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NEWSLETTER 2016/2017

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I would like to begin with a big thank you. I hope you have noticed the grounds have been tidied and look ready for the year. Many thanks to the band of people who came along last Saturday and cleared, trimmed and pruned many areas of the school including making the pathways safer, the Peace Garden ready for our special assembly and the raised beds ready for another year of planting.

What a wonderful surprise! A room full of people at our most recent PTFA steering group meeting. It was wonderful to see you all and be able to plan events with so many more contributions. I do appreciate and value the response.

What a fantastic first Cross Country Race at Southam on Saturday. Everybody completed a long, first race and should be really proud of their determination and perseverance. I know there were a lot of proud faces at the finish line- young and slightly older. Well done to Freya, Grace, Barry and Josh. A particular very well done to Heidi who ran a magnificent race to finish 2nd in the girls race and to James and Archie who finished 5th and 12th in the boys race.

There is a growing Green Leek buzz in the air as we begin the countdown to the Green Leek 10K on 9th October. We have SOLD OUT!, all 300 places are taken.

Year 6 had a good day working together at All Saints'. They learned Peer Mediation Skills which we now hope they will use to support each other and younger children in school at break-times.

Year 6 join together next week for their visit to Coventry Transport Museum and The Herbert Art Gallery.

Laying of Stones Special Assembly October 19th

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 October 19th. 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.

Class Highlights of the Week:

Oak Class: This week we started our Wellie Wednesday sessions. We had lots of fun Wellie printing and collecting autumn leaves. We have read the story and learnt the song about 'Little Rabbit Foo Foo'. The good fairy is really not like a traditional good fairy character. Squares, circles, rectangles and triangles have been our focus in maths. We have sorted them, named them and played lots of games with them too.

Wanted: conkers and autumn items for our counting next week.

Reception - please start on Mathletics as soon as you can, using your new user name and password card.

Ash Class: We enjoyed a wonderful day out at Compton Verney. The children were so excited to visit the galleries and made thoughtful suggestions for stories behind the paintings. We drew portraits and made a self-portrait from clay. Well done to all the Year 1 and 2 children on their excellent behaviour. All children need to bring a small soft toy into school for literacy on Monday. It must be kept hidden inside a bag before the lesson.

Dudley Class: Another hard working week this week, well done Dudley. A particular highlight has to be how hard they are working at up-levelling their work. Many children are practising their times tables well, leading to them achieving their current 'Torture Table!'

Waller Class: This week in literacy, we have written our second cold task, a recount. We have been collecting ideas, key words and phrases to use in a diary of an alien visitor to Earth! In maths we have been looking at measures, estimating and measuring length and perimeter and converting cm to mm and vice versa. We have also been writing timetables. Any opportunities for the children to practise telling the time at home would help them.

Wise Class: In Wise Class this week we have been writing non-chronological reports about our favourite animals. We have looked especially at how we can order and structure our paragraphs to make information flow.

In maths we are learning how to convert different units of measurement such as cm to km and had an interesting time practically reinforcing the weights of common classroom items.



SUNDAY 9th OCTOBER 2016
SOLD OUT!

Sponsor Form

We would appreciate as many runners as possible being sponsored to raise funds for our schools.

Runners who have declared a connection with either All Saints' or Burton Green should have received a sponsor form

If you are not a runner then please join us as a spectator along the route that begins on 'The Greenway' at Burton Green and winds its way through the common, the Abbey Fields and Castle Farm before finishing at The Warwickshire in Leek Wootton. Please join us at the finish line. Enjoy a bacon batch whilst encouraging the runners home.

READING IS EVEN MORE IMPORTANT THAN RUNNING!

Not running, you can still; be part of the excitement of the Green Leek 10K!

Read a book for each kilometre of the 10K run and win your own 10K medal.

Each book must be by a different author and your reading must be recorded in your reading diary. Forms will be given out on Monday to every child.

Reading Olympics

Thank you to everybody who took part in our 'Reading Olympics' over the summer holiday. Well done to the following children who sustained their reading despite the attraction of sun, sea and sand.

Gold Medal- 775+ minutes

Harry H, Faith, Ronan, Grace L, Theo, Nadia, Amelia H, Pavle, Evelyn, Clara, Sam A, Harry W, Thea, Emelia, Gabrielle, Olivia, Heidi W, Kate, Barry, Naomi, Annabelle EH, Annabelle G, Jessica, Robert, Alannah, Heidi W, Edward, Hannah

Silver Medal- 620- 774 minutes

Jasmine, Luca, George, Josh, Gio, Lampros, Panagiotis

Bronze Medal 465-619 minutes

Austin, Freya D, Sophie, James W, Evie SH, Emily, Millie, Genevieve, Emma, Isabel, Grace TG, Freya D, Andrew, Oli B, Lola TG, Jess, Leo

Medals will be given out in 'Celebration Assembly' this week.

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 or via the school telephone number 01926 400498.

Early Risers

This week we say goodbye to Mrs Booth who has been part of our Early Risers team since the beginning. We would like to thank her for all the 'breakfasts and care' over these years.

From 3rd October Early Risers will be organised differently due to changes in staffing. The children will be split into 3 groups, between The Hub, Athletics and Premier Active- 'Wake and Shake' in the hall.

The children will have a chance to experience all 3 areas throughout Monday - Thursday mornings.

20 Super Years- Lets Celebrate!

Old Skool Disco

Saturday 12th November 7.30 - 'Til You Drop- Disco and much more! A night of fun for adults only.

'Now that's what I call music' quiz

Lips Sync Battles

Best dressed party- let your disco ego out!

Dance Offs

Bar and refreshments on sale.

Tickets now on sale £5 including 'Boom Boom' Punch on arrival.

Only 100 tickets on sale, buy early to avoid disappointment.

The Children Celebrate

18th November - Our Timeline of 20 Years- A UFA Day for the children, special assembly at 2.30.

6.00 Children's Film Night- Inside Out.

Count Our Blessings

20th Anniversary Service of Thanksgiving
Sunday 20th November All Saints' Church 9.30am.

Please join us as we count the blessings of the last 20 years.

And Finally....

13th May 2017

The 20th Anniversary Summer Ball
The Event NOT to miss!!!

As we come to the end of our 20th Year help us to celebrate in style.

Book your tickets for our Titanic Themed Ball with all the glamour and glitz you would expect.

Only 20 Tickets left- book now to avoid disappointment.

Our Link with BO SIERRA LEONE

Over the past four years, the link with Holy Rosary School, Bo, Sierra Leone has grown, particularly with those children in Key Stage 2. We have sent work and received it in kind, allowing the children to compare the learning process and outcomes from a school in a completely different environment. We have gifted Holy Rosary School with a Union Flag, along with our work, which we hope they will enjoy and learn from. Unfortunately, the Ebola outbreak did halt the link's progress temporarily, but having been given the all clear, work will be sent again later this term. We have celebrated The Day of The African Child for the past three years, which allowed everyone who attended to experience many of the aspects of life which a child in Bo could. Activities such as African dancing, singing, sports, art and even hosting a Skype call with a One World Link (the charity who maintain the link) representative in Bo, led to everyone having a fantastic day (despite the very English weather last year). With Ebola being less of a factor now, we are hoping to build the link further by transferring more examples of work, attending future Day of The African Child days and hosting a potential visit from a head teacher of a school in Bo, during an assembly. If you haven't already, you can see our Bo display boards at the back of the hall, where you will also see our beautiful birds which the children made at the latest Day of The African Child. Some more examples of these birds will be available to view at Leamington Library from 11th October.

Early Literacy Evening 5th October 7pm

I would like to invite parents of children who have just joined us in Reception to come along and find out more about how we teach reading at All Saints' and ways in which you can support your child at home.

11th October 7.30 Helping your child make more progress. At All Saints'.

Over the past year we have introduced a range of new ways in different areas of the curriculum, to help children to be aware of what they need to do to make the next step in their learning.

Cross Country 2016

Please book these dates:

Saturday 15th October Hatton Country World

Saturday 5th November Priors Field

Saturday 26th November Priory Park

Harvest Celebrations October 21st 2.15pm

We would like to invite you to join us on the last Friday afternoon of the term for our harvest celebrations. This year we will be particularly thinking about 'the gift of bread'.

It is our tradition to support Akany Avoko at the harvest in order to pay for a Christmas meal and present for each child there.

This year we are asking children to bring in 20ps to buy loaves. 5 grains of wheat = 1 loaf. 1 loaf = 1 meal.

We are aiming to buy 160 meals. Please support us.

The harvest celebrations will be followed by a cake sale.

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

Dates for your diary next term

7.30 1st November P.T.F.A Steering Group. Help us to plan events for the term. All welcome, please come along to 'The Hub'.

20th Anniversary Events - see above.

9th October- Green Leek 10K

11th October 7.00 AGM followed at 7.30 by our curriculum evening- 'Helping your child to make more progress'.

The PTFA have had a tremendous year, come along and celebrate it. The new ICT suite will be up and running as a result of this hard work.

26th November Christmas Fair.

At our meeting we began planning for our traditional main fund raising event of the year. Please look out for updates on ways you can help. We will be involving every year group and of course the highlight- 'The Children's Stalls'. So get your thinking hats on!

We are beginning our search for prizes for the Christmas Raffle. If you can help by providing a prize that would be great. Please also ask any outlet that you can think of that could provide a prize.

Business Support

Many companies have community funds that they are willing to donate to schools through their employees. We would really appreciate any parent investigating possibilities.

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

**ADMISSIONS 2017
OPEN MORNING/AFTERNOON**

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.

23 November 2016

1.30 pm



**All Saints Together at All Saints' Parish Church
OPEN DAILY UNTIL MONDAY 31 OCTOBER
CELEBRATE THE BIBLE @ ALL SAINTS'**

Come and explore our exhibition about the Bible - and discover its treasures! The exhibition includes the Youth & Children's zone (in the Upper Room) and a Web/Apps zone for the more technically minded. Pick up a Treasure Map from the porch to help you explore the different sections.

SUNDAY 2 OCTOBER 2016

Dates: Mon 3 Oct Year 6 - Herbert Art Gallery

Awards:

Truly Brilliant- Lucy Pettifer, Freddie Rodd, Gio Dhillon
Daniel Mendia, Nathaniel Hall, Lampros Papadogiannakis,
Grace Lee, Bella Thompson

Mathlete of the Week: Reception- Rachel Craine

KS1- Austin Bibb **KS2-** Ronan Bibb

Handwriting Level 1: Ilija Lazic, Lucy Pettifer, Annabelle Gibson

All Saints' Spring Ball Summer 2017, The Warwickshire Golf Club

I would like to reserveplaces at ' The Spring Ball' and enclose a non-returnable deposit of £10 per person £.....Please name other people on your table

Signed

Old Skool Disco Saturday 12th November 7.30 - 'Til You Drop-

Name

I wouldtickets for the Old Skool Disco and enclose.....

Please delete as necessary. We will contact you for details of your song etc.

I would like to take part in The Lips Sync Battle / Dance Off.

9.30am - Harvest Festival Parade Service
Come and say "Thank you" to God for all the blessings we enjoy, and bring gifts to share with others through the Kenilworth Foodbank.
Cubs, Brownies and Beavers are encouraged to come in uniform with their groups - but invite families too!

SUNDAY 9 OCTOBER 2016

9.30am - Holy Communion with Children's Groups
Our Climbers/Explorers and Pathfinders groups will all meet during part of our service time before we gather at the Communion rail to remember how Jesus showed his love for us.
As soon as the service finishes, everyone is invited to walk across to welcome the Green Leek 10K runners at the finishing line!

3.00pm - MESSY CHURCH IN THE WOODS



If you go down to the woods today, you're sure of a big surprise 😊

Dress up suitably, including wellies, and gather at the arboretum at the entrance to the Warwickshire for a very special Messy lease ring 01926 400498 to reserve your place.

3 rd October	Green Leek Yr 6 Coventry Motor Museum and Herbert Art Gallery 7.00 Green Leek 10K meeting The Hub
5 th	Doreen's Diary Day Year 6. pm World War II Village Walk 7.00 Early Literacy Evening
6 th	Football v Harbury Away
9 th	Green Leek 10K
10 th	Waller St John's Museum visit to school - Neolithic workshop.
11 th	Dudley St John's Museum visit to school - Neolithic workshop 7.00 P.T.F.A. AGM followed by Curriculum Evening: Helping your child to make more progress.
12 th	9.20 Open Assembly Peter Burns
13 th	Years 1 & 2 St Johns Museum visit to school- 'Grandparents'. Football v Long Itchington Home
14 th	School Council Book Swap Day
15 th	9.45 Cross Country Hatton Country World
17 th	Individual and Family School Photographs
18 th	3.30-7.00 Parents Evening
19 th	9.20 Open Assembly Reception and children new to school, laying stones in the Peace Garden 5.30-8.00 Parents Evening
21 st	2.15 Harvest Celebration followed by P.T.F.A. Cake Sale Wise Class Break up for half term.
31 st October	Children return to School. 'Taking Care Week'- personal safety curriculum.
1 st November	All Saints' Day Service in church
5 th	9.45 Cross Country Priorsfield
7 th	Flu vaccines Years 1 and 2 Green Leek Reception visit to All Saints' Church.
8 th	Oak & Ash classes- Diwali Day Green Leek Year 6 visit to Coventry Cathedral
11 th	10.45 Open Assembly : Remembrance Day- no achievement assembly today.
12 th	P.T.F.A. 20 th Anniversary Disco 1990's (adults only)
14 th	Year 6 and adults trip to London leaving at 6.05am
15 th	Super Learning Day: ' Democracy'.
16	9.20 Open Assembly Peter Burns
18 th - 25 th	3.15 Book Fair
18 th	6.00 Children's Film Night- Inside Out
19 th	Burton Green Christmas Fair
20 th	9.30 20 th Anniversary Church Service at All Saints' 9.30am
23 rd	1.30pm Open Afternoon for children starting school in September 2017
25 th	3.15 Preparing the school for Christmas- lots of helpers welcome!
26 th	9.45 Cross Country Priory Park 2.00 Christmas Fair
5 th	Costume rehearsal watched by Burton Green 9.30am
6 th	2.00 Dress Rehearsal Christmas Production- Grandparents and community followed by P.T.F.A. Cake Sale- Waller Class
7 th	am All Saints' to watch Burton Green Christmas Performance leave school 10.30am. 6.00 Christmas Production
8 th	6.00 Christmas Production
11 th	4.00pm Village Carol Service All Saints' Church
13 th	School Christmas Lunch
14 th	9.20 Christmas Open Assembly All Saints' Church Party Day- come dressed in party clothes.
15 th	Green Leek Whole School Panto visit to the Spa Centre Beauty and the Beast 1pm late return 4pm Packed lunch please.
16 th	Last Day of Term Christmas Jumper Day



All Saints'
20th Anniversary

TITANIC

Themed
May Ball



£39.50 PER TICKET

SATURDAY 13TH MAY 2017
THE WARWICKSHIRE
GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB
LEEK WOOTTON

START AT 7PM

CARRIAGES AT 1AM

