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# NEWSLETTER 2017/623

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Dear Parents,

## This week's news

This week we began our journey towards becoming a member of the International Cross of Nails Community. Emma Griffiths joined us from Coventry Cathedral and shared with the children the story of how the Cross of Nails began. Their observations show how fascinated they were and moved by this piece of local; and international history. She also talked to us about 'Building Bridges to Reconciliation and Friendship'. We will be gathering our evidence to submit our application and will be continuing to develop this aspect of our school life.

I spent some lovely time in Oak Class this week and was able to watch their excellent participation in a maths lesson. Everybody was fully involved and clearly very enthusiastic about applying what they had learned. I also got over the shock of watching Numicon being used with play dough!. The shock was lessened by listening to the children explaining their understanding of number bonds using this valuable resource.

## Class Highlights of the Week:

**Oak Class:** This week in maths we have been learning how to confidently count forwards and backwards along a number line. We have been jumping along to add and subtract.

In literacy we used our animal research to create our own non-fiction pages. We have learnt the key non-fiction vocabulary such as contents, index and glossary. It would be good for the children to visit a library to find some non-fiction texts.

We also started our topic on toys.

**Ash Class:** We've been starting to divide numbers this week by sharing and grouping, and making jumps on a numberline. The children have enjoyed using numicon shapes to share groups of objects. Some of the year 2s have begun to make links with their times tables. Keep practicing these!

In topic we looked at Atlases to find Africa and the countries of South Africa and Kenya. We have labelled the equator, talked about the climate and packed an 'imaginary' suitcase for our trip.

**Dudley Class:** Swimming started this week, which Dudley were very excited about. They behaved brilliantly for the first session.

In maths, we have been working on fractions. Any practice you can do on fractions at home on Mathletics or otherwise would really help.

Yesterday we made the most of the weather and played rounders in the afternoon.

**Waller Class:** This week in maths we have been looking at measurement, including telling the time, converting analogue to digital time, metric/imperial measures and on calculating perimeters of compound shapes. Year 5 have also focussed on investigating the properties of 2D shapes.

In literacy we have looked at explanation texts, reading and analysing explanations and have written poetry to share on Mother's Day. We have continued to develop our cricket skills and our dance about the journey of a river.

**Wise Class:** Wise Class this week have begun a unit on Salvation in RE. We read from Luke's gospel Chapter 24- and dramatized the resurrection. The children quickly shared out roles and used great imagination.

We Have started a new class reader called 'Wanderstruck'. We are using the text to look at how we can read in more detail using inference and deduction skills in order to appreciate a plot and depth of characters.

All Years 6 have worked hard to 'master' long division this week - it has been lovely to see them all tackle high level maths with enthusiasm and determination.

## Mrs P's Pot of Gold 2017

A big thank you to everybody who sent in some very thoughtful ways in which the £50 could be used. There were lots of super ideas.

The idea I have chosen is something very different from what happens on the other days. It was sent in by Chloe, Hannah, Heidi, Helena, Anna and Jasmine it will be a story telling and puppet show club. They will spend the money buying puppets to be used at the club.

Well done I'm sure this will be a very popular lunchtime activity.

**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.

### **Summer Term Bookings**

Please ensure payments for summer term are made as soon as you receive texts from School Money. Your child's place will only be secure if payment has been received.

### **Sport**

#### **Cross Country**

It was great to see so many runners from Years 5 and 6 taking part in the county selection race in Southam on Saturday. It was the first experience for Year 5 all of whom ran extremely well in a fast very competitive setting.

Heidi Wager came 9<sup>th</sup> and so moves on to represent central area on the 25<sup>th</sup> March at The Croft School in Stratford.

I am ever hopeful that now the weather is becoming more settled that we will be able to resume regular cross country for the rest of the term. I plan to begin this next week so that we are prepared for the KDPSA race on 2<sup>nd</sup> May in the Abbey Fields. This will be open to all our Year 5 and 6 runners.

#### **Football v Our Lady's**

In this week's match, All Saints played their rivals Our Lady's; it was a tense game from beginning to end. An unfortunate mistake by their keeper gifted All Saints' our first goal. From then on it was skill and not just luck that took us to victory. The man of the match award goes to Matthew Mendia for his sterling performance in defence. However the whole team put in a performance worthy of a Premiership side. 5-1 a score to be proud of.

Reporter: Devan Lota.

#### **Children's Bingo Evening**

A big thank you to Oliver and Felix for organising the evening for us, I think everybody enjoyed themselves. A big thank you from Oliver and Felix to everybody who supported the event. £175 was raised for their trip to Sicily to represent England in the School World Orienteering Championships.

### **Mothers Day Assembly 24<sup>th</sup> March**

We would like to invite mums and grandmas to our special Mother's Day Assembly at 2.30 on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March.

Dudley will be holding their **cake sale** afterwards. Donations would be appreciated.



### **Green Leek 10K 2017 October 8<sup>th</sup>**

Following our consultation with a range of different bodies who area affected by the 10K Run I am delighted to inform you that the second 10K will take place on October 8<sup>th</sup> 2017.

Please note that this is a change of date so adjust your calendars.

If you would like to be involved in helping us organise this popular event, and we would welcome more volunteers, please contact Sue Patterson for further details. Our next steering group meeting is on 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00pm at All Saints'.

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

**Our next Steering Group meeting is on 27<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm in 'The Hub'. We are now beginning to plan our next project.**

#### **THE BALL**

As 'The Ball' draws nearer we would appreciate payment for tickets by 7<sup>th</sup> April, £29.50 per person.

#### **Quiz Evening March 11<sup>th</sup>**

Unfortunately due to lack of sufficient demand we have cancelled this event.

### **Regency 10K 2<sup>nd</sup> April**

Leamington Round Table are looking for people to help as marshals for this event that runs around Newbold Comyn. If we can provide 5 marshals they will donate £250 to P.T.F.A.. If you can help please contact Lisa Craine on 07785922859.

## Cake Sale 24<sup>th</sup> March

Our next cake sale for class funds will be on 24<sup>th</sup> March after the Mothers Day assembly. This time it will be organised by Dudley Class.

## Calling all cricketers

**Green Leek Cricket Match- Save the date Sports and Social Club in Leek Wootton Tuesday 23rd May 5pm onwards**

To have a bit of fun and to enjoy sport together, I am arranging a junior cricket match between Burton Green and All Saints' at 5pm on Tuesday 23rd May. This will take place at the recreation ground at the Sports and Social Club in Leek Wootton. The junior match, open to children in Years 4, 5 and 6 will be followed at 6pm by an adult match.

Bar and barbecue will be available as a fund raiser for both schools, Please complete the slip and return to Mrs Patterson if you would like to play in either match or email [head3588@welearn365.com](mailto:head3588@welearn365.com). Rich Kettle will be organising the team and may arrange some nets practice. We currently have a few spaces left.

## Easy Fundraising

Help us by collecting free donations when you book holidays and travel.

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## All Saints Together at All Saints' Parish Church

### SUNDAY 12 MARCH

Lent - A Formative Experience

9.30am - Holy Communion with children's groups

### SUNDAY 19 MARCH

Lent - A Questioning Experience

8.00am - Holy Communion

9.30am - All Age Worship

### SUNDAY 26 MARCH - MOTHERING SUNDAY

Lent - A Nurturing Experience

9.30am - Mothering Sunday Parade Service with Leek Wootton Beavers, Brownies and Cubs

## SUNDAY 2 APRIL

Lent - A Death and Life Experience

8.00am - Holy Communion

9.30am - All Age Worship

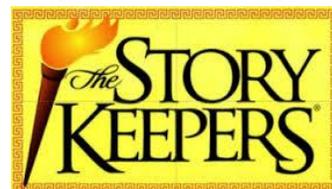
3.00pm - **MESSY CHURCH EASTER SPECIAL at the Village Hall**

## SUNDAY 9 APRIL - PALM SUNDAY

Lent - A Triumphant Experience

9.30am - Holy Communion with children's groups

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



## Storykeepers Holiday Bible Club 2017

Tuesday 15th - Thursday 17th August

9:30am-12:30pm each day

at All Saints' School

More details after Easter

## Toddlers/Stay & Play

at Leek Wootton Village Hall

Thursdays, term-time 10-11.30 am

For 0-5's, £1.50 per family (drop in)

Mums, Dads, Grandparents and carers welcome.

Toys, craft and singing, fun outdoors in our woodland play area. Park close by and good parking.

Ring Janet 258264 for details

## Awards

**Truly Brilliant** - Lily Fish, Harry Hawker, Sam Waters, Thea Coopers, Willow George, Leo Barratt, Emma Craine, Evie Searle Grace Tyreman-Goodwin

**Silver Plus** - Olivia Hawker, Megan Bignall, Will Collins

**Silver** - Oskar Hillermann, Robert Harrison

**Bronze** - Amara Jan, Anton Hellings

**Raising the Roof** - Sofia Papadogiannakis, Rachel Craine

**Rainbow Steps** - Lola Tyreman-Goodwin

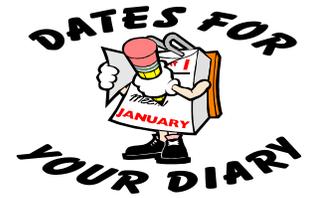
**10 Reading Challenge** - Annabelle Epplstone-Hughes

**Mathlete of the Week**

**Reception** - Charlie Howson

**KS1** - Gio Dhillon, Daniel Erskine

**KS2** - Archie Thompson



Please note these dates are given at the beginning of each term for guidance.

Sometimes changes occur that are outside of our control.

Please ensure that dates are checked in weekly newsletters distributed each Friday.

March 15 <sup>th</sup>	9.20 Open Assembly Peter Burns
March 24 <sup>th</sup>	2.30 - Mothers' Day Assembly
April 4 <sup>th</sup>	1.30 - KDPSA Swimming Gala - Abbey Fields 7pm Full Governing Body at All Saints
April 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 - Easter Assembly - Y3 and Y4 - All Saints' Church
April 7 <sup>th</sup>	EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA - All welcome to join us from 1.30pm Break-up for Easter Holiday
April 24 <sup>th</sup>	Return to School

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.....would like to play in the children's cricket team, at 5.00pm.

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