

All Saints Primary School Weekly Parent Email

W/E 17th January 2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

Our staff have had a busy week this week because on Wednesday we had our SIAMS Inspection. This is an inspection that all church schools have to undertake every five years and is where we are judged on 'How effective is the school's distinctive Christian vision, established and promoted by leadership at all levels, in enabling all pupils and adults to flourish?' Whilst our report has not yet been published and, as such, I am unable to inform you of its contents, I can say that our staff and governors found the whole process to be both supportive and fair, with the initial findings being a true reflection of where we are as a school.

Further to the above, can I thank the parents who were 'dragged' in to talk to our inspector and also to our pupils who were such a wonderful advert for All Saints on the day. For me, the day proved to be a moral boosting opportunity to reflect on all the excellent things that happen, here at school, every single day. Things that, because they happen so often, are too easily taken for granted.

Nigel Roberts Headteacher

EAR STUDS IN PE

A directive from the government tells schools that jewellery of any kind (including earrings and ear studs) is removed for physical education because of the danger of injury to the wearer and/or other pupils in the class. Many of our younger pupils are unable to remove their own studs. To that end, we strongly encourage that pupils do not wear studs into school on PE days.

COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING

Our next monthly Community Coffee Morning is taking place here (at the school) at 10am on Wednesday 12th February. Everyone from the local community is welcome to come along. Please pop in for a drink, chat and piece of cake.

SATURDAY LIVE @5

I was lucky enough to attend the most recent monthly Saturday Live @ 5 here at school. There were activities for the children, plenty of food and drinks and a bit of worship, all in a very relaxed, warm and fun atmosphere. If you are interested in attending, as an individual or a family, I can assure you will be made to

feel very welcome. The next Saturday Live @ 5 is happening at 5pm, here at school, on Saturday 8th February, do go along and give it a go!

HOLWELL'S NEW VILLAGE HALL

Holwell's new village hall committee are launching their fund raising campaign on Saturday 25^{th} January from 10-12 at the village hall. They have asked for support from as many of you as possible with new ideas for fundraising, offers of help at, and last but not least, with any donations you are able to make. If you are interested in getting involved, please do attend the meeting.

Letters attached:

• What's on Next Week: 20th January 2020