



## WEEKLY NEWS Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2018

### Message from the Headteacher

In Monday's assembly children enjoyed telling me about their half term holiday and the changes they had noticed in the seasons; we thought about the autumn festivals that people celebrate- Harvest and Diwali. Thank you to parents who supported their children with their family homework; I was extremely impressed by the quality of children's home learning. During Friday's assembly children shared their family homework concentrating on presentation skills- speaking with clear and loud voices.



### Star of the Week



#### Zachariah Yr 1

I was chosen to be **Star of the Week** because I am good; and I was doing good maths.

My parents said well done!

### Attendance

Nursery -100%

Reception -99%

Yr 1—99%

Yr 2— 100%

Yr 3— 100 %

Yr 4— 100%

Yr 5—100%

Yr 6—99 %

Well done to Nursery, Yr2,3,4,5—100%

What fantastic attendance!!

### Nursery and Reception Admissions

Open events:

**Tue 13th Nov 10:00 Open Morning**  
EYFS (new parents)

**Wed 14th Nov 16:30 Open Afternoon**  
EYFS (new parents)

### Meeting with the Mayor

Five local headteachers met with the THs Mayor John Biggs and two of his officers this week. We shared our concerns for anti-social behaviour in the locality. We have invited John Fortune, a THs officer, to arrange a meeting with parents to hear your views.

### Health Club Coffee Morning

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> November 9am**

Come to a discussion session with a healthy diet adviser about what healthy food is. Parents can share their favourite healthy snacks, tips and recipes to start a William Davis -Health Club Recipe book.

### Made of Money

#### Budgeting Course for Parents

#### Made of Money sessions

(8 parents) Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> November 9:00-11:00 am  
See Annika or Charlotte or Fateha if you are interested.

### WD Play Afterschool Care

To book a place contact Frida on [admin@williamdavis.towerhamlets.sch.uk](mailto:admin@williamdavis.towerhamlets.sch.uk)

Wb 29.10.18:Diwali

### New Charge for Rise and Shine

Please note the new charges for Rise and Shine at **£1/ session** (8:00-8:30) for all parents who are not Pupil Premium. This will start wb 29<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

### Gorsefield

Year 6 have had an excellent week at Gorsefield his week. Children have visited Stansted Mountfitchet Castle and a local farm; they have taken part in forest school activities, archery, cycling and orienteering. Thank you to Yr 6 parents for supporting this residential.

### Year 4 Residential

William Davis has been offered the possibility of a Yr 4 residential to an Iron Age camp for one night in July. We will be sending a letter to Yr 4 parents very soon.

### Important Dates

**Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Nov** 9am Healthy Eating session – parents coffee morning- all welcome

**Thur 8<sup>th</sup> Nov + following 3 Thursdays**-9:00-11:00 Made of Money sessions ( 8 parents)

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**Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 16:30** Open Afternoon EYFS (new parents)

**Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 9am** Fluoride Treatment mtg for parents N, R, Yr1

**Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Dec** Winter Fayre

**Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Dec**- KS2 concert pm

**Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Dec**- EYFS+ KS1 concert pm

**Fri 21st Dec 2018** School finishes

**Mon 24th Dec- Fri 4th Jan 2019** Christmas holiday

**Mon 7th Jan 2019** School starts

**Mon 18th Fri 22nd Feb 2019**-Half term holiday

**Fri 5th April 2019** -School finishes

**Mon 8th April to Mon 22nd April 2019**  
Easter holidays

**Tue 23rd April 2019** School starts

**Mon 27th -Fri 31st May 2019** Half term holiday

**Fri 19th July 2019** School finishes

### Dress-up Warm

Please make sure that your child comes to school with appropriate outdoor clothing: shoes, coats, hats and gloves. It is a lot colder this week.