



# NEWSLETTER 2012/13

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Dear Parents,

## Celebrating our Life as a Church School

Many thanks to everybody who joined us on Wednesday and who held us in their thoughts. We look forward to sharing the report with you, probably after half term when it will be published.

### Class Requests

#### Key Stage 1 Costumes for Harvest

A letter has gone home. Please bring in a named bag. Please see the class teacher if you have any problems.

#### Years 3 & 4 French

Please bring in a photograph of you family for Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October.

#### Wise

The children in Wise needs coloured, plain T shirts for the harvest- orange, brown, green, pink or red please.

Could your child investigate the new Akany Avoko website. As it is now 'Blogspot' we are unable to view it at school.

### Harvest Celebrations

Our celebration of Harvest takes place on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October at 9.15 am for parents and Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October at 2.30 pm for grandparents and older members of the community.

Please invite neighbours and grandparents to the Thursday celebration. Please return the slip on this newsletter to help us with seating - tickets will not be issued.

### Help us, help Valentine

This year we would like to combine our thanksgiving for harvest with our support for Valentine and Akany Avoko. We would again like to enable the team to be able to plan to give all of the children a special Christmas Lunch, as this was so greatly appreciated last year. Each lunch costs about £2.00. We are asking children to bring in 20ps to convert into apples into baskets of apples. We are not asking children to bring in produce this year.

### Operation Christmas Child

Many families like to support the 'Shoebbox Appeal' run by Operation Christmas Child. Information sheets have gone out and we will be sharing more news of this appeal in assemblies. If you would like to take part filled

shoe boxes will be collected from us by 21st November. Please bring boxes to the entrance hall.

### All Saints' Extra

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

Due to Parents Evenings next week please note that Recorders and Science Clubs will not run next week, as published on the booking form.

### Sports Events

#### Sport

#### Newbold Commyn Cross Country Report

On Saturday, 7 girls and 8 boys from year 6 did a Cross Country race at Newbold Commyn. It was a tough course with one hill and lots of steep, muddy, slippery slopes. Everyone had a very successful race; everybody tried their best, some improved their PB and all contributed to the team effort. A particular well done to Millie and Oliver who came in the top 20.

Our next race is at Priorsfield on November 10<sup>th</sup>. Walk round the course at 9.45.

### Parents' Evenings

This term's consultation evenings are on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October and Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October. Appointment slips out today. Please ask your children and look in bags.

As a result of the booking that we currently have due to the village hall closure, on Wednesday Mrs Jacob will be based in the Hub.

**Curriculum Evening 7<sup>th</sup> November 7.30**  
**Supporting your child in mathematics**

An opportunity to find out more about the learning steps in calculation through Key Stage 2. This evening will be led by Mr Woodage.

Please complete the slip to help our planning.

## P.T.F.A.

### Next steering group: 14<sup>th</sup> November

**THE SPRING BALL IS ON!!!! Please book 20<sup>th</sup> April 2013 in your diary.**

Many thanks to a group of people who have volunteered to organise this event in the Spring. More details later. Please see Amy Garlick if you would like to join the group or Julie Edge if you have contact for a raffle prize.

### Dates for your diary

#### Fun Mats

**The children's designs have been sent home this week.**

Due to Christmas printing deadlines we have a tight turn around with this so all orders must be back with the office by the 22<sup>nd</sup> October at the latest.

Cheques should be made payable to All Saints' Primary School Fund. Please ensure that you complete the order information on the top of the design sheet as well as the order form/

#### Bags2school

Bags will be distributed before half term. We are aiming to recycle even more than before as it is such an easy way to raise funds for the PTFA.

Please take the opportunity to have a good sort out of clothes, shoes, curtains, bedding, belts, soft toys and bags over the half term holiday.

More bags are always available from the office if you need them, or you can use bin bags. Bags also accepted from friends, family, neighbours...

Details of the drop off times will be published nearer the time.

### Calling adults and children. 3rd November Kenilworth Castle Bonfire

We are able to undertake the Bucket shake. Last year this was great fun for adults and children alike. This couple of hours gives us an opportunity to raise funds from a wider group of people. Please prioritise this date, lots of help needed during the evening. **We have very few volunteers, in order for us to be able to confirm that we are able to carry out this event please send slips in by Monday.**

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

We are already beginning to think about our major fund raiser for the term. Julie Edge is collecting raffle prizes and would love to hear from you.

Tracey Mafe is beginning to organise the Farmers Market aspect of the fair. Please contact her if you would like to have a craft or produce stall.

**Apples Pies or other delicious recipes-** a Growing Gastronomist link.

Support our apple stall at this event by making and freezing your preferred apple recipe.

### Christmas Shopping- don't go out and buy the socks yet!

Make your Christmas Shopping easier by using our Virtual Shop. [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk)

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

Further details available from [kimberleynunn@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:kimberleynunn@yahoo.co.uk).

Look out for items the children will be making to buy from Funmats.

### Raise Funds by Saving Your Old Pens

Writing Sets are simple tools that are used everyday in schools, at work and at home. Thanks to the Writing Instrument Brigade ®, it is now really easy to recycle them, and help protect the environment.

All writing instruments (except wooden pencils and crayons) can be collected regardless of brand or material – ball point pens, felt tips, mechanical pencils, high lighters, markers, and correction fluid containers.

TerraCycle will recycle them into durable consumer goods and raw materials. This way, used pens will get a second life.

If we can collect 5kg of writing instruments the school will be paid for each writing instrument. A box has been put outside the school office for your old pens etc or see Lesley Knott at the KS2 gate. Why not ask your colleagues to help? A box at my office collected 20 pens in under a week?

### School Photographs and dinners

Due to the closure day in November we have had to change the day for school photographs. These will now be taken on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October after the harvest assembly. There will be an opportunity for family to have photos taken with younger siblings after the harvest.

As this will be logically interesting!!! We are asking children to bring a packed lunch on that day please.

### 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](http://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

### Duathlon Run/Bike/Run

Saturday 20 October 2012 at North Leamington School.

Ages 6-15 in various groupings.

More details and entry forms from the office.

Please note this is the same day as the Year 6 Cross Country Race at Newbold Comyn.

### British Waterfowl Association

Presents the 25<sup>th</sup>

### NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP WATERFOWL

EXHIBITION on Sunday 28 October at

Ashton Arena, Warwickshire College, Moreton Morrell nr Warwick CV35 9BL Off junction 12 on M40 Open to the public 10 am – 3pm.

E-Safety Agreement forms – Reminder, please can these be completed and returned to school as soon as possible please.

### All Saints Church

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October**

**Theme: Prayer – Praying Together in Worship**

9:30am All Age Worship

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October**

**Theme: Prayer – Listening to God**

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

### 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](mailto:nicola@perryman.org.uk)



### Leek Wootton Lamb

Our final lambs of 2012 from Goodrest Farm will be ready in around 2 weeks. You may not know, our lambs are ethically reared and locally butchered. As a farm we are FABBL registered, meaning our animal welfare is high and regularly checked. Our Jacob Sheep flock graze the historic pastures at Goodrest and our lambs are grass reared rather than intensively reared, meaning they are slower to mature – the taste is amazing! Order your lamb for 130 pounds or half lamb for 70 pounds.

**Jessica Semple 01926 858287 07903 890940**

### Awards

**Truly Brilliant** – Lucy Pettifer, Nathan Green, Dominic Calviou, Amelia Hodgson, Regan Brown, Thomas Fardoe, Thomas Fardoe, Devan Lota, Macy Edser

**Bronze** – Sophie Sturzaker, Tom Garlick, Dylan Barnett, Edward Collins, Evie Thompson, Alex Maynard, Harriet Hodgson, Gigi Thomas, Josie Allin, Lauren Bignall, Macy Edser, Nell Skellon, Morgan Barnett

**Raising the Roof** – Heidi Wragg

**Rainbow Steps** – Xavier Bailey

### Dates

**Tues 23 Oct** 5.30-8.00 Parents Evening

**Wed 24 Oct** 9.15 Harvest Assembly  
School Photographs

3.30-7.00 Parents Evening

**Thurs 25 Oct** 2.30 Harvest Assembly  
7.00 Governors Resources Committee  
Break up for half term

**Fri 26 Oct** Staff INSET Day  
All Saints Extra- pre-booked provision

Sat 3 Nov PTFA Bucket shaking

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**3<sup>rd</sup> November Kenilworth Castle Bonfire**

I am able to help with the 'Bucket Collection' at the Round Table Bonfire.

Signed

Number of helpers

Child's Class



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**HARVEST FESTIVAL**

Please reserve the following seats for ..... *name*

.....Wednesday 24 October at 9.15 am for parents

.....Thursday 25 October at 2.30 pm for grandparents and older members of the community



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**Key Stage 2 Maths Evening**

.....will be attending this evening

Signed