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Dear Parents,

Welcome

A big welcome to the children who have started school this week: Jess Agoston, Sam Agoston, Ronan Bibb, Alex Constable, Thea Cooper, Jacob Deeming, Andrew Digby, Finn Edser, Jack Erskine, Charlotte Hall, Harry Hawker, Amelia Mafe, Theodore Orton, Charlotte Pettifer, Lucy Pettifer, Harry Wager, Carys Warrenner, Jared Warrenner, Harry Waters and Heidi Wragg. They have settled in beautifully this week and we are delighted with the way they have come in so independently. Well done to children and parents. They have been ably assisted by their Year 5 buddies - thank you Year 5. A special welcome to families new to the school. We hope this will be the beginning of a long and happy association with All Saints'.

Laying of Stones Special Assembly September 26th

We would like to invite the parents and friends of children in Reception and children new to the school, to join us for the special assembly on Wednesday September 26th. We would like each child to bring a stone with their name and date of entry to All Saints' painted on it. This will be placed in the Peace Garden as part of this special time.

Parents Car park

Thank you to everyone who has signed and returned the car park 'code of conduct.' We are encouraged by the high number of families supporting our initiative to make our car park safer for all users.

Permits have been issued and everyone should have received theirs via book bags- as long as the form was returned by 3.15pm on Thursday 13th September. Permits need to be displayed in your car as from Monday 17th September. Drivers without permits are not welcome to use the school car park and should seek alternative parking options. The school is aware of who is yet to sign the code of conduct.

Drivers found to be parking in the car park without a permit or disregarding the code of conduct, will have their registration numbers and very possibly names printed in the newsletter on a Friday. We really hope that we do not have to implement this process.

Forms are available from the school office for those families who have yet to sign the code of conduct.

Kimberley Lunn Chair of Governors

Kingswood 2013

An exciting residential visit for Years 5 and 6 has already been provisionally booked for June 2013. Come along to hear all about it and reserve a place on **Wednesday 19th September at 7.30pm**. This meeting is an important opportunity for parents and children.

Newsletter Delivery.

The newsletter goes out every Friday. We try to publish before lunch so that you are aware if your child has any awards and wish to attend 'Achievement Assembly' at 2.45 on Friday. This week we are sending a paper copy of the newsletter to each family. Normally we send most newsletters by email.

Each week we do receive a number of no reply responses. If your copy does not come through each Friday please let us know so we can check we are sending to the correct/ preferred address.

SCHOOL MEALS

From September 2012 dinners will rise to £2.00. If you wish to pay until October half term please pay £78.00. Please note new reception class does not start until 12 September.

Please can you also ensure any money due for school dinners for this school year is up to date. Many thanks.

NEW TERM REMINDERS

Arrival at School

The school doors open at 8.45 enabling a calmer, prompter start at 8.55. As the children have all moved into their next year group I hope that they will continue to show developing independence when entering school and organising their belongings. From Year 1 upwards children should be entering school independently. Teachers are more easily available for parents to see re any concerns at the end of the school day. I am available both in the morning and at the end of school.

Uniform

For Health and Safety reasons children should not wear jewellery in school. Where they have had ears pierced and earrings must be worn these should be studs rather than hoops. The children will be asked to remove these for PE. Where this is not possible they will be taped.

Shoes should be worn during the school day, trainers should not be worn.

Uniform can be ordered via the office using an order form. Please leave together with cheque and your order will then be processed by Mrs Sue Alsop and uniform then sent home with your child.

PE

We would appreciate it if you could check with your children which days they do PE and ensure that their named PE kit is in school on that day- black shorts and a white/ gold school T-shirt please. From September we are phasing in gold tee shirts with a school logo on for P.E.. This is to help us when we come to play team sports against other schools. These are available on a uniform order priced £6 from Sue Alsop. Children in Key Stage 2 may bring trainers (old and inexpensive) and a tracksuit when they are doing games outside in the **colder** weather.

Medication

Children who require medication in school should bring these to the office. Parents should consult with Mrs Patterson re details for administration. Children in Key Stage 2 who need inhalers are encouraged to keep their own inhaler with them and self administer when required. Children who require inhalers in school should bring a spare inhaler to be kept in the classroom. If your child uses an inhaler at home we should have one in school please. Please contact Mrs Patterson to update us on your child's medical needs.

Water Bottles

Having water readily available through the day is important for the children. Water bottles are available from the office priced £1.00. **Please do not send in alternatives as these spill and spoil children's work.** Only water should be put in bottles for use during the day for health and safety reasons. Please encourage children to bring bottles home for washing!

Reading

We would appreciate it if you would encourage your child to read for a short time each evening. This is an important aspect of their homework that impacts directly on their progress.

Children in Key Stage 2 are encouraged to read for 15 minutes each night, and must read at least 4 times a week as part of their homework.

It is essential that the children bring their reading books back to school each day along with their reading diary.

CRB Checks/ Volunteer Driver forms

Volunteers are always welcome to help in classrooms, trips and activities. Everybody working in school must be CRB checked. If you are a new volunteer please see Mrs Hancocks for a form.

All parents offering lifts for trips including sports fixtures to children other than their own must complete a volunteer driver form.

Data Collection Forms

Data Collection forms have gone out this week. The contact information on these forms is crucial in an emergency - please return as soon as possible.

Instrumental Tuition

Tuition letters have gone out this week.

Sports Events

Sport

Swimming Lessons

As always we would be grateful for volunteers who have been police checked to help with supervising children. Please add your name to the rota outside Waller class if you are able to help.

Tag Rugby

Tag Rugby provided by coaches from Worcester will begin on Tuesday afternoons. Please bring trainers- old will be fine.

Cross Country

The first race of the season takes place next Saturday 22nd September at Southam College.

SCHOOL CLOSURE DATES

Please note that during this term the school will be closed to pupils on **Friday 26th October** for staff training. On **Thursday 15th November** the school is being used as a polling station and will therefore be closed.

The All Saints' Extra team are planning activities for both these days but numbers will be limited so early booking is essential.

Growing Gastronomes. Mr Woodage is off to Estonia.

We have heard from Mr Woodage who was standing on the top of the oldest lighthouse in the world at the time. He has visited several Estonian schools and is looking forward to sharing his experiences when he returns next week.

Wise

Young at Heart- Year 6 Trip to Bath

The annual shared outing takes place next Friday, 21st September. Please be aware of additional car parking on that Friday. Departure is at 8.15 return at 6.15.

All Saints' Extra

Contact Amy Garlick 07971598909 between 8am and 7pm daily.

Science Club

Calling all Year 2s. Become a great scientist. Its not too late to join science club on Thursdays and take part in the exciting investigations planned for this term.

Booking and Payment

We continue to have ever increasing demand for Before and After School Activities. This means that places for all clubs need to be booked in advance and school notified if your child is not attending a club where they are expected.

P.T.F.A.

Next steering group: AGM 4th October 7.30 followed by Steering Group.

Join us for the AGM and planning meeting on **Wednesday 4th October**. This is an open meeting to which anyone interested in being involved over the year is welcome. A special welcome to families new to the school. We have had great support over the year and are keen to involve many more parents in planning and organising events., please consider being an active member of the steering group - many hands make light work.

100+ Club

100+ Club is a great way to help us raise funds to be used for the benefit of all the children in school. Numbers are available from Angie Dumper for families and friends of the school.

Dates for your diary

29th November **Bags2school Collection** We raised £400 last year through Bags2school. Thank you for your collections. Our next collections later this term, so please save unwanted clothes, shoes, bedding, soft toys and belts. Bags will be distributed before half term. Please ask neighbours, friends and family for donations too.

3rd November **Stall at Kenilworth Castle Bonfire (TBC)**

Bucket.shake. Please prioritise this date, lots of help needed during the evening.

1st December **Christmas Fair, Farmers Market And Raffle**

Please contact anybody who might be able to donate a prize for the raffle or who might like to have a craft or produce stall at the Farmers Market.

Use our Virtual Shop. www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Just go to the site and register, we are listed as All Saints Leek Wootton.

Further details available from kimberleylunn@yahoo.co.uk.

Suggestions and offers of help can always be given to Sue Fardoe at sfardoe@hotmail.com

Working Party Saturday 15th September 1.30pm.

Many thanks to everybody who has already volunteered. Its not too late, come along and join us at 1.30, theres plenty to do.

Jobs that need doing include: checking and cleaning the guttering around the building, cutting back brambles that have grown rigorously during the wet weather, pruning in the Peace garden and taking cuttings to the tip, digging over the raised

beds, clearing the greenhouse, tidying up the gateways. Please bring any appropriate tools you might have. Children are welcome to play in the school grounds whilst we work.

Admissions for September 2013

If your child was born between 01 September 2008 and 31 August 2009 you can apply for their school place NOW. The closing date for on-line applications is 15 January 2013. Call 01926 742037 or www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions.

If you require a church reference form please contact the office.

It would be useful to alert us if you have a child who is a sibling who is in the cohort for 2013

Personal Trainer

Ade Mafe, olympian and professional football fitness coach, local to Leek Wootton is taking on clients for personal training. If you are interested please contact him on 07824 336408.

All Saints Church

Sunday 16th September

9:30am All Age Worship with Baptisms

Sunday 23rd September

9:30am Holy Communion with Upper Classes (children's teaching groups)

Sunday 30th September

10:15am 3 Parish Holy Communion with special celebration of significant Wedding Anniversaries

Saturday 6th October

5-7pm Harvest Tea at All Saints School.

Bring a plate of food to share, if possible with some home grown or locally grown ingredient.

All ages welcome. Fun, food, quiz and games.

Sunday 7th October

9:30 am Harvest Festival Parade Service

Upper Classes

Upper Classes are groups for children that meet during part of the service at All Saints Church, usually on the second and fourth Sunday of each month. They have bible stories and other activities related to the theme of the main service. There are three age related groups

- Age 3 to school year 2
- Year 3 to year 5
- Year 6 upwards

If you would like more information about these groups please contact Nicola Perryman (01926)850610 nicola@perryman.org.uk

Come to a Taster Session to discuss

WHAT SHOULD WE TELL THE CHILDREN ABOUT RELATIONSHIPS AND SEX?

Wednesday 3rd October

7.30-9.30pm

Refreshments from 7.15pm

All Saints Church, Church Lane, Leek

Wooton. CV35 7QZ

Find out more and sign up for 3 sessions in October



Awards

Truly Brilliant- Lily Skellon, Harriet Howson, Alistair Tisdale, William Cox, Mia Deeming, Amelia Hodgson, Daniel Bennett, Verity Forster, Harry Keen

Dates

Tues 18 Sept	Tag Rugby Waller/ Dudley
Wed 19 Sept	9.20 Open Assembly 7.30 Kingswood meeting
Thurs 20 Sept	9.30- 12.00 Stay and Play
Fri 21 Sept	8.15 Year 6 Bath visit
Sat 22 Sept	10.30 Cross Country Southam

S Patterson, Head Teacher

MACMILLAN COFFEE EVENT

Please come along to our world's biggest coffee event and help raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support . There will refreshments with lots of yummy cakes to eat, a raffle and Phoenix Trading offering 10% off their Christmas range plus activities for little ones too!

So why not pop in for a cuppa and bring a friend or 2?

ON: FRIDAY 12th OCTOBER 9.15am-11am & 1pm-8pm & SATURDAY 13th OCTOBER 10am – 1pm

At: 232 Warwick Rd, Kenilworth (between Rouncil Lane & Jet Petrol Station).

For more information speak to Sarah Lee at school or call: 511433.

**EVENT IN AID OF MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT
FAMILY FUN DAY ON SATURDAY 29 SEPTEMBER
AT LEEK WOOTTON SPORTS CLUB
FROM 1PM UNTIL 3PM
BBQ, REFRESHMENTS, CRAFT STALLS, FACE PAINTING, FUN & GAMES**