

All Saints' Church of England Primary School's

Friday 10th September 2020



HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS



Enfys, Beth			
Red	Bronze	Silver	☆ Gold
Bronze Cup	Silver Cup	Gold Cup	Bronze Medal
Silver medal	V		

	DIARY DATES
24.9.20	PTA VIRTUAL AGM DETAILS TO FOLLOW
29.9.20	ACADEMY PHOTOGRPAHY
2.10.20	HARVEST FESTIVAL
14.12.20	FLU VACCINATIONS ALL YEARS

David for settling so well into life at school and for being a 'great tidier upper'. Jack for coming back to school with a mature attitude and a good focus to learning.

Well done Jack, keep it up!



effort in lessons.

Sophie, Maddie V and Betsy for settling beautifully into school. Working well with peers and for their outstanding

Alice B for a super start back, an excellent example to the Year 5's and some fabulous

writing too.

Please see website for full school events calendar

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The sower sows the word.



"Go as far as you can see; when you get there, you'll be able to see further."

Thomas Carlyle



WEEK COMMENCING 14.09.2020 Monday Tuesday PE - CLASS 2, 3, 4 Wednesday PE - CLASS 1, 2, 3 PE - CLASS 4 **Thursday** PE - CLASS 1 Friday

THIS WEEK IN FOCUS

Wow! Our first full week has gone brilliantly. Thank you to everyone for your contribution to positivity, taking responsibility, staying safe and being happy! We appreciate your communication with us to overcome obstacles and support in reinforcing messages.

Children have enjoyed our Ralph and animal care themed week sharing texts, writing, art work and even involvement in Pugs of the Frozen North (book by Philip Reeve) based PE! Please see what we are learning and doing on twitter, there will always be at least one weekly class tweet and some super whole school items! @AllRangemore and @NeedwoodOf.

We are working towards an international award and have, as a group of schools, achieved a grant bid to work closely with some schools in Uganda which should include a teacher exchange but of course we need to wait and see. Next week, 14th - 18th September is Uganda week where children are exploring some texts and activities around this theme.

We thank our PTA for their fabulously fun socially distanced meeting this week to make new, safe plans and tie up old action points. We look forward to our virtual AGM. Have a lovely weekend. Mrs Gethin

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO -



NHS WEEK

The week of 21st September we are having an NHS week. Children will be completing specialist artwork for a gallery and sales, the proceeds of which will go to the NHS. We were looking to have a gallery during parents evening but, as that is likely to be virtual, we are exploring other options such as a virtual gallery! Watch this space!

Are you an NHS worker? Can you help please? We are trying to organise lots of rich experiences for the children and we hoped that you or someone you know may be able to do a zoom session or a recorded video for the children about your role in the NHS. Is this something you would be happy to do and, if so, what day, time would you be able to do it? Luckily with Zoom you can do all classes at once rather than cycle round them, or we can chat about what you would like to do and for which class if you'd prefer something smaller scale. Thank you so much for considering this!

HARVEST

We are looking forward to our harvest festival, although it will be a little different this year. We will still be collecting food donations but ONLY dried and long life goods. These will be given to the YMCA our chosen charity. Unfortunately we cannot accept perishable goods or flowers this year as we won't be able to decorate the church as we have done for previous harvest festivals.

A few suggestions are:-

Tinned foods (ring pulls only please) - soup, baked beans, tomatoes, tinned fruit etc.

Dry Foods - cereal bars, cakes, chocolate bars, biscuits etc.

Rice, pasta, cereals, crackers, crisps

Bottled water, toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, shower gel, hand sanitiser, anti-bacterial cream/wipes, first aid supplies.



Please bring any donations into school on **Friday 2nd October**. Thank you for your support.

ANYTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

LUNCHES - FROM MONDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER

From next Monday, 14th we are able to offer an additional lunch choice.



Children will be able to choose from either a jacket potato or a sandwich every day.

The filling choices for the jacket potato will be plain, cheese, beans or cheese and beans.

All lunch choices include -

Vegetable sticks, homemade cookie, biscuit, flapjack or yoghurt

A piece of fruit and a drink.

Thank you.

SANDWICHES

All wrappings and left over food will be sent back home with your child each day. Firstly, this helps you to know what your child has/hasn't eaten at lunchtime and secondly, prevents additional movement to bins and unnecessary queueing. As children are eating in classrooms it stop smells, the need for extra bins and supervision issues of additional clearing away etc. This all helps towards keeping everyone safe.



Welcome to a new school year and the PTA.

All are welcome to actively join as frankly it's a case of 'more the merrier'. We are a friendly bunch of mums and dads and due to our fantastic numbers at the moment anyone joining will see it doesn't need to be a full time career move. You can help out when and as much as you wish or are able. If you are interested then please just give us a socially distanced wave, you will find someone from most years that will be able to answer any questions. This year may be slightly different but as your PTA we still hope to hold lots of events and have heaps of fun.

Last night we had a quick meeting to discuss the possibilities of future events due to Covid19 and scratch a few dates in the diary, the first being the AGM where the Chair, Vice Chair and Treasurer will be voted in. This will be held on 24th September via Zoom or Teams (details to follow).

Your support is essential, from previous fundraising events, last year we were able to contribute £7,500 towards the new ipads and laptops, they couldn't have come at a better time and proved invaluable during these last few bumpy months. This year our mission is to transform part of the field that runs adjacent to the church and along the end of the playground and make it available to our children by Spring next year. It will need levelling and fencing to make it safe and secure but would give the children much needed space and a grassy area for breaks and lunch play and open up more outdoor space for lessons and PE plus any other events.

Thank you in advance for your continued support.

PTA



TIK-TOK

We wanted to alert you to a violent suicide video which is circulating on Tik-Tok and we are being told it is easy to find.

Please be aware.

Further advice re Tik-Tok

Using any social network can be risky, but it's possible for kids to safely use the app with adult supervision (and a private account). When you sign up for TikTok, your account is public by default, meaning anyone can see your videos, send you direct messages, and use your location information. Parents should make sure to turn on all privacy settings for accounts kids are using, so only people you know can interact with your videos or message you on the app. That means either opting for a private account or changing the settings for comments, duets, reactions, and messages to "Friends" instead of "Everyone." You can also turn those features off completely.

What age is TikTok recommended for?

Recommendations suggest for age 15+ mainly due to the privacy issues and mature content. TikTok requires that users be at least 13 years old to use the full TikTok experience, although there is a way for younger kids to access the app. Anyone under the age of 18 must have approval of a parent or guardian.

Is TikTok appropriate for kids?

Because of TikTok's emphasis on popular music, many videos include swearing and sexual lyrics, so it may not be age-appropriate for kids to use on their own. It's also easy to find people wearing revealing clothing and dancing suggestively, although TikTok won't let you search for objectionable content such as "sex." If you supervise your kids and stick to songs you already know from the radio, TikTok can be a kid-friendly experience.





https://www.mpft.nhs.uk/ for signposting and support. Follow them on twitter too @mpftnhs

Back to school, wellbeing through film. Whilst this resource is aimed at teachers I thought it was useful as it lists how to use film for a variety of wellbeing needs for example 'Sonic skills set for success' – in partnership with the youth sport trust!.

https://www.intofilm.org/news-and-views/articles/wellbeing-returning-to-school?gclid=EAlalQobChMluaP33evb6wlVQbTtCh0ylg4wEAAYASAAEgKqlfD_BwE



ACADEMY PHOTOGRAPHY

Due to the current situation and guidelines in place in school, unfortunately Academy will only be able to take photographs of the children currently at our school.

We are, therefore, unable to offer whole family photographs. However, if you have more than 1 child at All Saints they will be able to have a photo together. Thank you for your understanding.

PLEASE CONSIDER

BACK DRIVE AND LOCAL COMMUNITY

We thank our parents for being respectful to our neighbours and, in particular the school house family as we are using the drive which, whilst is our right of way, they usually have peace and quiet from. Also, whilst no aspersions are being cast, there are some scratches on the bonnet of their car which sits by our back gate. It may not be our children / families but the car has not been moved and I have said that I will remind families to be extra specially careful. Finally, whilst the family will endeavour not to do so, they may need to use the drive at the time you are using it. I am unable to control this and so I ask you to be vigilant, as will they. Thank you for your understanding and consideration towards our community.



- What can you do to get your child vaccinated?

 Contact your child's GP if your child was aged two or three years old (on the 31 August of the current flu season) and you haven't heard from them by early November.

 If your child is at primary school, attends a special education school, or in year 7 of secondary school, the school will send you a leaflet and consent form. Please sign the form and return it. If your child has a health condition that puts them at greater risk from flu, or lives with someone on the NHS Shielded Patient List, they can get the flu vaccine from their GP.

 The nasal vaccine contains a processed form of porcine gelatin. If you would like your child to receive an alternative form for lifestyle or cultural reasons, your GP should be able to provide this.



For further information go to: https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/child-flu-vaccine/







FLU VACCINATIONS

All children will be offered the chance to have a flu vaccination at school. This has been booked with the School Nursing Team for 14th December.

(More details and consent information to follow when received from the School Nursing Team).

USEFUL INFORMATION

The 'Hands. Face. Space' public information campaign urges the public to continue to wash their hands, cover their face and make space to control infection rates and avoid a second peak. Watch the video, https://vimeo.com/455704121/01b3eea402

Hands, Face, Space! Read the campaign in full detail.

https://www.gov.uk/government/news/new-campaign-to-preventspread-of-coronavirus-indoors-this-winter?utm source=10% 20September%202020%20C19&utm medium=Daily%20Email% 20C19&utm campaign=DfE%20C19



Parish News

RANGEMORE SERVICES SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER, TRINITY 17, COLOUR GREEN

11.15 AM Holy Communion by Extension John Harrison

Morning Prayer 9.30 am on 2nd and 4th Fridays in Rangemore.



Disclaimer: We are proud to have a newsletter which shares information with you for our parish, village, WI, social club, Rascals and our local communities. We do try to vet all items which go into School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille. Please speak to Mrs. Gethin if you have a particular requirement.











