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This Week's Shooting Stars



Dinesh	Showing wonderful enthusiasm during addition work
Vidya	Always working to the best of her ability
Yunqing	Rising to every challenge
Brooklyn	Really challenging herself in Maths. Keep it up!
Cameron	Great effort in home learning
Omy	Great contribution in science
Lara	Being kind to her friends

Golden Tea

Golden Tea is an opportunity for your children to show Dr Walak their books and talk about the pieces of work they are most proud of whilst enjoying juice and cake. This week, the following children were chosen at random to enjoy Golden Tea -

Amira A

Tre

Ommy

Adam K

** Dates for your Diary **

17th October:	A Magistrate will be coming to school to talk to Form 6 about British Law
4th November:	11+ Saturday School begins – no charge
20th November:	Assessment Week
1st December:	St Martin's School will be performing at the 'switch on' of the Mill Hill Christmas Lights
12th December:	Christmas Concert at Hartley Hall – 5.30pm
13th December:	Christmas Lunch / A travelling Pantomime will be visiting our school!
15th December:	FoSMS Christmas Party from 2.30pm – 4.30pm at Hartley Hall

More details to come!

Please do 'like' our Facebook page or follow us on Twitter. There are regular posts showing what your children have been learning and also provides important reminders. If you are not on social media, you can still stay up to date by checking our website which now includes a live feed.

Further to parental request we will be running a winter camp from 2nd to 5th January inclusive. Your child can do as many or as few days as is convenient for you. This camp will be run and managed by Mrs Ya-acov Hai. If you would like your child to participate please speak to Mrs Jacobs who has the booking forms. Do try to book by 15th November to take advantage of our 'Early Bird' discounted price.

Diwali Please make a note in your child's link book if you need to be absent from school to celebrate Diwali. Any absence due to religious observance is always granted and will not affect your child's attendance record.

We would love your feedback about after school clubs provision. Are there any clubs you would particularly like to see? Which clubs have your children particularly enjoyed? Please let us know!

Please remember to bring in a change of clothes and the appropriate footwear for Street Dance, Football and Rugby after school clubs. PE Kit may of course be worn. Thank you

We love welcoming parents and grandparents into school on a Friday morning to watch their children's assemblies. They begin at 9am and end at 9.20am approx. No need to RSVP, please come along!

Form 3: Friday 20th October

Form 6: Friday 3rd November

Form 4: Friday 10th November

Form 2: Friday 17th November

Form 1: Friday 24th November

Reception: Friday 1st December

After half term, please remember winter uniform will become compulsory. Please ensure all items of clothing are clearly labelled so they can be returned if misplaced. We currently have a lot of uniform items which have been donated after children have grown out of them. They are available for a small donation to our school charity fund. Please let us know if you need anything.

Kids Competition Time Wednesday, 11th October was 'International Day of the Girl Child'. This day aims to highlight and address the needs and challenges girls face around the world, while promoting girls' empowerment and fulfilment of their human rights. Let us know about a girl who has inspired you – a friend, a family member, somebody you have read about in the newspaper or someone from history; write about them or draw them... let us know how they have inspired you. Give your entries to Mrs Wilson or email them to competitions@stmartinmillhill.co.uk. The winners will be announced and prizes given at our celebration assembly on Friday 3rd November. Good Luck!

Autumn Term 2017

Return to School: Tuesday 12th September 2017

Half Term: October 23rd – October 27th

End of Term: December 15th 2017

Spring Term 2018

Return to School: Tuesday 9th January 2018

Half Term: February 12th – February 16th 2018

End of Term: Friday March 23rd 2018

Summer Term 2018

Return to School: Tuesday 17th April 2018

Half Term: May 28th – June 1st 2018

End of Term: Friday July 13th 2018

Autumn Term 2018

Return to School: Tuesday 11th September 2018

Half Term: October 22nd – October 26th 2018

End of Term: 15th December 2018

Open Day

Saturday 14th October

10am – 3pm

If you think we may be the perfect school for your friend's children, please do help us spread the word. Thank you in advance!