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## Parking near School

The local doctor's surgery has contacted school as patients are unable to park in their car park during school pick up and drop off time. We recognise how few parking spaces there are near to school and understand how this must be a problem at pick up and drop off time. If you are finding it difficult to park, please come into school for a parking permit. This gives you free parking in the car park by the swimming pool at the start and end of the school day.

## Volunteers

We are now able to organise volunteers in school again as Kirsty has taken over with administration in the office. Volunteers make such a difference in a community school like ours and we really value the contribution they make. The school can be flexible around your weekly diary and would encourage interested parents to come in to help at any time during the week. If you would like to volunteer or have previously offered to come in, please go and speak to Kirsty and she will sort out the necessary paperwork.

## Clubs

Football club and Multi-sports is on again this term. It is being run by our Saints South-West coach and only costs £1 per week. Please sign up on Parent Pay.

## Parent Voice Group

The next Parent Voice meeting will be held on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February at 2:30pm. Please come along and talk about how the school is doing.

## Important - Additional Non-Pupil Day

Our new Trust have added an additional non-pupil day to this academic year. It means school will be closed on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. We apologise for the short notice but reassure that this is to ensure that all our staff are ready for the new academy changes.

## Net Zero Heroes Roadshow

On Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February, there will be a roadshow event in the school hall for families and the wider community to drop in after school and chat to some experts on reducing their carbon footprint. We'll have people on hand to advise on diet, travel, home energy, waste, and how to get involved in local action.

## Question and Word of the Week

Please have a chat about them at home. They will be discussed next Friday during Family Groups.

Question: *If you were an animal, what would you be and why?*

Word: *Impossible*

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!

EDDIE BROWN