



## All Saints Newsletter 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019

### **Sporting Events**

#### **Badminton – Level 2 Competition**

On Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January, Mrs Rathe took some Year 5 children to Benham Sports Arena for a Badminton Skills Competition. The children represented our school wonderfully and worked incredibly hard gaining second place team award. Well Done!

#### **Gymnastics**

Harry, Lucas, Ruby and Olivia had worked very hard, learning their routines for their Gymnastic Competition held on 30<sup>th</sup> January. They were fortunate enough to have their own personal coaches who had competed in a similar competition last year. Thanks Eloise, Amy, Maja and Alexandra from Year 5. All the hard work and practice paid off because they came first in their category and are off to the County finals. Well Done!

#### **House Captains**

We are proud to announce this year's Year 6 House Captains:

Kingsthorpe: Lily and Jamie

Moulton: Kacie and Shane

Abington: Freddie and Sian

Delapre: Mia and Jade

These children, who were chosen by our staff, have shown an excellent attitude and commitment to our school family.

#### **SATs Information Evening**

Thank you to the parents of our Year 2 and Year 6 children who attended the SATs Information Evening on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January. We hope that this provided an insight into what SATs are, how the children will be assessed and the reporting process. We will be sending out the PowerPoint presentation via ParentMail but if you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Class Teacher.

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#### **E-Safety Usage**

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February was Safer Internet Day. Online games like Fortnite and FIFA are evolving into social spaces where children meet with their friends and make new ones. Parent Zone have produced new advice for parents on how to keep children safe when using in-game chat.

Please click on the link below for a copy of this advice.

[https://parentzone.org.uk/article/weekly-briefing-11-18-january-2019?utm\\_source=Parent+Zone+Newsletter&utm\\_campaign=2f5e158739-EMAIL\\_CAMPAIGN\\_2019\\_01\\_24\\_10\\_21&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_1ee27d9000-2f5e158739-178770357](https://parentzone.org.uk/article/weekly-briefing-11-18-january-2019?utm_source=Parent+Zone+Newsletter&utm_campaign=2f5e158739-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2019_01_24_10_21&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1ee27d9000-2f5e158739-178770357)

#### **Candlemas Service – Year 4**

On Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February, our Year 4 children visited St Matthews Church in Northampton, along with other voluntary aided schools in the town, to celebrate Candlemas. This event in the church calendar marks the end of the Epiphany season. Jesus was taken to the Jewish Temple where he met two elderly people – Anna and Simeon. They welcomed him and proclaimed him as Christ the light of the world.

Our value this term is Peace, focussing on the peace that God can give; a peace that transcends all else in the world and how we promote peace in our own lives. .

Three particular passages from the Bible will be looked at this term are:

- Jesus calms the storm
- Jesus appears to his disciples
- The quote from Philippians 4 – The peace of God which passes all understanding.

### **Health Checks**

If your child is in Reception, just a reminder to send in the completed health form into the school office by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February if you wish to have your child's height and weight checked. The School Nurses are in school during the week commencing 25<sup>th</sup> February.

### **Free School Meals**

If you receive benefits and believe that your child is eligible for free school meals, please contact the free school meals service on 01604 366656 or email: [freeschoolmeals@northamptonshire.gov.uk](mailto:freeschoolmeals@northamptonshire.gov.uk)

If you are eligible All Saints can provide additional support for school events, trips, music tuition and a free uniform bundle.

### **Roadworks on Boughton Green Road**

Further to my letter dated 6<sup>th</sup> February regarding the roadworks on the Boughton Green Road, please remember to make time at the start and end of the school day to ensure that your child arrives on time and is collected on time at 3.15pm.

### **Oscars' Cake Sale**

On Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February at 3.15pm, Oscars are holding a Valentine's Cake Sale to raise money for Children In Need. All cakes 50P!

### **Coming Soon:**

Acrocirque Acrobatic and Circus Academy – starting after half term – Wednesday evenings - various sessions available for both children and adults - details available very soon!

### **Dates for the Diary**

<b><u>FEB</u></b>		<b><u>MARCH cont'd</u></b>	
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup>	Class 1 St Clare Worship	Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> to Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	Science Week followed by Science Fayre
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	EYFS Cake Sale – 3.15pm in playground	Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	Comic Relief Worship lead by Year 2
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup>	Arts Week	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> to Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Year 4 Residential at Woodcroft Centre
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	Photographer – Class Groups	Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	Mothers' Day Family Worship lead by Reception St Francis followed by Open morning
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	Art Exhibition – 2.30pm- Family welcome to admire our artwork. <b>Term Ends – 3.15pm</b>	<b>APR</b>	
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Tues 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Teacher Training Day</b> <b>Term Starts</b>	Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Parents Evening 3.30 – 6.30pm
Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup>	FOAS AGM – 2.30pm in Meeting Room	Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	Parents Evening 3.30 – 6.30pm
<b>MARCH</b>		Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Service – 2.15pm
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Reception St Mary – Stay & Play –9am		<b>School closes for Easter Break</b>
	Reception St Francis – Stay & Play – 2pm	Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Teacher Training Day</b>
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup>	World Book Day Non Uniform Day or dressing up	Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>School Opens for new term</b>
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Family Worship lead by Year 3 St Hildegard		
w/c Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	Bible Exhibition at Reynard Way – Key Stage 2		

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