



William Austin Wizards

South America	Nasheedul	Safa
Asia	Jana	Younus
Europe	Mariam	Talha
Africa	Safwan	Aysha
North America	Ibrahim	Zoya
Van Gogh	Mohammad	Aayan
Picasso	Zahyan	Samya
Monet	Rabia	Ghazi
O'Keeffe	Nadir	Aizah
Hepworth	Yacoub	Maira
Mars	Maryam	Ebaad
Venus	Ardam	Hanna
Neptune	Idrees	Munira
Jupiter	Ishaq	Mariya
Saturn	Zain	Sarim
Goodall	Alayna	Zara
Curie	Armghan	Abtahi
Newton	Yasmine	Uzma
Hawking	Sabaat	Mohsim
Einstein	Roohan	Eman



Attendance

The class with the highest attendance is:

Picasso
96.5%



Book Fair - Top 5 Library Loan

- 1 - Diary of a Wimpy Kid - Double Down by Jeff Kinney
- 2 - Harry Potter & the Prisoner of Azkaban by JK Rowling
- 3 - Midnight Gang by David Walliams
- 4 - DogZombies Rule by Liz Pichon
- 5 - Tom Gates - Epic Adventure by Liz Pichon



Cool Website

Have you ever seen funbrain.com? One visit and you'll be there for ages sifting through the fun online books, learning games and cool videos. It has plenty of stuff to hold your interest no matter what age you are so give it a try!

Summer Holiday Activities:

FAMILY PHOTO SHOOT (£5 non refundable deposit required) 23rd July 2017 - 10:00am—12:00pm

SOUTHALL SHOPPING Trip - Fully Booked - 24th July 2018

ART and CRAFT Workshop - 26th July 2018

FAMILY PICNIC @ WILLEN LAKE - 25th July 2018

Football with Mr Elliott - 27th July 2018

Spaces are limited. Please pop into the Family Centre to book Or call 01582 509121



Dear families

Welcome to this week's edition of Junior News Express.

I would like to announce the results of our competition to name our guinea pigs. Fudge is the brown one and Thunder is the White one. All staff and pupils voted after the pupils sent in nominations for the names. They are getting used to their new home in the Family Centre. You may have seen them in their outside pen eating the grass. Lots of pupils have already had the opportunity to visit them - they like a cuddle!



Thank you to all the staff who have organised our Sports Days this week - everyone had a great time. I hope you were able to come down and watch your child taking part. Well done to all the pupils who entered the different events - I saw so many medals! Results are as follows: Y3 Icknield, Y4 Chiltern and Y5 Lea. We will know the results of the Y6 sports day later on today.

I hope you enjoyed our Summer Fete last Friday. It was a lovely afternoon - perfect fete weather! Each class designed their own stall and what a variety we had. We managed to raise around £1500 for our school. Thank you to all the staff who helped the pupils run their stalls, we all had a great afternoon. Well done to the JLT supported by Miss Bridgland who organised the day.

We are sad to say goodbye to Mrs Fayoyin today as she leaves us to take on a new role in charity work. We will miss her.

It is transition day next week. The Y6 pupils will be spending time in their new high schools. The rest of the pupils will meet their new teacher on the morning of Thursday 5th July. It is an exciting time. The pupils have all worked really hard this year and we are proud of them.

We are looking forward to our special Behaviour reward day - this year with a carnival theme. Class teachers will nominate twenty pupils to take part in the day and we have a carnival arts specialist coming into school to work with the pupils. We are looking forward to seeing all the creative art they produce. I know that the pupils will have a fantastic day.

Enjoy your weekend.

Mrs Adams

Summer Fete

The Summer Fete was fun. The stalls had toys, sweets, drinks and had games to play. I enjoyed the cricket bowling session because I was born to play cricket. I helped the JLT sell ice lollies, and we were very busy because it was a hot and sunny day. The fete raised over £1500 for the school, and everyone had a good time. *Sarim (JLT)*

Drowning Prevention

I really enjoyed listening to the special assembly about drowning prevention. I learnt many things I didn't already know. I learnt that on the beach there are 3 flags to look out for to show you when and where it is safe to swim. *Naima (Neptune)*

Upcoming Events:

5th July - Common Transfer Day- Year 6 to High School

6th July - Common transfer Day- Denbigh high school

9th July - Carnival Arts Day-Selected children

11th July - Sports for All Day

13th July - Summer Music concert for parents

FAMILY CENTRE NEWS

Dear Families,

A huge **THANK YOU** to all our wonderful Mums who came and helped us prepare, cook and serve food at our summer fete. Without their help it would not have been possible. As the warm weather continues please remember to provide your child with a hat, water bottle and apply appropriate sun cream.

Welcome to our new school pet guinea pigs named **Fudge and Thunder**. These little creatures are loved by the children and enjoy all the fuss they are receiving. We kindly ask whilst waiting for your children you do not allow your younger children to stick their fingers through the cage or poke with bits of sticks. Please sit on chairs provided and enjoy!



Khalil (North America)

The next day Scarlett awoke to dawn and motion her mother was by her side her eyes were swollen from crying she could have sworn she heard her father coughing. What was all this commotion about? She then remembered what day it was. "Oh... Happy Birthday dear," her mother said solemnly when she realised her daughter had woken up. "Yes mother, I know what day it is." The Queen forced a smile as a bear rolled down her cheek. For the rest of the day Scarlett was unusually quiet. When she arrived at school Lilly came running up to her. "Your 16th birthday... the potion!" she panted. "What potion?" she asked confused. "I told the dark sorcerer about everything. Drink every drop of it and you won't die!" exclaimed her friend happily. Scarlett hugged her friend tightly; tears of joy rolled down her cheek. Without warning a quarter of the potion fell on Lilly's face; she spluttered on it trying not to swallow it. "Drink the rest of the potion, Scarlett. It might still work," yelled Lilly. She died as she was holding snarling down the potion.

Maryam (Mars)



Aribah, Hameeda & Humna (Newton)

If you are not receiving texts from the school, please contact the school office to update your contact details.



Ruhama (Van Gogh)

Year 4 Tower of London

On Tuesday 19th June, we went to visit the Tower of London. We came to school really early, at 8am. We left school at 8.15am. It took a long time to get to there. The first thing we did was see the Crown jewels because there was no queue. There were crowns, swords, maces and orbs of gold! We saw the ceremony of when Queen Elizabeth became queen. We explored the 900 year old castle, including the Salt tower and Traitors gate. Our guide in costume took us to prison cells where the prisoners had messages written on the walls. He told us stories of famous prisoners and escapes. The beast exhibition was amazing, some of the animals kept at the palace were lions, monkeys, snakes and even a polar bear! We saw soldiers in different uniforms guarding the gate to the crown jewels. There were ravens at the tower that don't fly away. After we left the tower, we walked along the river Thames back to our coach. We were really lucky to have a tour of London, we saw The Shard, Big Ben, and Houses of Parliament, The Gherkin and The London eye. We had a fantastic time. *Subhan (Hepworth)*

Year 3 Natural History Museum

On Tuesday 26th June South America & Africa went to the Natural History Museum. We went on a coach and it took us 2 hours to get to London. When we arrived we had to wait for the line to go down and then we went in. As soon as I went in I wanted to go everywhere but I had to stay with my group. After we had organised everything a woman came and led us into a room. First we talked about spectacular fossils and compared them with rocks and shells. After that we took brushes and opened a box. We had to be palaeontologists. After we went to the dinosaur section. We looked at them for a short time, then we went to see a mechanical T-Rex! Sadly after that we had to go. What a wonderful time we had. *Hashim (South America)*

Cheerleading Competition

In the morning we set off to Bedford, as soon as we arrived we walked to the field in time for the welcoming ceremony. After the ceremony we went back to the coach to go to the actual competition. We were competing against many schools. Our first category was the pom dance and then our stunt dance. I think it went really well as we had a lot of team work and we were confident. We saw other schools dances and we were really shocked as they had big lifts and jumps. It was a really fun day! *Inaya (Picasso)*
We entered a stunt and pom routine. There were many schools. It was fun to watch other peoples routines, they did pyramids, flips and many more. I really enjoyed it. *Fareeha (Einstein)*

Year 3

Year 3 have thoroughly enjoyed the last fortnight. Each class has contributed to a successful summer fair and sports day. Thank you to everyone who came or donated. On Tuesday and Thursday the children went to the Natural History Museum and had a wonderful time learning about fossils and dinosaurs at one of the most famous museums in England. Please discuss the trip with your children to help them with their learning log. The website is excellent. *Regards, Year 3 team*

Year 4

Year 4 have had an exciting couple of weeks continuing their learning and they have really impressed their teachers showing a growth mind set attitude when tackling their final assessments for the year. The trip to the Tower of London provided the children with a valuable insight and we received compliments on the behaviour of our children. The children were industrious organising our stalls this week for the summer fair and Eid celebrations. Please continue to support reading and discussing vocabulary. Many thanks, *Mrs Chowdhury and the Year 4 Team.*

Year 5

Year 5 have worked extremely hard this week with their subverted fairy tales and have gone on to produce their own story books. The children are now eager to start another new learning journey with the Shang Dynasty and Chinese Cinderella. Please do encourage the children to find out more about Chinese culture and heritage. Please do hear your children read daily - we thank you for your continuous support.

Mrs Hussain and the Year 5 Team

Year 6

The Year 6 children have had a busy couple of weeks enjoying a variety of activities. These have included a whole day's activities on problem solving which took place out on the field, working in teams; orienteering and a rugby coach comes to school every week, teaching them rugby skills. So we are making the most of the beautiful weather. As part of the textiles project they have been learning new sewing skills and designing their own creative pieces. As well as this, the children are practising for their leavers' assembly which will take place on Thursday 19th July at 9:15am to which you are all invited. Don't forget, next Thursday 5th July your child will not come to William Austin Junior school, they will go to their prospective high school for the day, and some children will do the same on Friday 6th July as well (depending on the high school).

Mrs Nye and the Year 6 Team