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This week's news

Welcome back after what I trust was a relaxing half term break. We now begin a very busy half term with lots going on for children and adults.

Tomorrow the PTFA will be manning the BBQ and 'Mrs P's Mocktails Stall' at the Village Fete so please come along and buy your lunch or afternoon snack before watching our Year 3 and 4 children perform their country dancing at 2.30pm

On Sunday Years 5 and 6 from both our Green Leek schools will be travelling to Norfolk for the Kingswood residential visit. Next week the senior member of staff at All Saints' will be Mrs Batts who will be your first point of contact should you need her. Mrs Mafe is one of the adults accompanying the visit so next week there will be limited staff in the school office. It will be manned in the mornings and we do have a voicemail system that will be checked regularly. However I would appreciate it if routine enquires could be made once we return the following week.

Mr Rodriguez, along with a large group of teaching assistants from Waller and Dudley, will be responsible for the children in Dudley and the children in Waller and Wise who are remaining in school. A full week of learning has been planned and on Friday Years 3 & 4 will be going to the Day of the African Child.

There will not be an achievement assembly or newsletter next week. On June 30th we will have our special Kingswood achievement assembly.

Safeguarding Children

Calling All Dog Owners

With the exception of guide dogs, dogs are not allowed on school site at any time before, during or after the school day.

I have noticed that a considerable number of dogs gather with their owners at the school gate at the beginning and end of the day. We have a number of children in school who are significantly frightened and anxious around dogs and this is causing some distress when they are entering or leaving the school site. I would appreciate it if owners would not gather together with their dogs directly around any of the school gates.

Your help would be really appreciated not only by myself but also by the children this affects.

Davy the guide dog is of course an exception!

School Photos

A whole school photo was taken of us all just before half term. Class and team photos were also taken. These are available to be seen and ordered online. Please go to www.pics4schools.com and enter your unique security code which can be found on the Sally Evans Photography card that the children brought home this week.

Stained Glass Window Days

Monday and Tuesday 19th & 20th June

We would like to give a more permanent focus for our daily Collective Worship in the hall. To do this all of the children in school are going to be working with Mrs Rose to design and make a 'stained glass window' to cover the window behind our current focus.

The theme for the panels will support our work to become a Cross of Nails school with a focus on Peace and Reconciliation.

Class Highlights of the Week:

Oak Class: Such a busy first week back. Sadly our village garden walk was rained off but we will rearrange this.

In maths this week, we have increased our knowledge of time including o'clock, half past and moving onto quarter to and past. It would be great if the children could practise this at home using clocks around the house.

In literacy, we have been using our alphabet knowledge to use dictionaries. We have written about African animals.

We also enjoyed a delightful visit from Mr Gibson with his baby lambs.

Please see Mrs Batts if you are free to join us at the Sikh Gurdwara on 20th June in the morning.

Our rehearsals for our class assembly on the 23rd June have started. Letters about costumes and words to learn have gone home.
Wanted: recycled materials for junk modelling please and seaside stories and books to share.

Ash Class: We have begun learning songs for our class assembly, which the children have approached with great enthusiasm. They have been keen to rehearse their speaking parts and dances. We've been impressed by the children's responses to the story of Grace Darling and they've contributed thoughtful ideas for our prayer.

Dudley Class: This week Dudley have worked hard, create and as a team, to create and program their Lego Wedo models. Everyone used their ICT skills to create a brilliant, functional model. Over the past few weeks, years 3 and 4 have worked so hard on their country dancing. Please come along to the village fete at 2.30pm to watch their performance.

Waller Class: This week in maths, we have been concentrating on finding areas and perimeters of shapes, looking at the properties of 2D and 3D shapes as well as finding the volume of cuboids. In English we have been continuing to read, analyse and comment on extracts from 'The Hobbit'. We have written conversations with the dragon using conjunctions and embedded clauses to add details. We have focussed on the correct formatting for direct and reported speech.

Meanwhile, the athletics events have been practised, country dancing is ready to be performed, and we have completed our work on Spring Fever.

Wise Class: In Wise Class this week we have been looking at calculating time intervals using a number line and revising the 24hour clock.

We have also produced leaflets about coastal features such as caves, stacks and cliffs. The children added interesting facts and described how the process of erosion occurs.

We have begun initial practices of the play this week- looking at where we come on, stand and our tone and expression. The children have already delighted me with their enthusiasm and commitment- well done all!

We are looking forward to Kingswood next week and enjoyed a super 'Egg Drop Challenge Day' with Burton Green where we had to create packaging for an egg which would protect it when being dropped from 8 feet. Most eggs survived with only '3' contraptions having a 'cracking 'time- a fun day for all and lots of new friendships started.

OAK CLASS ASSEMBLY 23RD JUNE 9.20am

Oak class would like to invite family and friends to their class assembly when they will be sharing all of the exciting things they have been getting up to.

ADMISSIONS 2018

OPEN DAYS RECEPTION 2018

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.

20^h June 2017

9.45am

21st June 2017

1.30pm

Please ring 01926 400498 to reserve a place.

Sport

Athletics

The KDPSA Field Events take place at Kenilworth School on Tuesday 20th June at 4pm . The Track Events take place at Edmonscote Track on Thursday 22nd June at 4pm. Children who have been selected for events have received a letter this week.

All Saints' Extra - All Clubs end at 4.30 pm, Chill Out ends at 5.15pm.

Mrs Garlick is available by email or via the school telephone number 01926 400498.

Premier Active will be running activity days at All Saints' the first two weeks of the summer holidays - 24th - 4th August and also October half term, 23-27th October.

Please see Mrs Garlick for more information.

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

Look out for the date of our next steering group date in September.

Green Leek Cricket Match

Many thanks to everybody who took part in and supported this event. It was a lovely evening in more ways than one with All Saints' coming out victorious . As a result £200 was raised for each school.

Village Fete 10th June from 1.30pm onwards

This is a great opportunity to be part of a village wide event with lots of fun and excitement assured for all ages. It is also a super fundraising opportunity. This year we will be providing a BBQ as well as our Mrs P's Mocktails stall.

Bags2Schools Tuesday 27th June- Please note change of date.

Save all your unwanted clothes, shoes, belts for our next Bags2Schools Collection.

Drop off Monday after school or before 9am on Tuesday. Encourage neighbours and friends to contribute too.

School v Village Cricket Match 27th June
Junior Match 5.00pm followed by adult match at 6pm.

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. Please complete the slip and return ASAP.

Wren Hall Cake Sale 2nd July

We have been fortunate to secure a slot at this popular afternoon tea venue. To maximise this opportunity we will need about 30 large cakes and a rota of volunteers to keep the cups filled. Sue Gibson has more details if you can help.

End of Year Summer BBQ Friday 14 July

Please save the date for our popular and final event of the year. It's never too early to plan a class or year group stall.

15th July Summer Barbecue

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.

At this event we do run a number of stalls and we have found it useful to collect items for these through non-uniform Fridays during this term. Wear what you like **and** please bring an item.

23rd June	Books
30 th June	Bottles for bottle tombola
7th July	Chocolate tombola, Toys,
14 th July	Anything you wish to send in and haven't.

At this weeks meeting we discussed ways in which we can involve many more people organising stalls. We would appreciate it if Year groups would take responsibility for particular tasks and arrange their rotas.

Reception- Ticketing and running the Chocolate Tombola
Year 1- Toy Stall and books

Years 2 - Selling raffle tickets and organising additional prizes

Year 3 - Barbecue

Year 4 - Ticketing and running the Bottle Tombola

Year 5- Treasure Hunt

Year 6- Bar

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Green Leek 10K 2017
October 8th
Registration opens this week.

Please check

www.greenleekrun.co.uk

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

SUNDAY 28 MAY

9.30am - All Age Holy Communion with children's groups

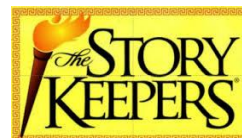
SUNDAY 4 JUNE - PENTECOST

8.00am - Holy Communion

9.30am - All Age Worship

2.30pm - Church Summer Teas in Church (until 5pm)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Storykeepers Holiday Bible Club 2017

Tuesday 15th - Thursday 17th August

9:30am-12:30pm each day

at All Saints' School

Applications open very soon.

Rainbow Steps - Gio Dhillon, Austin Bibb, Emily Ward, Daniel Erskine,

Raising the Roof - Jelena Lazic, Rachel Craine,

Mathlete of the Week

Reception Archie Murphy, Aiyana Austen, Jessica Docherty

KS1 - George Horner, Lucy Docherty,

KS2 - Amelia Mafe, Ronan Bibb

Amazingly Wicked - Maggie Denwood-Archer, Finn Edser.

Mind Blowingly Brilliant - Oli Brandsma

Awards

Truly Brilliant - Chloe Higgins, Daniel Mendia, Ana Hall, Maggie Denwood-Archer, Evie Shields, Evie Searle, Andrew Digby, Charlotte Hall, Harry Wager

Gold - Finn Edser, Bruno Edge,

Silver - Oliver Mason,

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.....would like to play in the adult cricket team, and I am available to play from 6.00pm.

Name

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School v Village Cricket Match Tuesday 27th June

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

Name

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June 10 th	2.00 pm Village Fete and Village Country Dancing displays. P.T.F.A Pimms and BBQ
June 11 th	Years 5 & 6 Kingswood Residential visit, Norfolk
June 14 th	Reception 2017 Group Induction 9.20 Open Assembly Rev Peter Burns
June 19 th	Stained Glass Window Day
June 20 th	9.45 Open Morning September 2018 NEW Green Leek Reception children visit The Gurdwara 4.00 KDPSA Field Events at Kenilworth School 7.00 All Saints' Resources Committee
June 21 st	9.20 Ash Class Assembly Reception 2017 Group Induction 1.30 Open Afternoon September 2018 7.00 Green Leek Performance and Standards at All Saints'.
June 22 nd	4.00 KDPSA Track Events at Edmonscode Track
June 23 rd	Bags2 School 9.20 Oak Class assembly
June 27 th	5.00 Pupils Cricket Match, 6.00 School v Village Cricket Match
June 28 th	Induction Day Year 6. September classes YR - Year 5 Reception 2017 Induction 9.20 Open Assembly followed by coffee and chat
June 29 th	6.00 Central Area Sports 7.00 Green Leek Resources at Burton Green
June 30 th	7.30 Years 3 & 4 Sleepover
July 2 nd	P.T.F.A Cake Sale at Wren Hall, helpers required.
July 4 th	6.00 KDPSA Country Dancing Festival at Kenilworth Castle.
July 5 th	4.30 - 6.30 Open Evening
July 6 th	7.00 Green Leek Governing Body at Burton Green
July 11 th	NEW Green Leek Wellie Wednesday and Year 1 Multi Sports Day at Burton Green Reports to Parents out
July 12 th	9.20 Open Assembly Rev Jim Perryman 2.00 Afternoon Matinee Performance.
July 13 th	Oak and Ash Classes Pirate Day 7.00 Year 5& 6 Performance
July 14 th	6.00 PTFA Family Barbecue
July 18 th	5-7.30 Parents Evening
July 19 th	9.15 Pot of Gold and Leavers Assembly All Saints' Church
July 20 th	Sports Day 5.00 Year 6 Leavers social event
July 21 st	am Children's informal Talent Show- pupils only. 1.00 Family Picnic- no hot meals, 2.30 Final Assembly. Break Up
September 1 st and 4 th	Staff INSET Days
Sept 5 th	Pupils return to School