

# All Saints' C of E Primary School

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*Inspire Challenge Succeed*

13<sup>th</sup> March 2015

Dear Parents,

## **GARDENING**

Mrs Norris, who is coordinating the work in our school fruit and vegetable garden, will be taking children in Horse Chestnut Class into the garden on Monday afternoon. We currently only have one parent volunteer but we do need more support so that the children can work in smaller groups to complete a variety of tasks. Anyone who wishes to volunteer should meet Mrs Norris at the poly tunnel at 1:20pm.

## **PRE SCHOOL ADMIN JOB**

Pre School have a vacancy for a Pre School Administrator.

The post is part time, approximately 2 – 4 hours per week.

The right candidate must be efficient and able to work independently, but with excellent communication skills. IT skills are essential, with a working knowledge of Microsoft Office, particularly Microsoft Excel and the use of the internet. Experience of PAYE an advantage, although training will be given.

This role will suit someone looking for a flexible approach, working both at Pre School in the office as well as at home. Own transport is essential as there will be banking responsibilities as well as regular contact with Pre School to collect the post, sign cheques etc.

Anyone who may be interested, please contact Sarah Walters 07900 185947 or email [sarah.walters7@btinternet.com](mailto:sarah.walters7@btinternet.com) for further information and a job description.

Pre School will also be raising money for Red Nose Day by holding a cake stall at the end of school and again at the end of Film Club.

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### SPONSORED READ

Our sponsored read this year, coordinated by Mrs Kemp, forms part of our work to promote the importance of encouraging reading at home, whilst also enabling us to raise funds in order to buy more books for each class.

Thank you to the 21 children who took part in the challenge this year:

Christian Gibbs  
Isaac Dunn  
Leo Durell  
Adam Simpson  
Nathaniel Gibbs  
Brook Larner  
Chloe Haynes  
Olivia Sharpstone  
Aneira Sharpstone  
Joshua Fagg  
Freya Dunn  
Leo Hales  
Rosie Walters  
Harris Larner  
Olivia Scamponi-Grey  
Oliver Hickey  
Ryan Simpson  
Hollie Cunningham  
Sebastian Sharpstone  
Sophie Wigg  
Conor Durell

Christian Gibbs, Nathaniel Gibbs, Sophie Wigg, Hollie Cunningham and Freya Dunn were all awarded a gold certificate and book tokens for achieving the most amount of time reading in their class.

The sponsored read raised £275, the book fair raised about £250 and we will also get 60% commission. We will be able to give you a final figure next week but our thanks goes to the children who took part and their families. You should feel very proud of yourselves for your effort and hard work.

Thank you also to the families who came along and supported our book fair.

### GRAMMAR SESSION FOR PARENTS

We only have two parents who have signed up for the grammar session for parents next Thursday. If we do not receive any further confirmations of attendance then we will postpone this session to another date.

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### CONGRATULATIONS!

Mrs Goodchild is expecting her first child in October. I am sure you will join me in wishing her our very best. Mrs Goodchild will leave at the end of the summer term to start her maternity leave and will return later in the summer term in 2016.

From September 2015 Miss Kidd will move through to Year 2 with her current class and Mrs Palmer will continue as teaching assistant in Year 2. Mrs Bolton will teach part time in Year One from September 2015 and we will employ another part time teacher for this class until Mrs Goodchild returns, when both Mrs Bolton and Mrs Goodchild will share the Year One class on a permanent basis.

### BUILDING PROJECT

On Monday we have our 'pre start meeting' with the building contractors (Cocksedge Builders) and members of the Local Authority. At this meeting we will discuss the timescale for the building programme, how the site will be set up, along with access times for parents of both school and Pre School. I will write to all parents as soon as i have further information.

### DATES IN DIARIES

Please check the school website for calendar dates: [allsaintsprimary.org](http://allsaintsprimary.org)

16<sup>th</sup> March – Horse Chestnut Class gardening – don't forget your wellies!  
16<sup>th</sup> March – Lists for Parents' Evenings go up!  
16<sup>th</sup> March – KS2 Open Books 3pm  
17<sup>th</sup> March – KS1/EYFS Open Books 3pm  
18<sup>th</sup> March - KS 2 Forest Schools – don't forget your outdoor clothes  
19<sup>th</sup> March – KS1 Forest Schools – don't forget your outdoor clothes  
19<sup>th</sup> March – Grammar session for parents  
20<sup>th</sup> March – KS2 Japanese Enrichment Day KS2  
20<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Egg Bingo – 6pm School Hall  
23<sup>rd</sup> March – Parents' Evening 3.30-5.30pm  
25<sup>th</sup> March - Parent Forum 9am Little Acorn Room  
25<sup>th</sup> March – KS 2 Forest Schools – don't forget your outdoor clothes  
25<sup>th</sup> March – Parents Evening 4.30-6.30pm  
26<sup>th</sup> March - KS1 Forest Schools – don't forget your outdoor clothes  
27<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Celebration 2.30pm All Saints' Church – Everyone welcome!  
Easter Holidays - 30th March – 10<sup>th</sup> April School Closed  
13<sup>th</sup> April – PD Day – school closed  
14<sup>th</sup> April – School reopens for the Summer term

### MARIE CURIE CANCER CHARITY

On Saturday afternoon (1.30-3.30pm) I will be in Bury St Edmunds town centre collecting for the Marie Curie Cancer Charity. If you happen to be in town then I hope to see you!

I hope you have a good weekend,  
Kindest Regards,

Clare Lamb  
Headteacher

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