

William Penn Newsletter 4th July 2017

School Class Photographs

Mr Rice is very kindly coming in to school on Thursday morning of this week to take class photos. Please ensure that your child is wearing their correct school uniform for the photographs – thank you.

Reports and Parents' Consultations

School reports are due out on Friday of this week and will arrive electronically during the school day. Parents' Consultation appointments (Tuesday 11th and 13th July) to discuss the reports can be booked online from Thursday 6th July at 6.30am.

Book Sale – A Message from George Cartner (JBB)

George Cartner would like to thank everyone who bought a book at his book sale last week. He is pleased that a grand total of £45.64 will be donated to Cancer Research UK.

Parents' Assembly

Please be reminded that this term, Parents' Assembly will take place this Friday afternoon and will begin at 2.15pm. You are very welcome to join us in celebrating some of the work that the children have done.

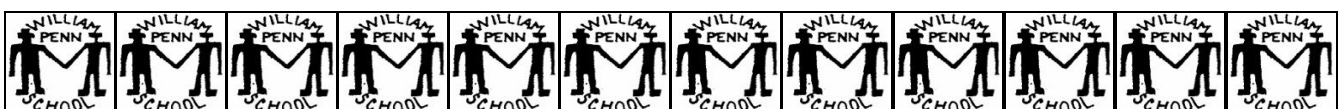
Tower Building

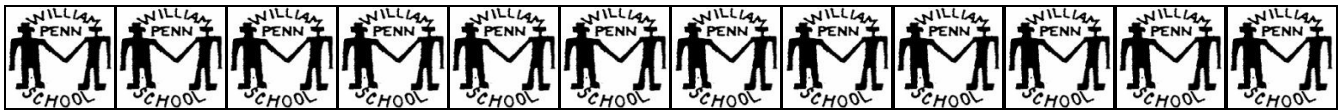
Last week, William Penn pupils had a fantastic time building tower structures. The children were very busy building in all classes using their maths skills of measuring, number and problem solving with lots of testing. Congratulations go to Max Roman, Charlie Bamsey and Josh Bernardi who took part in the Weald Primary school's tower building competition on Friday. Their structure was very sturdy and they came joint third.



Governor News

We are very pleased to welcome Sue Johnston to our Governing Body. Sue is a Quaker Foundation Governor and takes the place of Colin Hope whose term of office comes to an end at the end of this year. We would like to thank Colin for all his dedication and hard work and for bringing his financial knowledge to the school. We





are also saying goodbye to Mrs Kirstie Flood and would like to thank her too, in particular for her tireless efforts towards fundraising for the new build.

Summer Barbecue

Summer BBQ
Saturday 22nd July 2017
4:00pm – 7:30pm
Live Band – T-Slammers
BBQ – Bar – Bouncy Castles
Children's Entertainer

Please join us for a fun afternoon to celebrate the new classroom and the children of William Penn School, past and present. Tickets are available at the school office. In addition, **Mrs Claire Ritchie will be selling tickets on the playground after school tonight and on Friday 7th July.**

Safeguarding Update

Whilst we realise that children at William Penn are too young to be using Snapchat, it is possible that you have older children at home that may be.

Snapchat have launched a new feature called Snapmap. Snapmap allows your friends to see your exact location on a map. The new feature is causing a lot of concern in the media, because Snapchat is so popular with young people. If the correct settings are not enabled a user's location will be visible to anyone.

You can read more, and find out how to make sure this feature is switched off at:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-40382876>

Pupil Achievements

If you have any pupil achievements that you would like mentioned in the newsletter, please e-mail the office:

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