



# All Saints C. of E. Primary School NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2010

Head teacher: Mrs. J. Beech

## Admissions: Important Information

If your child currently attends our nursery and was born between 1st September 2006 and 31st August 2007 and we are your choice of a Reception school place you must collect a pack from Sue or Marie at the School Office on Friday 10th September. Please read the information carefully to ensure your application is handed in on time and is accurate. If you have older children in school and wish to apply for younger children to start Reception in September 2011 who are not currently in our nursery please also collect a pack on Friday 10th September from the School Office.

## Afterschool Clubs

This year we are employing additional sports coaches to run clubs due to parent feedback in the summer term. Monday lunchtime sports clubs available for just 50p a session for Year 1 upwards. Afterschool sessions on Fridays now only £1.50. Please see letters coming out today and sign up quickly as places are limited.

## Money in School

A polite reminder that all money that comes in to school needs to be in a **labelled envelope if it is to be accepted by the school office.**



## Attendance & Punctuality.....

.....is extremely important to us as a school as poor attendance reflects whether we are judged as a good school. Can I remind you that registers close in the morning at 8:55 am. Thank you to the families who always try to send their children to school and are punctual it really does make a big difference. Well done to the children that achieved 95 - 100% attendance last year. Can we all make a special effort to help the school to be judged as outstanding.



## Family Support Worker

Parents are reminded that Mrs. Poxon is available during school hours if there are any problems or concerns that need addressing.

**Toast!** We really enjoy our toast especially in the cold weather. We desperately need volunteers to help. Please see Mrs. Poxon at the school office for details. Please note that all volunteers will need to have or apply for a Criminal Records Bureau (CRB) Check before they can volunteer in school.



## School Uniform

Parents that have ordered School Uniform in July are advised that these orders are now awaiting collection. Any parents wishing to order uniform, can they please place any orders with the school office before Friday 22nd October.



## Home School Agreement

Look out for a revised home school agreement leaflet coming out this week which was written by our school council.

## Secondary School Choice

The deadline for applications for Yr.6 parents to select their child's secondary school is **1st November 2010**. Tony Wright (School choice advisor) will be at parents evening on 19th October to offer advice & support.



## Lunch Boxes & Water Bottles

To aid the smooth running of the School Office could parents please ensure that children have both their water bottles & lunch boxes before school starts at 8:45am.

## Welcome Meetings

To find out the types of things your children will be learning this term in their new year group, please come along if you can to a short meeting:-

Yr 1/2 Friday 17th Sept. at 8:50 or 3:00  
Yr 3/4 Monday 20th Sept. at 8:50 or 3:00  
Yr 5/6 Tuesday 21st Sept. at 8:50 or 3:00

## Reading Volunteer Programme

Training is available to help your child learn to read or help other children in school. Find out more at a coffee morning on Friday 24th September 9:00 - 9:30am

**School Developments to building over the Summer**

- New carpets fitted in the computer room, year 2 class room and the admin office / corridor.
- New non-slip flooring fitted to the entrance / food serving area.
- New kitchen fitted for cookery-based in the Infant area.
- New tables and seating to some Junior class rooms and learning areas.
- Essential electrical checks and work completed. Repairs and replacement suspended ceiling to parts of school.
- Resource areas and storage improved.
- Decoration to corridor areas.

**School Choir**

We want to launch a school choir for children in years 3 - 6. Mrs. Cockshott will run auditions next week during school hours and following that children will be invited to an afterschool club on a Thursday after school for the cost of £1.00



**Start of the school day**

Members of the Senior Management Team will be available on the playground before school should you like to talk to them. Children will line up ready to enter school of they choose at 8:45, this allows them 5 minutes to prepare for registration.

**Respect for Everyone Week**

Next week, as well as our usual curriculum, we will be celebrating and focusing on exploring the themes of diversity, values and beliefs as part of our religious education and citizenship. We have lots of creative activities planned for all of the children.



**Afterschool Club Details:-**

**Monday Afterschool Club:** Year 1-3 - Multi-sports (e.g. Benchball, Dodgeball, Basketball)

Year 4-6 - Multi-sports (e.g. Benchball, Dodgeball, Basketball)

**Friday Afterschool Club:** Year 1-3 - Dance / Cheerleading

Year 4-6 - Football



**Dates for your diary.....**

**September**

- 17th - Miss. Allden's Class Assembly
- 24th - Miss. Palin's Class Assembly

**October**

- 1st - Harvest  
Miss. Sloyan's Class Assembly
- 8th - Mrs. Matthews Class Assembly
- 15th - Mrs. Grainger's Class Assembly
- 22nd - Mrs. Darby's Class Assembly  
End of term

**November**

- 1st - Start of term  
All Saints Day
- 5th - Mrs. Fox's Class Assembly
- 12th - Remembrance Day  
Mrs. Cockshott Class Assembly
- 17th - Year 3/4 visit to Theatre

**November (cont.)**

- 19th - Miss. Tonks' Class Assembly
- 8th/15th/22nd - Year 1 Road Safety
- 30th - RAF Road Show in KS2
- KS1 Edgmond Hall visit (TBC)
- Children in Need Charity Day (TBC)

**December**

- 3rd - Miss. Allden's Class Assembly
- 10th - Mrs. Hughes' Class Assembly  
Christmas Dinner
- KS2 Christmas Production:  
13th - Dress rehearsal pm  
14th - Afternoon Show  
15th - Morning & Evening Show
- KS1 Christmas Production (TBC)
- 16th - Christmas Party Day
- 17th - End of term

Autumn Term