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# NEWSLETTER 2016/589

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Dear Parents,

## This week's news

This week has had a sporting flavour with our boys and girls teams taking part in the annual KDPSA cross country race. The Abbey Fields is always an interesting course and all our runners ran exceptionally well. Well done everybody. Green Leek sporting opportunities continued on Wednesday as Burton Green travelled to All Saints for a Green Leek netball match. The teams were evenly matched for the first quarter with All Saints finishing 1 net ahead at 2-1. All Saints pulled ahead and by the end of the final quarter the score was 15-1. Both teams agreed that 'Jimmie was on fire!' The next Green Leek match is a football match to be played at Burton Green on Wednesday 27th April.

Thank you to everybody who has volunteered to play cricket. We have an adult and children's teams for matches on 17<sup>th</sup> May. ,

## Class Highlights of the Week:

**Oak Class:** It has been a busy week in Oak Class again, planting cress, sunflowers, pumpkins and strawberries. The highlight of our week has to be time in our new mud kitchen. The children loved it! In maths we have been looking for patterns we know when adding and we tried out our skills when adding 3 numbers.

Year 1's have designed some amazing non-fiction pages about bluebells and sunflowers. We have even designed our own seed packets.

28<sup>th</sup> April 1.15pm- we are going for a walk around the village to look at plants and flowers. Please see Mrs Batts if you can help to walk with us.

Wanted- logs and pallets for our nature bug hotel and wood offcuts.

**Ash Class:** We've been measuring capacity of containers in cupfuls, making our own scales on measuring cylinders. The children have enjoyed estimating and making comparisons.

After mapping Darwin's journey around the world, Year 1 and 2 children used atlases to find and name oceans and continents he visited. Next week we'll be finding out why he was so excited by the wildlife he discovered on the Galapagos Islands.

**Dudley Class:** Dudley have been working hard on column addition and subtraction in maths. We've been solving a lot of missing number problems as a class, using a variety of written and mental methods to solve them.

In literacy, we have enjoyed reading and analysing Ted Hughes, The Iron Man.

**Waller Class:** This week in maths we have been concentrating on using all 4 operations to solve word problems. We have emphasised the importance of

the RUCSAC method as a strategy for finding out what a question wants you to show.

In literacy we have been analysing the impact of powerful vocabulary, the function of different sentence types and looking at different ways of starting a story. We are also reading Varjak Paw, the story of a cat who learns Kung Fu, how to talk to a dog, and saves his family from 'The Gentleman in black!'. We've used this story as the basis for our gymnastics routines.

**Wise Class:** This week in Wise Class we have been completing our newspaper reports and writing 'passive and active' sentences. We described a spooky place using exciting vocabulary that kept the reader's attention and made them want to read more. Our cress seeds are continuing to grow (or not) - depending on which conditions for growth we have given them.

We have begun to read Michael Morpurgoes' Kensuke's Kingdom'- do ask your child about what has happened so far.

## Online Payments

We are continuing on our learning curve for online payments which is a new experience for parents and in the office. As we monitor how things are going you will receive texts as we get used to the different pattern of payments. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any queries and feedback.

## Instrumental Tuition September

We have sent out letters for instrumental tuition from September. Please return by 9th May. Once a request has been made we take that as a definite

booking and it is difficult to make adjustments once we have sent our order into Warwick Music. It is our school policy that the commitment is for the full year. Please bear this in mind when sending in your request.

If you are an existing keyboard player and wish to continue please contact Mrs Patterson directly.

### **School Trust Fund**

In preparing for the present and the future to provide the very best learning environment for each and every child, we would appreciate it if you would consider donating to this important aspect of school financing.

### **ADMISSIONS 2016**

Places have now been offered by the Local Authority for Reception 2016. If you have any enquiries please ring school. A parents induction evening will take place in May followed by induction visits for the children.

We have vacancies for September in Year 5. Please do not hesitate to ring Mrs Patterson if you are interested in places.

### **ADMISSIONS 2017**

I would like to invite parents of children who are due to start school in September 2017 to visit the school on our:

#### **OPEN MORNINGS**

Join Mrs Patterson on a guided tour around the school in a small group, with the opportunity to ask any questions that you might have.

**28<sup>th</sup> June 2016**

9.30am or 11.00am

Please ring 01926 400498 to reserve your place.

### **Collectables**

There are several ways in which children collect cards and figures. They like to swop these items and there are many advantages. However, in order to sustain harmony, I would appreciate it if children did not bring in items that are precious to them, are expensive, or which they do not wish to swop.

### **Class and Team Photographs 29<sup>th</sup> April**

The school photographer will be in school next Friday to take class and team photographs.

### **Sport**

#### **Rounders v Burton Green**

The rounders match will take place at All Saints' on Thursday May 5<sup>th</sup>. Supporters very welcome.

#### **May Day Festival of Running 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2016**

##### **Organised by Kenilworth Runners**

Over the Bank Holiday weekend Kenilworth Runners organise this festival in the Abbey Fields. Details are on [www.mayday.kenilworthrunners.co.uk](http://www.mayday.kenilworthrunners.co.uk)

At 12.30 there is a 1 mile Schools' Challenge for Years 5 and 6. Whilst I am not here for this weekend I know that a number of children are keen to take part and represent the school. Please come to me and let me know if you would like to join this group. Individual runners need to register on the website.

#### **Akany Avoko- Valentines Day Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May**

Thank you for donations received. If you forgot it's not too late.

#### **Friends of Madagascar Meeting**

Saturday May 7<sup>th</sup>. All from All Saints' are very welcome to attend. Stalls of Malagasy crafts, a guest speaker and buffet lunch.

If you would like to help in any way, please will you let Mrs Patterson know and we will contact you nearer the time.

### **School Uniform**

The school is now set up for parents to buy All Saints' school uniform from the Tesco Uniform embroidery service.

Order online at [tesco.com/ues](http://tesco.com/ues)

#### **Uniform Sale Coat Prices Slashed**

**When they're gone, they're gone!**

**Normally £19 slashed to £7 Waterproof reversible fleece.**

Size 11-12 (2)

Size 7-8 (1)

#### **All Saints' Extra - All Clubs end at 4.30 pm,**

**Chill Out ends at 5.15pm.**

Mrs Garlick is available by email on

[garlick.a@welearn365.com](mailto:garlick.a@welearn365.com) or via the school

telephone number 01926 400498.

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

Our next Steering Group meeting is on 7<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm in 'The Hub'. All welcome.

We have a number of events coming up where we will need volunteers. Sophie Parker will keep you up to date with these on our Facebook page. Please put the dates in your diary.

### **Children's Bingo Night 13<sup>th</sup> May 6-7.30**

Eyes down, it's bingo time again. Come along to try to win prizes Open to all children at All Saints'. Younger children need to be accompanied by an adult. £3.00 per child including refreshments. Donations of prizes would be appreciated- small toys, unwanted larger items for a full house.

### **School v Village Cricket Match 28th June**

We have arranged our traditional sporting event and this year funds raised will once again be in aid of Myton Hospice. An opportunity for children and adults to play.

### **15<sup>th</sup> July Summer Barbecue**

Please save the date for our major end of term fundraiser.

Many employers have community funds where they support employee volunteers of 'match fund stalls' at these kind of events. Please ask the question, we would appreciate you following it up.

Stalls work well when a year group get together and organise a rota. Please start thinking about this now. No offer of help is ever refused, many hands make light work.

Use 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)

Family Night Out at the Sports and Social Club in Leek Wootton Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May 5pm onwards

## **Green Leek 10K SUNDAY 9<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2016**

### **"Open evening at Leek Wootton Brownies - 26th April**

Is your daughter interested in joining Brownies! Would you like your daughter to come along and visit us, join in for the evening before deciding if she would like to join us? If so, we are inviting all girls who are nearly 6, 7, 8 or 9 to join us for the evening of the 26th April from 6pm - 7.15pm.

We are an active Unit meeting at Leek Wootton Village Hall on a Tuesday, 6 - 7.15pm. We love to do lots of fun things including crafts, games, trips, singing, cooking and walks. We have spaces available for girls aged between 7 and 10. If you are interested, your daughter is welcome to come to our open evening or would like to know more, please contact Dawn Johnson on 01926-851094 or 07814-350519 or email me

on [leekwoottonbrownies@outlook.com](mailto:leekwoottonbrownies@outlook.com)"

## **All Saints Church**

### **Holiday Bible Club with Karen and her Puppets**

Monday 22nd - Wednesday 24th August 2016 9:30am-12:30pm

More details soon

### **Dates**

**Wed 27 April** Football V Burton Green Away

**Fri 29 April** Nextgen Class Photographs

### **Awards**

**Truly Brilliant:** Nathan Green, James Ward, Freya Dalrymple, Florence Lunn, Grace Lee, Bruno Edge, Austin Bibb, Sam Agoston

**Platinum:** Jonah Zuill, Nathan Green

**Gold:** Hannah Richards

**Silver Plus:** Grace Lee, Guy Allison

**Raising the Roof:** Genevieve Cooper

**Mathletes of the Week**

**Reception:** George Horner, **KS1:** Oscar Parker

**KS2:** Harry Wager

April 27 <sup>th</sup>	9.20 Open Assembly Moira Dixon New Football v Burton Green away	June 13 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 - 3.00 Green Leek Years 2 & 3 Music Day at Burton Green
April 29 <sup>th</sup>	am Class and Team Photographs	June 14 <sup>th</sup>	4.00 KDPSA Field Events at Kenilworth School
<b>Key Stage 1 Teacher Assessments will be finalized throughout May</b>		June 15 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 All Saints' Resources Committee Reception 2016 Group Induction
May 2 <sup>nd</sup>	May Day Bank Holiday	June 16 <sup>th</sup>	9.20 Open Assembly Tom Millington New Dudley & Waller Day of the African Child
May 4 <sup>th</sup>	9.20 Open Assembly Jim Perryman pm Year 5 Tag Rugby Festival 7.00 Green Leek Governing Body at Burton Green	June 17 <sup>th</sup>	New Oak & Ash Bug Man 4.00 KDPSA Track Events at Edmonscote Track
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	New Rounders v Burton Green home	June 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.20 Oak Class assembly Residential Visit France Years 5 & 6.
May 7 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am Friends of Madagascar	June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Reception 2016 Group Induction
<b>May 9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Key Stage 2 Test Week- Year 6</b> 9.20 Open Assembly Peter Burns	June 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Return from France
May 12 <sup>th</sup>	New Dudley & Waller Walk like an Egyptian Day	June 24 <sup>th</sup>	2.30 Ash Class assembly
May 13 <sup>th</sup>	6- 7.30pm Bingo Evening.	June 28 <sup>th</sup>	New Open Morning 2017 Places 5.00 Pupils Cricket Match, 6.00 School v Village Cricket Match
May 16 <sup>th</sup>	pm Year 5 Amazing Maths at Burton Green	June 29 <sup>th</sup>	Induction Day Year 6. September classes YR - Year 5
May 17 <sup>th</sup>	5.00 Green Leek Cricket match. 5pm Junior, 6pm adult team		Reception 2016 Induction 9.20 Open Assembly then coffee and chat
May 18 <sup>th</sup>	10. 00-2.00 Year 5 Cricket Festival at Kenilworth Cricket Club		4.30-6.30 Open Evening
May 19 <sup>th</sup>	NSPCC Assemblies for Key Stages 1 & 2 7.00 France meeting for parents and pupils. Important to attend.	July 1 <sup>st</sup>	6.45 Green Leek Performance and Standards Committee
May 24 <sup>th</sup>	1.00 - 3.30 Year 6 Rounders tournament at Kenilworth School 7.00 Reception 2016 Induction Evening for parents.	July 4 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 Green Leek Resources Cttee 7.30 Years 3 & 4 Sleepover
May 25 <sup>th</sup>	am NSPCC workshops for Year 5 & Year 6. 10.00- 2.00 Year 4 Cricket Festival at Kenilworth Cricket Club 3.15 Ash Cake Sale	July 5 <sup>th</sup>	1.00 Y 5 Amazing Maths at All Saints', Y 4 Green Leek Lego WeDo 6.00 Country Dancing at Kenilworth Castle
<b>Pupils Break Up- Half Term</b>		July 6 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 Green Leek Governing Body at All Saints'
May 26 <sup>th</sup> and 27 <sup>th</sup>	Staff INSET Days	July 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.20 Open Assembly Peter Burns New Wellie Wednesday & Y1 Multiskills at Burton Green
June 6 <sup>th</sup>	Return to school Spring Fever Week	July 12 <sup>th</sup>	Y1&2 Kenilworth Castle 2.00 Dress Rehearsal
June 7 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 P.T.F.A.	July 11 <sup>th</sup>	Oak & Ash The Ugly Bug Ball
June 8 <sup>th</sup>	Reception 2016 Group Induction	July 12 <sup>th</sup>	Reports to Parents out
June 10 <sup>th</sup>	Queen's Celebration Day Oak Class Cake Sale	July 14 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 Year 5& 6 Performance
June 11 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm Church Fete and Village Queen' s Birthday Celebration Country Dancing displays. P.T.F.A	July 15 <sup>th</sup>	6.00 PTFA Family Barbecue
June 12 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 - 6pm Burton Green Community Fun Day	July 19 <sup>th</sup>	5-7.30 Parents Evening
		July 20 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 Pot of Gold and Leavers Assembly All Saints' Church
		July 21 <sup>st</sup>	Sports Day 5.00 Year 6 Leavers social event
		July 22 <sup>nd</sup>	am Children's informal Talent Show Break Up