



## LOOKING FORWARD TO...

Good, actually no, great things are coming to Salisbury. We are looking forward to Arts Week which started on Monday with a bang and Years 2, 3, 5 and 6 going out on Art trips. Tuesday was the turn of Years 1 and 4. Our Early Years pupils will have extra art sessions in the Greenspace. This term, Mr Bunting will be launching Singing Playgrounds and we will tell you more about that in the next newsletter. After half-term, we will be introducing 'Keeping Safe Week' which will coincide with Anti-Bullying Week.

We are grateful for the support from Clare, one of our Y1 parent volunteers and QPARA for their hard work to improve the air quality in our playground by installing a pollution eating wall of ivy along our perimeter fence. Like I said, there are lots of great things happening and we are only in October!



## THE DAILY MILE

The Daily Mile has got off to a fantastic start! Well done to those who have taken part, including some of our fantastic parents. We have launched our 10 week challenge; each morning during soft start we will be encouraging as many students, parents and staff, from any year level, to complete laps around the large court, counting how many laps they complete.

This will then be recorded daily, by students or teachers (depending on their year group). At the end of the week, each student's weekly total will be counted and recorded, including the class weekly total. Each week we will be displaying the 'Class of the Week' and the 'Student of the Week', who completed the most laps that week.

## ATTENDANCE

We currently have **97.0% attendance** which is bang on our school target! Well done!

	<b>Best Attendance</b>	
<b>w/c 17/09/2018</b>	<b>w/c 24/09/2018</b>	<b>Year to date</b>
Amethyst 98.9%	Amethyst 97.0%	Aquamarine 97.1%
Sardonyx 97.7%	Aquamarine 98.5%	Azurite 97.1%
Sunstone 97.9%	Azurite 97.9%	Sunstone 97.1%
Moonstone 98.3%	<b>Malachite 99.0%</b>	Malachite 98.1%
<b>Malachite 99.0%</b>	Morganite 98.7%	Morganite 97.1%
Morganite 99.3%	Onyx 97.7%	<b>Onyx 98.9%</b>
<b>Onyx 99.3%</b>	Obsidian 97.3%	Obsidian 97.0%
Tanzanite 97.8%	Topaz 97.6%	Turquoise 97.1%
Turquoise 97.3%	<b>Jade 99.3%</b>	Topaz 97.7%
<b>Topaz 99.9%</b>	Jasper 97.1%	<b>Jasper 98.1%</b>
Jade 97.3%		<b>Jade 98.1%</b>
Jet 97.8%		

## ARTS WEEK

Arts Week is this week! This year's theme is "Land Art". All the children will be visiting a London park to collect leaves, sticks, stones, acorns etc and hunt for any sculptures that might be in the park. They will bring their nature treasures back to school to create wonderful art works to go up around the school and we will hopefully create beautiful photographs to go on panels for our school gates early next year.

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## COFFEE MORNINGS

Coffee morning have got off to a great start. Last week, we had David Hodge in to talk about the opportunity to visit Gambia and our partner school Mbollet-ba. This Friday, we have **Prevent Educational Officer, Jennifer Nichols-Dunbar** leading our **Prevent coffee morning** workshop from **9am** in the **canteen**. Workshops planned until half-term are:

- **12th October: Introduction to KIRFs, led by Mrs Hussain**
- **19th October: KS1 Reading, led by Mr Staples and Mrs Linkletter**

## FANTASTIC LINING UP

Our winners this week for their Fantastic Lining Up are:

<b>Y1:</b>	<b>Amethyst</b>	<b>Y2:</b>	<b>Sardonyx</b>	<b>Y3:</b>	<b>Malachite</b>
<b>Y4:</b>	<b>Onyx</b>	<b>Y5:</b>	<b>Topaz</b>	<b>Y6:</b>	<b>Jet</b>

## INTERNATIONAL WEEK

After the success of last year's International Week and International Evening's events, we had a hard act to follow. Pupils enjoyed learning about different continents and shared their learning through wonderful displays. As always, there was delicious food and entertainment. We would like to thank FOSS for all their amazing work and brilliant organisation and to Beverley for the wonderful singing from New Voices and Mr Bunting and Y5's showcasing their Ukulele talents.



## STEVE MCQUEEN & TATE YEAR 3 PROJECT

We are so excited to be involved in a very exciting photographic project with prize-winning artist and Oscar-winning filmmaker Steve McQueen, together with Tate Britain, Artangel and A New Direction. A portrait of an entire age group of Londoners, capturing tens of thousands of Year 3 school children from across the capital. Over the next nine months, each and every one of London's 2,410 primary schools with Year 3 pupils is invited to have those classes specially photographed for the project, with the resulting artwork going on display at Tate Britain and around London in Autumn 2019. As an Ambassador School, we have been chosen as one of the first schools to take part, our Year 3's photos will take place in mid October. All parents will be informed well in advance, as we will need to get permission for all those taking part.



## GAMBIA AND OUR GLOBAL SCHOOL

The nine years of partnership since 2009 between Salusbury and Mbollet-ba schools has seen us support them with fundraising to put water and toilets on site, and set up exchanges to improve teaching. We have also created a food garden to help provide school meals. In 2018 we donated over 400 pairs of shoes. And there have been plenty of exciting visits by many Salusbury staff and families. [www.ourglobalschool.org](http://www.ourglobalschool.org) The visits usually take place during the February half-term holidays, if you or your family are interested in visiting this academic year, please get in touch with Miss Armstrong via the school office.

## KEY DATES

**Autumn 1**

**Term 2018**

W/C 1st October:  
Arts Week

4th October: Jasper  
Assembly

11th October: Jade  
Assembly

12th October:  
Harvest Festival

18th October:  
Malachite Assembly

19th October:  
Last day of Autumn  
1 Half Term

29th October 2018:  
Pupils back to  
school