and Bella in Kingfishers. Charlie, Iris and Max F in Swallows. Congratulations to the following children who have reached their 75 nights of reading at home: Alice in Sky Larks. Mia in Kingfishers. Orla in Swallows. Congratulations to the following children who have reached their 50 nights of reading at home: Callan in Owls. Edgar in Kingfishers.

Cleaners Required

Carillion are looking for two cleaners at William Fletcher School. The position is for 10 hours a week (negotiable), Monday to Friday. Hours of work: 3.30pm to 5.30pm approximately. Term time plus 4 weeks exclusive of holiday at £7.20 per hour. Experience is desirable but not essential, as training will be provided. The successful candidate will be subject to CRB checks. For more information and an application form please contact Tracy on 07736 498 699.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club runs every day from 07:30 – 08:45. The children enjoy a range of breakfast cereals, fruit juices, yoghurts and toast, followed by the opportunity to play indoor games. The cost is £3.50 per child starting at 07.30 and £3.00 per child starting at 08:00. If you would like your children to take part in breakfast club please see the staff in the office.

Music Lessons with World Beats Music

Does your son or daughter want to learn to play drum kit or guitar? We are now enrolling new students to start lessons. Please visit www.worldbeatsmusic.co.uk and follow the link to enrol your child for instrumental lessons!

Email Newsletter

If you would like the newsletter emailed to you every week, can you please email Mrs Morris at office.2354@william-fletcher.oxon.sch.uk and your details will be added to the email list. Our newsletters can also be viewed online at <http://www.william-fletcher.oxon.sch.uk> and on the William Fletcher Primary School App.

Forthcoming Dates

January

06.01.17 Eagle Class Swimming begins
09.01.17 Founders Day Service
26.01.17 Year 5 & 6 Boccia

February

03.02.17 School Disco
06.02.17 Parent/Teacher discussions
07.02.17 Parent/Teacher discussions
08.02.17 Parent/Teacher discussions
09.02.17 Year 6 Junior Citizen
09.02.17 Year 5 & 6 Indoor Athletics
10.02.17 **End of Term 3**
20.02.17 **Start of Term 4**
24.02.17 Red Kite Swimming begins

March

02.03.17 Netball Tournament
22.03.17 Year 5 & 6 Tag Rugby
23.03.17 Years 1-6 Gymnastics
29.03.17 School Games

William Fletcher School Term Dates 2016/2017

Term 3

Thursday 5th January to Friday 10th February
Tuesday 3rd January INSET Day
Wednesday 4th January INSET Day

Term 4

Monday 20th February to Friday 7th April

Term 5

Monday 24th April to Friday 26th May

Term 6

Tuesday 6th June to Friday 21st July
Monday 5th June INSET Day