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Dear Parents

## **Mrs P's Pot of Gold! Helping you to make a difference!**

Thank you for all of your suggestions for how to use the pot of gold. Many of your suggestions are very caring and would have a huge impact on the happiness of groups of children. I am thinking very carefully about how I can use the school building and organise times so that we can put your ideas into practice. I will be consulting with School Council next week.

## **Red and Green Dinners**

Red and Green Dinners were launched successfully this week with very few teething troubles. I hope you enjoyed choosing your lunches and knowing that your favourite dish was waiting for you.

## **Parent Consultation Evenings**

One of the great strengths of All Saints' is the way in which parents work together with the school to support each child's learning. Once again it was good to see so many parents coming along to our consultation evenings. I hope you found them useful and I apologise for the queues that formed. Thank you for being so patient.

Some of the feedback I received related to home learning and children's attitudes towards tasks. I am pleased so many of them engage enthusiastically with topic based tasks, learning important basic skills and using Mathletics and Spellodrome to good effect.

For those less enthusiastic home learners I will be clarifying my expectations during the coming weeks. I do expect all tasks to be completed in the children's own time, if this is not possible at home then we can find times during the day, such as playtimes and lunchtimes, to support them.

Regular reading, learning of tables and Mathletics activities are planned as Home Learning Tasks.

There is no doubt that children make better progress when they have a secure grasp of basic skills in literacy and numeracy and we have built up many systems in school, such as 'Torture Tables' to enable them to do this. I would appreciate your continued support in encouraging children to engage in all aspects of Home Learning and to sign their diaries regularly.

I will be monitoring reading and homework diaries during the coming weeks to raise the profile and importance of these activities.

## **How well are we doing? How can we improve?**

Our vision at All Saints' is to do the best that we can for each child in order for them to achieve their best.

To help us do this I am sending out our annual parents Evaluation Form today. I would appreciate it if you would spend a short time considering the questions and sending in your response to us by Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March.

We take your responses very seriously and use them to evaluate how well we have met your needs during the past year and to inform school developments and improvements.

## **Safeguarding Corner**

### **How do you feel?**

During the week we will be asking each child to complete our 'How do you feel?' Survey, to help us assess and monitor children's social and emotional well-being. This is an important part of our school life as we know that where children are educated within an environment supportive to these aspects of their development they are motivated to be effective and successful learners and make and sustain friendships, developing skills that are important now and as they move on.

### **Internet/ E- Safety Parents' Workshop**

We are committed to helping our children stay safe online. With constantly changing technologies, we feel it is really important to keep abreast of the changes so that we can best support our children in making good decisions online and in how to keep them safe.

Melissa Gaynor, The ICT Subject leader at Burton Green has organised an E-Safety workshop for parents at Burton Green from 6-8pm on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March and would like to invite parents from All Saints' to join together with parents from Burton Green. Please email Mrs Patterson on [head3588@welearn365.com](mailto:head3588@welearn365.com) if you would like to attend.

### **Spring Term UFA Day**

Our UFA day this term will combine a biblical theme with a World Book Day Theme. On Tuesday March 4<sup>th</sup> we are holding a 'Lord's Prayer Day' and would like the children to come dressed as a biblical character.

Dudley need to bring their costume with them in a bag as they will be swimming first thing.

### **Class News**

#### **Oak**

Mrs Batts would appreciate volunteers to hear children read.

#### **Dudley and Waller**

As part of our topic work, we are thinking about the local environment. On Monday afternoon, we are going to walk to the recreation ground and village hall to consider ways in which the environment can be improved. We would appreciate helpers to walk with us.

### **School Council**

**Book Swap Day-** We are going to repeat our highly successful Book Swap Day, this term. It will take place on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March to coincide with World Book Day on the Thursday. Each child has an opportunity to swap a book from home for a book recommended by their friends. Details have gone out this week, please check bags.

We still have a few tins to be collected after the cake sale.

### **Mathletics- GO FOR GOLD!**

Congratulations to everybody who has moved up the 'Go For Gold' board.

### **Akany Avoko- Valentine's Day Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March**

#### **Sport**

##### **Swimming**

Dudley class will begin swimming on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March. Please remember to bring your kit and to take it home again in the evening.

##### **Netball**

Our first game of the season will take place (weather permitting) tonight away at Woodloes Primary School. The KDPSA Y6 tournament is now scheduled for Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March. Letters out tonight. As a result we have needed to rearrange our game against Bishops Tachbrook which will now take place on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March away.

##### **Football**

Our next match is against Bishops Itchington away, on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March.

##### **Cross Country**

The county selection race, which is open to children in Years 5 and 6 who practice regularly at lunchtimes, takes place on 15<sup>th</sup> March at Newbold Comyn. The top

20 runners will then run in the County Finals Race which will now take place at Newbold on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April.

### **All Saints' Extra**

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

Please note that the All Saints' Extra phone only operates during these hours.

#### **Next week**

Golf and Imagineering will not run next week. Please see Mrs Garlick if you need to book into another club.

#### **Summer Term Programme**

Booking forms have gone out for Summer Term clubs.

In addition to the published clubs, Mrs Reddish will be running Rounders Club for Years 3 and 4, on a Monday. This will run from 3:15 - 4:30 and will be a free club. If you would like your child to participate in this club, please complete the form below.

### **WANTED**

Spare pants, socks and tights please.

### **P.T.F.A: Making a difference!!**

Next meeting: Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2014 **7.30pm.**

#### **Our next project: Replacing The Red Train**

#### **Quiz Evening Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March 7.30**

After a super evening last year, Andy Isley has kindly agreed to return with his popular quiz. Teams of 6, £7.00 per person including a continental ploughmans.

Please return slip to the office. Please buy tickets in advance, it will not be possible to buy these on the night.

#### **Love Labels Fashion Show Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March 7.00pm.**

Come along with your friends and children. Tickets £7.00 adult including drinks £3.00 per child. Clothes modelled and on sale from Labels such as White Stuff, Boden, Monsoon, M&S, Fat Face. Tickets now available by returning the slip to the school office.

We require 6 mums to model and about 15 boys and girls. Mums who model can choose what clothes they wish to model and can buy them. Models need to be available at 5.30 on the evening for a rehearsal.

### **Bags2School 26<sup>th</sup> March**

Our next collection is on 26<sup>th</sup> March so keep saving unwanted clothes, shoes, bags, soft toys, bedding, curtains etc. Please bring items after school on 25<sup>th</sup> or before 9.00 on 26<sup>th</sup>. This raised £280 last time and is a really good fund raiser so please encourage neighbours and friends to also bring along items.

### **Mother's Day Cake Sale 28<sup>th</sup> March**

Our cake sales so far have been really successful in raising funds that have been divided between each class to support special events and ongoing expenses. Waller will be leading the next sale and would appreciate donations of cakes. Please no nuts.

### **easyfundraising.org.uk.**

Please think about registering (we are listed as All Saints', Leek Wootton) and going through this site before shopping online. Amazon, M &S, Expedia, Trainline, etc are all listed.

It costs you nothing, is totally safe and an easy way to raise more money for our PTFA.

Any [questions-kimberleylunn@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:questions-kimberleylunn@yahoo.co.uk).

1<sup>st</sup> Leek Wootton Guides are holding a

### **Table Top Sale**

with stalls and refreshments

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March**

**3-5pm**

**Leek Wootton Village Hall**

in aid of Kenilworth-Uyogo Friendship Link  
to reserve a table please contact Nicola Perryman

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

3' table £3

6' table £6

### **All Saints Church**

*A four week series looking at some of the minor prophets*

Sunday 2nd March - *Jonah*

8am Holy Communion

9am Pancake breakfast followed by All Age

Worship

For your diary

### **Holiday Bible Club**

Monday 28th - Wednesday 30th July 2014 in the mornings

### **Awards**

**Truly Brilliant** – Imogen Newbury, Anton Hellings, Luca Dhillon, Daniel Bennett, Barres Barnes, Oliver Mason, Andrew Digby, Naomi Darnton, Evie Thompson

**Gold** – Florence Lunn, Macy Edser, Amelia Hodgson, Erin Clarke, Annabelle Mac, Lucy Hodgson, Evie Thompson

**Silver Plus** – Kyle Watkin, Ebony Maynard, Imogen Lomas, Barry Edge, Poppy George, Lilly Roberts, Katie Constable, Alex Davies, Grace Lee, Amy Agoston, Dylan Barnett, Harry Dumper, Harvey Brown

**Rainbow Steps** – Jared Warrener

**Raising the Roof** – Maisie Manning, Millie Higgins, Ilija Lazic

**Handwriting Level 1** – Lilly Roberts, Jasmin Bennett

### **Dates for the week**

**Mon 3 March** Valentines Day

**Tues 4 March** Dudley Swimming

Lords Prayer Day

7.00 Performance and Standards Committee

**Thurs 6 March** 1.30 Y6 Netball Tournament

**Fri 7 March** Book Swap Day

**Sat 8 March** 7.30 PTFA Quiz Night

### **S Patterson**

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### **Year 3 and 4 Rounders Club**

My child, \_\_\_\_\_, would like to attend Rounders Club on Mondays, from 3:15 - 4:30pm, in the Summer Term.

Signed .....

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**Super Quiz Evening – 8<sup>th</sup> March 7.30**

I would like to order .....tickets at £7 .00 each.

I enclose.....

Please delete as appropriate

I am part of a team.

I would like to be placed in a team.

I am willing to help on the bar/ refreshments.

Name

Signed

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**Love Labels Fashion Show – 21<sup>st</sup> March 7.30**

I would like to order .....adult tickets at £7 .00 each and .....child tickets at £3.00 each.

I enclose.....

Please circle if:

I would like to be a model.

Name

Signed

