

All Saints Primary School Weekly Parent Email

W/E 23rd February 2024

Dear All,

I hope you had a lovely break.

With the weather as it is at the moment, please send your children in with coats every day. Without a coat, unfortunately, they will not be allowed out at breaktimes if it is drizzling/raining. Likewise, please ensure that they have waterproof clothing in for Forest School. As ever, if you have any problems obtaining a coat/Forest School clothing/PE uniform, please speak to Kirsty in the office.

To prevent any opportunity for items being lost or damaged, we ask that (unless they have been given permission) your children do not bring personal belongings such as toys, collecting cards, cuddly toys, jewellery etc into school.

The Scholastic Book Fair is back in school on Tuesday (27th Feb until Mon 4th Mar). Books will be available for you to look at/select/purchase from 8am until 8:45am and from 3:20pm until 4:30pm We can accept card or cash payment. Linked to this, our World Book Day celebration (come dressed as your favourite book character) is on Friday 8th March. Hopefully this will give you time to help your children make a costume or props: please do not go out buying a costume, the event is supposed to be fun, not a financial burden.

As a quick reminder, our Friday Morning Toddler Group is starting up again on 1st March 2024 (next Friday). If you have a pre-school aged child, please do come along from 9:30 until 11am. All welcome!

If you need to contact us about any SEN issue or question, please use the following email address:

sen@bishopscaundle.dorset.sch.uk

Multi Academy Trust (MAT) Update

At the time of writing, we are waiting to hear back from the DfE with a list of Multi Academy Trusts which they would support us joining (the have promised to get back to us by the end of the month). Once we have the list we can start to find the best fit.

Enjoy the weekend,

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Local Community

Jenny Nelson, our school governor and local vicar who is doing such a super job in engaging people in this area, has asked if I advertise the following events. Jenny is so keen to actively engage our children:

Sunday 10 th March	-	4pm @ Bishops Caundle Church
		Mothering Sunday celebrations with poems, reading, music etc. followed by refreshments. Jenny would see families there. She would also really like for some of our pupils to volunteer to read some poems.
Sunday 24 th March	-	3pm @ Round Chimneys Farm, Glanvilles Wootton
		Palm Sunday Walk and Treasure Hunt aimed at families and in particular pupils from Diamond and Topaz Class
Friday 29 th March	-	10:15 to start at 11am @ Village Green, Bishops Caundle
		Good Friday. Jenny is looking for volunteers (pupils) to help act out the Easter Story
Saturday 30 th March	-	6pm @ Bishops Caundle Church
		Easter Service of Light. Children participation and Easter Eggs

If you require any further information on any of these events or if your child would like to volunteer to read/act, please email Jenny at: <u>inelson12@outlook.com</u>

 Sunday 31st March
 11am @ Caundle Marsh Church

 Our great friends at Caundle Marsh are delighted to announce their Easter Service which will include an Easter Egg Hunt, access to farm animals and an Easter garden

Guitar Lessons at School

We have a guitar teacher currently running lessons at our school: 1:1 half hour session at £15 2:1 half hour session at £10 each 3:1 half hour session at £7 each Please get in touch with Sam direct: <u>sam.hurst@live.co.uk</u> for more information.

Important Dates for your Diaries

- 27 Feb 04 Mar Scholastic Book Fair
- 08 Mar World Book Day Dress up Day
- 21 Mar Celebrate Our Own Learning. Parents in school from 3pm
- 28 Mar Easter Service at 10am



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- 29 Mar 12 Apr Easter Holiday
- 01 24 May KS1 SATs
- 13 17 May KS2 SATs
- 20 22 May Year 6 Residential
- 27-31 May Half Term
- 3 June Class Photographs
- 3 14 June Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check
- 10 14 June Y1 Phonics Screening Check
- 21 23 June Y5 Sleepover Weekend
- 5 July Sports Day Parents in from 12
- 10 July Sapphire Production Dress Rehearsal
- 11 July Sapphire Production Performances
- 18 July Leavers BBQ
- 19 July Leavers Service
- 22 July 3 Sept Summer Holiday
- 4th Sept Pupils back in school