

All Saints Primary School

Weekly Parent Email

W/E 22nd March 2024

Dear All,

Lovely to see so many of you at our Celebrate Our Own Learning session yesterday. We are so proud of the work our children do and the attitude they have towards their learning. Please remember that if you have any questions about the progress, attainment or any other aspect of your child's school life, please do not hesitate to pop in. On the topic of attainment and progress, the single most positive thing you can do to support your child's education is to hear them read or set aside time for them to read, if at all possible, every day. It has a massive impact!

Our Sapphire Class netball team performed really well in the North Dorset Schools' Netball Finals. After a slower start where they drew one and lost one, they won their final two games. This is a great result bearing in mind they were playing against the top few schools in the whole of North Dorset.

If you are free, please pop along to our last day of term Easter Service which will be happening at 10am on Thursday 27th March at Bishops Caundle Church.

Multi Academy Trust (MAT) Update

Exciting times! James (our Chair of Governors) and I have had an initial 'meet and greet' with ACE Multi-Academy Trust and this was followed up with us meeting with their Chair of Trustees earlier today. We also have the CEO of Pickwick Multi-Academy Trust visiting the school next Wednesday. The DfE and the Diocesan have also given us the name of an additional Multi-Academy Trust which they would support us in joining. This is DSAT (Diocese of Salisbury Academy Trust): we will in contact with them soon. It is worth remembering that we are in no rush to join any Multi-Academy Trust and we are all determined to find a match which will not compromise the All Saints we all love.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Nigel

Local Community

Village Fete - **8th June**

Bishops Caundle are holding a Village Fete on Saturday 8th June where there are lots of exciting plans for activities involving children, adults and pets! If you are interested in helping the committee with organising either a Fancy Dress Competition or a Children's Games Jumble Sale, please speak to Kirsty who will pass your details on to the committee or email bcvillageevent@gmail.com direct.

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 24th 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 29th 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 30th 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: jnelson12@outlook.com

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

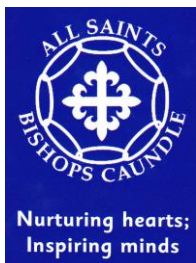
We have a guitar teacher currently running lessons at our school:

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: sam.hurst@live.co.uk for more information.



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Important Dates for your Diaries

28 Mar - Easter Service at 10am

29 Mar – 12 Apr - Easter Holiday

01 – 24 May - KS1 SATs

13 – 17 May - KS2 SATs

17 May – Discos (KS1 5 – 6pm , KS2 6:15 – 7:15pm)

17 May – Non school uniform for Bingo

20 – 22 May - Year 6 Residential

27– 31 May - Half Term

3 June - Class Photographs

8 June – Bishops Caundle Village Summer Fete

3 – 14 June - Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

7 June – Non school uniform for Bingo

10 – 14 June - Y1 Phonics Screening Check

13 June – Father’s Day Pop up Shop

14 June - Bingo

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