



All Saints Newsletter

8th March 2017

Christian Value and Season

This term we are focusing on Courage. Children will explore the meaning in general terms and then look at Christian examples as found in the Old and New Testaments and the book of Psalms. We will also be looking at the season of Lent and its significance.

As a result of our last term's value of Joy, we had a wonderful response to the homework challenge and congratulate the following children for their excellent homework.

Abigail Milner 5P Sian Wilkinson 4C
Timothy Robin 3H Debbie Adeleye 2H

We are looking forward to sharing homework on our topic of Courage with more prizes! Just a reminder that parents are always welcome to our Friday Worship whether or not it is your child's worship.

Eucharist

Rev. Jane from St John the Baptist Church in Kingsthorpe will be leading us in the Eucharist for Easter. This will be held on Thursday 30th March at 9am. You are most welcome to join us at this service.

Our Vision

Our Governors have found your feedback very helpful and have worked with staff to refresh our school vision and aims which are attached for your information.

Class Photographs

Please check your child's book bag for the proof of their class photographs. If you would like to order a copy, please following the instructions included with the proof and return to the School Office by Friday 10th March. Thank you.

British Red Cross Poppy Appeal

A big thank you to everyone who purchased a poppy or the poppy merchandise. We raised a whopping **£566.97** which the local organiser classified as "exceptional" for a school of this size.

Warwick Castle

Our Year 1 children had a fantastic day at Warwick Castle. They explored the castle, saw a trebuchet and had lunch in the marquee by the lake. No children were locked in the dungeons; instead they returned to school tired but happy.

Cross Country Competition

On Tuesday 88 of our Years 4, 5 and 6 children competed in a Cross Country competition at Kingsthorpe College. They competed against other schools in our Sports Cluster and despite a sudden down pour of rain, we came FIRST!

Well done to all those who competed.



Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

Please keep sending in your Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers. There is a collection box in the School Office area.

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Hotshots Basketball

Kris Jenkins, the Basketball coach, has a number of places available. This happens on Monday from 12.30 to 13.15pm at a cost of £3 per session. Please contact Kris directly on 07768 907271.

World Book Day

On Thursday 2nd March, our school was filled with hundreds of characters from the world of children's literature. It was so wonderful to see so many Harry Potters, Cats in Hats and Dorothys to name but a few.

All the children enjoyed dressing up and spent the afternoon listening to a favourite story.



Dates for the Diary

- Thurs 9th** Stay and Play – Reception Classes
– 1.30 – 2.30pm followed by
Writing Workshop for Reception
Parents – 2.30 – 3.15pm
- Fri 10th** Final Payment due – Kingswood –
Year 6 Residential
- Tues 14th** Parents Evening – 3.30 – 7pm
- Fri 17th** Class Worship – 2 St Helena
- Mon 20th** Bible Exhibition Week – KS2
- Tues 21st** Year 5 – Egyptian Day
- Wed 22nd** Parents Evening – 3.30 – 7pm
- Thurs 23rd** 9am - Mothers' Day Worship &
Open session – Reception St
Francis class worship followed by
whole school open session for
mums and other female relatives.
- Fri 24th** Red Nose Day – Non school
uniform
“Pirates of the Curry Bean” - Years
3 and 4 Production – AM – 9.15am
and PM – 1.45pm
- Mon 27/29th** Year 4 Residential Trip
- Tues 28th** Year 1 – Knights' Feast at 2pm
Year 2 and KS2 Choir - Art
Exhibition at KC– 5.45pm
- Fri 31st** Good to Be Green Reward Day
Year 5 Open Morning – 9-10am
No Family Worship
Easter Service – 2.15pm – All
welcome
- Term Ends – 3.15 pm**
“Happy Easter”
- April**
- Wed 19th** School Opens – New Term



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Our Vision

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Our Aims:

- **To understand that each child is unique- a gift from God.**
- **To provide a caring, compassionate and inclusive community, our 'school family', where everyone is valued and safe.**
- **To celebrate our Christian values and share faith, love and forgiveness as seen in Jesus Christ.**
- **To provide high quality teaching and learning that promotes outstanding achievement.**
- **To provide an innovative and inspiring curriculum which encourages each child to reach their full potential.**
- **To promote excellence through collaborative work with our families, the Church and wider community.**

Our Values

Respect Forgiveness Endurance Wisdom Trust Honesty

Compassion Service Courage Joy Kindness Hope

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