



# William Gilbert Endowed

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## Primary School

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## NEWSLETTER

8<sup>th</sup> March 2007

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Dear Parents

### **Derbyshire Cricket Selection**

Congratulations to Jacob Bullock and Matthew Goodacre who have been selected to play for the Derbyshire County Cricket Boys Under 11 team. Well done boys, we are very proud of you and wish you much success.

### **5-aside Football**

Before half term our 5-aside football team won the Derby Evening Telegraph Amber Valley 5-aside competition.

The school was represented by an excellent team – Alex Robey, Jacob Bullock, Matthew Goodacre, Toby Hooker, Christy Watson, Kyle Nicholson and Robert Collins.

On Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March the team are playing in the regional finals at the Harvey Haddon Sports Centre, Bilborough. This has meant we have had to adjust the Parents Evening dates. If you would like to purchase tickets (£1 each) to support the football team please contact Mrs Stevenson in Year 6.

### **Parents Evening**

Due to our successful football team playing in the regional finals on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March it has been necessary to adjust the forthcoming Parents Consultation evenings. These will now be held on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March. A separate letter contains further information.

### **Open Day**

Our planned Open Day is going to clash with a transition day at Ecclesbourne so we are rescheduling the Open Day to Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

Open Day is going to have a different format this year and we will write nearer the time with further details.

### **PTA News**

A profit in excess of £12,000 from the Crystals & Cufflinks Ball has been reported by the PTA. Thank you once again to all those who worked tirelessly to make the evening so successful and to everyone for their contributions.

Please note that the PTA AGM will be held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April at 8.00 p.m. at school.

### **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March**

William Gilbert's new Headteacher takes over on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March. All letters and queries should be addressed to Mr Hamish Carmichael-Smith via his Personal Assistants, Mrs Matthews and Miss Stanfield.

Please remember the details sent in separate letters for other events happening on 16<sup>th</sup> March. Mother's Day gifts are on sale, it is a non-uniform day for a donation of £1 and there is a fundraising sale commencing at 2.30 p.m.

### **Retirement of Mrs Wint (Kitchen)**

Please give generously to a retirement collection for Mrs Wint who leaves the school at the end of this term after cooking and serving lunches for 13 years. We would greatly appreciate your support. Please send any donations directly to the school office or via your child's teacher.

Yours sincerely

S J Whyld  
Headteacher

