



William Penn Newsletter 5th January 2017

Happy New Year

On behalf of everyone at William Penn, we wish you a happy and peaceful new year.

Special Theme Lunch Menu – Tuesday 17th January



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Please see the accompanying poster about the special menu on Tuesday 17th January. We would respectfully ask that all children in Cadbury and Fox Classes (Year R,1,2) sample/have a hot meal on this day as the amount that the school pays for school lunches over time will be set according to take up on this day. A low take up will cost the school a great deal of money which we cannot then spend on resources and children's learning. Key Stage 2 pupils are very welcome to order the meal in the usual way.

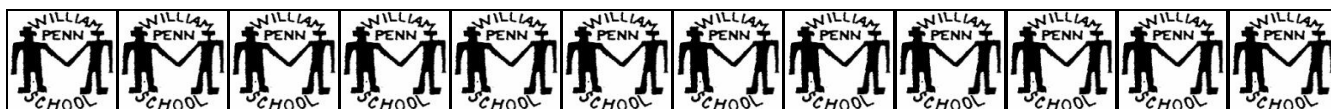
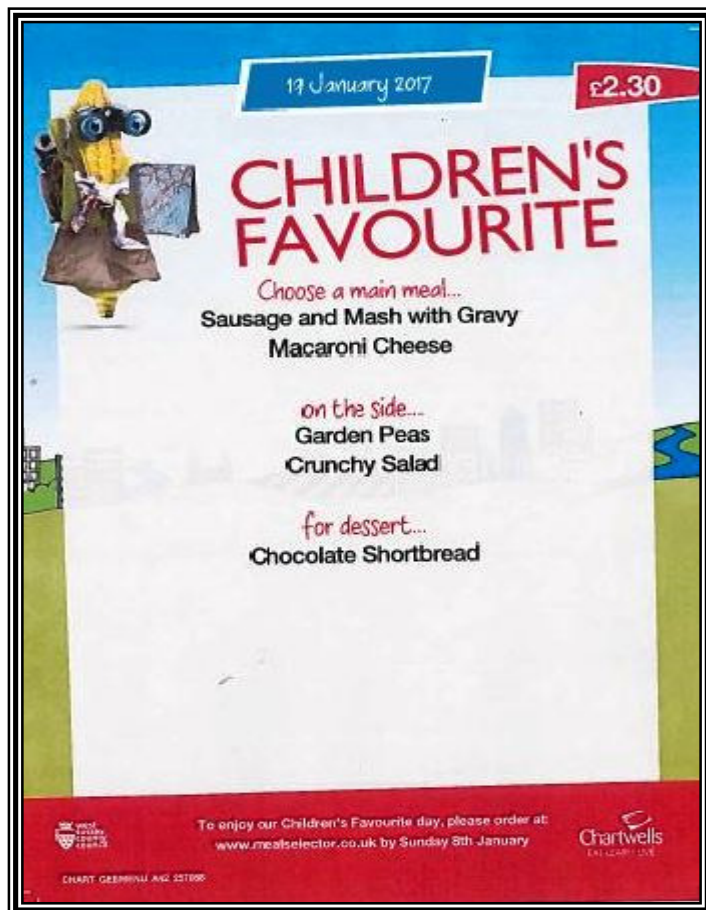
School Clubs

Thank you to those parents that have booked places for before and after school clubs for this term. We have several clubs which need more children in order to run this term and these are listed below. As clubs begin next week we will need to notify providers and parents tomorrow if there are clubs which are not viable. If you haven't yet responded but intend to, please do so by tomorrow morning at the latest. Thank you

Fencing (Thurs before school) – 10 more children needed to run the club
Multi Skills (Tuesday after school) – spaces available
Tag Rugby (Monday after school) – 5 more children needed to run the club
Art (Tuesday after school) – 5 more children needed to run the club
Multiskills (Tuesday before school) – spaces available
Clay (Wednesday after school) – 3 spaces available
Football (Thursday after school) – 7 more children needed to run the club
Green Club (Monday after school) – spaces available
Dance Club (Wednesday after school) – Key Stage 1 and 2 – spaces available

The drama club is no longer running as Mrs Esser is unavailable. If you have any contacts for a drama club, please let us know.

Mr Hooper is unable to run a chess club this term but may be available for next term.





Dates List

January 2017	
3 rd	Spring Term commences
February 2017	
14 th and 16 th	Parent Consultation Evenings 3.15pm-6pm (with Book Fair)
17 th	INSET Day – school closed to pupils
20 th – 24 th inclusive	Half term
27 th	INSET Day – school closed to pupils
March 2017	
9 th	Open Day for parents to visit school
w/o 13 th TBC	Year 6 Cycling Proficiency 'Bikeability'
31 st	Parents' Assembly 2.15pm
April 2017	
7 th	Last day of Spring Term
10 th – 21 st April inclusive	Easter Holiday
24 th	Summer Term commences
May 2017	
1 st	Bank Holiday
w/o 8 th TBC	Test Week for Years 5&6
26 th	May Day Celebration 1.30pm
29 th – 2 nd June inclusive	Half term
June 2017	
9 th	May Day Celebration Rain Off 1.30pm
14 th	Open Day for parents to visit school
14 th	Welcome Meeting for new parents 7pm
15 th (pm) and 20 th (am)	New intake taster sessions and school transition times
TBC	School Fete
23 rd	Sports Day 10am
26 th	INSET Day – school closed to pupils
30 th	Sports Day Rain Off 10am
July 2017	
7 th	Parents' Assembly / PTA Assembly at 2.15pm
7 th	Annual Pupil Reports to Parents
11 th and 13 th	Parent Consultation Evenings 3.15pm-6pm
TBC	Years 2 and 6 Visit to the Blue Idol
25 th	William Penn End of Year Leavers' Assembly
25 th	End of Term

Poster for Peace Competition



The Billingshurst Lions want you to design a poster promoting peace in the world

The theme is 'My Peaceful World'.

The best poster in each class will win a £10 token to be spent in WH Smith, plus a certificate. The runner-up in each class will get a certificate, too.

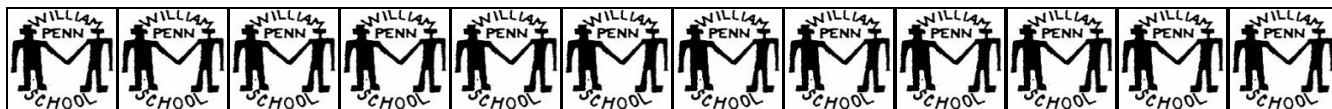
The best poster from each class will also be sent to the South East Headquarters of the Lions Club, where it will be entered for another competition. The prizes will be:

1st - a £30 art voucher + £100 for the School

2nd - a £25 art voucher + £50 for the School

3rd - a £20 art voucher + £50 for the School





What you need to do:

Design a poster promoting peace in the world

Do it on paper or card no larger than A3 and no smaller than A4

Make sure you put your name, class, year group and school on the back of the poster - *which must not be folded*

When you need to do it by:

Your poster must be handed in at School by Thursday the 9th of March, 2017

Pupil Achievements

Congratulations to Elizabeth Toogood who has attained her Stage 3 swimming badge. Well done.

If you have any pupil achievements that you would like mentioned in the newsletter, please e-mail the office:
office@williampenn.w-sussex.sch.uk

