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## Head Teacher's Weekly Update

Dear Families,

I hope that this letter finds you well and that you all stay safe in the stormy weather over this weekend. We've had a wonderful week at St Wilfrid's with sporting achievements and exciting competitions taking place.

### Pilgrims of Hope- Jubilee 2025



We have officially opened our dedicated Holy Door this morning to celebrate the Jubilee! Pupils delivered a Celebration of the Word for staff and peers. We reflected on a reading from the Gospel of John 10: 9 "I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved." If you would like to learn more about the Jubilee, please click the link to visit the website for our Diocese: [Jubilee 2025](#)

### Maths Feast



On Wednesday, a cohort of our Year 10 pupils participated in Maths Feast. Maths Feast is a fun educational challenge for pupils which tests problem-solving and teamwork skills. Pupils worked together in teams of four to complete a series of tasks; applying their mathematical knowledge in unfamiliar concepts and with a particular focus on utilising their problem-solving skills. We are very proud of all those involved!

Excellentia per fidem, per scientiam, per adiuvatum



## Sports Leaders



Our Year 9 Sports Leaders worked alongside the South Tyneside School Sport Network to deliver the annual South Tyneside Panathlon Challenge at Temple Park. This is a unique competition which requires pupils to work together in teams to accumulate points in a variety of exciting challenges and activities. The Sports Leaders did a brilliant job representing St Wilfrid's.

## REsponsible, REspectful, REsilient



In their Religious Education lessons, pupils have been recognised for their fantastic efforts. Pupils were awarded for demonstrating respect, responsibility and resilience. It's great to see so many pupils being acknowledged for their exceptional attitude to learning.



## Safety Reminder

As part of our ongoing commitment to ensuring the safety and well-being of all our pupils, I would like to take this opportunity to kindly remind all our families that no cars should be entering the school car park during drop-off and pick-up times.

The car park is a busy area, and it is essential that we keep it clear to allow pupils to enter and leave school safely. We appreciate your understanding in helping to maintain a safe space for our school community.

If you have any queries or your child requires any support, please do not hesitate to get in touch with our Heads of House:

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Best Wishes,

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