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This week's news

This week has certainly been a busy week with visits out and about for lots of children and a super festival day in EYFS and Key Stage 1. These events really contribute to bringing learning alive.

It was great to see the determination shown by all our runners last Saturday as they triumphed over the gruelling, but exciting, course at Priors Field. For some reason running through the brook is always the highlight!

Well done to all the runners- Amelia, Freya, Gabrielle, Grace, Olivia, Barry and Nathan. A special well done to Heidi who came in 8th, Archie 12th, Asa 20th and James a super 2nd!

The Children Celebrate

Our super learning day on 18th November will focus on the last 20 years of our school history. We are putting together a combination of different activities to enable us to find out more about how we have grown and developed during this time. I would like to invite you to join us at 2.15 to share in the official opening of our new refurbished ICT suite followed by a special assembly at 2.30.

Count Our Blessings

20th Anniversary Service of Thanksgiving
Sunday 20th November All Saints' Church 9.30am.
All Saints' School has a unique community history. Over 20 super years we have much to be thankful for and that is worthy of celebration.

I would like to invite you to join us at a service of thanksgiving on 20th November. It would be lovely to see present and past families and friends so please invite anybody who has been associated with 20 wonderful years.

The school choir will be singing during the service. These children should have received a letter from Mrs Reddish with a return slip on it.

Class Highlights of the Week:

Oak Class: In Oak Class this week, we have shared some valuable religious moments. We started the week with a visit to church with Burton Green.

Jim showed the children around the church and we enjoyed a big selection of art and craft activities. On Tuesday we learnt about the 'Festivals of Light'- Diwali and Advent. We shared a day full of cross curricular activities such as dancing, painting, clay work and cooking. The day ended with a celebration and plenty of party food.

Ash Class: We've been reading about dragons and talking about characters. The children wrote vivid descriptions of fierce and terrifying dragons. We've begun studying Tudor buildings in preparation for making models of The Great Fire of London.

Dudley Class: We've had a very creative week this week, the highlight of which was definitely the children creating their archeological cave. Inside this cave they discovered cave drawings and pot pieces. This display looks fantastic, so please come and see it! A warm welcome to Archie who joined us today.

Waller Class: This week we have used ICT to research authors to create biographies. We are about to use what we have learned to write our own life stories. We have also enjoyed finding shapes within shapes, although it can be quite tricky. We are proud of becoming good team players when playing 'King Ball'.

Wise Class: In Wise Class this week we enjoyed another exciting day out at Coventry Cathedral. We spent the morning looking at the impact of 'The Blitz' on the city and then looked at signs and symbols that could be found in the cathedral in the afternoon. It was moving to see the ruins of the old cathedral and imagine what it was like on the night of 'The Blitz' in 1940.

We have also been multiplying decimals and working out the differences between different temperatures, including negative numbers.

LONDON VISIT MONDAY 14th NOVEMBER

We will leave from All Saints at 6am- please do not be late or we will miss our appointment times in London. Remember 2 packed lunches, a warm coat and a rucksack for carrying belongings in. Children are allowed to bring £10 to spend in the gift shops at the Houses of Parliament and the Churchill War Rooms.

Please take a travel sickness pill before you travel if needed and send an extra for the return journey if needed. Everybody will need a warm coat and comfortable shoes.

BOOK FAIR

Shop for Christmas the easy way! Visit our Book Fair at 3.30 each day from Friday 18th until Thursday 24th November.

Healthy Eating

I would like to remind you that the school has a very longstanding healthy eating policy that includes break time snacks and packed lunches.

Please send in a healthy snack for breacktime (This excludes crisps, sweets and chocolate bars). Fruit is available in school for Key Stage 2 children at 10p a piece.

Please send the snack in separately as children do not have access to their packed lunch boxes during the day.

Many thanks

Safeguarding Corner

On Tuesday Years 1 and 5 will be visited by the Warwickshire Fire Brigade for some important fire safety training.

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.

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Sport

Football

All Saints' v Bishops Itchington

The match started with our kick off and James got the ball and scored straight away. James scored another one but they came from 2 goals down to a draw. By this time our match ball had gone over the hedge from a block off one of their defenders. Their team scored another 3 goals but Devan made some cracking saves. Archie shot from outside the box and scored. Straight after that William scored and James scored another 2. They then scored an own goal. In the end we won by 7-5, it was a tough match. By the end, everyone on the pitch was wet through. They looked like they had just been in a swimming pool with their clothes on.

Match Reporter Archie Thompson

Cross Country 2016

The final race of the season is on Saturday 26th November at Priory Park in Warwick.

All Saints' Extra All Clubs end at 4.30pm, 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.

Booking Forms have gone out for the Spring term. Please return these ASAP. Places are filling up. ICT club on Thursday is now full.

The final date for bookings is **Friday 25th November 2016.**

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

7.30 Tuesday January 24th P.T.F.A

Steering Group. Help us to plan events for the term. All welcome, please come along to 'The Hub'.

Childrens' Film Night 6.00 18th November

Bring along your cushion and be ready to watch Inside Out, eat popcorn and have a drink at this terms film night. Tickets now on sale £5 each.

Christmas Raffle

The Christmas Raffle is an important part of our fund raising. This year we have a wonderful first prize kindly donated by Red Materials. A white Lenovo ideaPad- **A LAPTOP!**

The second prize is a family ticket to the Nutcracker ballet and the 3rd prize is a steam train ride and cream tea.

Raffle Prizes would be appreciated.

We would appreciate it if families would strive to sell tickets for us.. Extra tickets are available.

To maximise our efforts we are looking for people to sell tickets around the village. There is a lot of support for the school in the village with many former pupils living nearby. Please sign up on the list by the office and collect tickets to sell. We are aiming to cover every road.

Christmas Fair

Saturday 26th November 2pm

Preparing for stalls

We have found that the most efficient way of preparing for the fair and collecting items for sale is to have non-uniform days on Fridays leading up to the Fair. Children are asked to bring items for a specific stall.

Many thanks for donations received today.
Remember - wear what you like but also bring
along your donation.

18th November Bottles/ Books/ School Council
Lucky Dip- please put a present worth up to £1.00 in
a small gift bag.

25th November White elephant/ Toys/ Cakes or
mince pies.

Friday 2nd December Bags4Schools

Make room for all those Christmas gifts- out with
the old, in with the new. Our next Bags4Schools
collection will help you get rid of old clothes, shoes
etc.

**Christmas is on the way.... Shop the easy
way.**

Use our Virtual Shop. www.easyfundraising.org.uk
Just go to the site and register, we are listed as All
Saints Leek Wootton.

Red, and come for a memorable afternoon.

SUNDAY 20 NOVEMBER

9.30am - All Age Worship celebrating the 20th
'birthday' of All Saints' School.

Church Cleaning

We are looking for more volunteers as the ladies
that are on the rota have an average age of 72!!
The lady to contact if you can help is Shirley Calvert
t.n. 859003

Awards

Truly Brilliant- Olivia Hawker, Lucas Hanna,
Maisie Manning, Sam Waters, Nadia Kniwel,
Jessica Radford, Heidi Wragg, Robert Harrison,
Anna Tisdale

Bronze- Willow George, Lucy Pettifer, Sophie King,
Jacob Deeming, Finn Edser, Oscar Parker

Rainbow Steps- Chloe Higgins, Panagiotis Nezis

Raising the Roof- Lola Thompson, Jelena Lazic

Mathlete of the Week

Reception- Rachel Craine

KS1-Lilly Clatworthy **KS2-** Ronan Bibb

10K Reading Challenge-

**Mrs Patterson has now run out of the first batch
of medals 200 more are on their way so keep
reading!**

Dates:

Mon 14 Nov Year 6 trip to London 6am departure

Tues 15 Nov Fire Figher visit Years 1 & 5

Wed 16 Nov 9.20 Open Assembly Peter Burns

Thurs 17 Nov Singing Playgrounds

3.30 Netball v Burton Green Home

Fri 18 Nov 3.30 Book Fair



**All Saints
Together
at All Saints'
Parish Church**

SUNDAY 13 NOVEMBER

10.00am - Remembrance Sunday Parade Service
*Followed by parade from church to the recreation
ground for:*

11.00am - Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial
Stone - Leek Wootton Recreation Ground

3.00pm - MESSY CHURCH - Red for Remembering
Remember, Jesus loves you. Wear something

Film Night 18th November

Name

I wouldtickets for Film Night and enclose..... (£5 per ticket).

Dates added this week.

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
17 th	Singing Playgrounds workshops
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
22 nd	7.00 Green Leek Resources
23 rd	9.20 Open Assembly Jim Perryman
	1.30pm Open Afternoon for children starting school in September 2017
24 TH	3.30 Football v Our Lady's home
	7.00 Green Leek Full Governing Body at Burton Green
25 th	Non Uniform Day - white elephant, toys and cakes
	3.15 Preparing the school for Christmas- lots of helpers welcome!
26 th	9.45 Cross Country Priory Park
	2.00 Christmas Fair
30 th	7.00 Performance and Standards Committee at Burton Green
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