William Gilpin Church of England VA Primary School

Fortnightly Bulletin-Jan 15th

"The greatest oak was once an acorn that held its ground"

http://www.williamgilpin.hants.sch.uk/

I don't know about you but the holidays already feel like a distant memory and I feel we are all very much back in the swing of things! Plus I have heard great feedback on the bulletin and am very pleased parents have found it useful. Mrs Kennedy

Well done to Year 6

Year 6 students began their morning booster sessions last week and were here bright and early and almost bushy tailed! They have got their heads down and are demonstrating a real focus and determination. Well done!

Lunch change

Thursday and Fridays lunch choices will be swapped this week, please make sure your children know about this.

FROWGS meeting

There will be a FROWGS meeting at the Red Lion, Boldre at 7.30pm on the 17th January. We will be discussing future events and money raised so far. We would love to see as many parents as possible in attendance.

Bag 2 School

FROWGS have once again organised a 'Bag 2 School' event in which unwanted textiles can be donated to raise funds for William Gilpin. The bags will be collected on the 27th January and we ask that you bring your bags on this day to the community kitchen or office. Please do not bring bags any sooner as we do not have room to store them all in the meantime. At the same time we ask for any donations of second hand school uniform or good quality toys and games in separate bags. You can find further information on http://uk.bag2school.com. We hope this not only supports the school but also helps families achieve some much needed space at home!

Dates for the fortnight

Tues 17th Jan ~ Oak Class trip (Mosque)

Wed 18th Jan ~ Celebration Worship : Headteacher Awards

Fri 20th Jan ~ Forest School

12.00-1.30pm Y3/4

1.30-3.00pm Y5/6

Wed 25th Jan ~ Family Worship

~ Oak Class trip (New Forest Wildlife)

Fri 27th Jan ~ Forest School

12.00-1.30pm Y1/2

1.30-3.00pm Y5/6

Creative Ninja needs a more creative name!

As the children and staff have raised on several occasions, this Ninja's name does not match her cause! I am opening a renaming competition to close on the 31st January. Children can collect an entry sheet from the office. I look forward to hearing far more creative ideas than mine. Here is a description of Creative Ninja to support their thinking -

Creative Ninja is able to make links in her learning. She tackles challenges with the right resources and makes the most of new information. She finds patterns and imagines 'What if?'