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# ALL SAINTS' CE PRIMARY SCHOOL AUTUMN TERM NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What an action-packed week we have had! The children have had a fantastic first whole week, including a Y6 trip, sports clubs returning, a dance workshop and swimming. We also welcomed our new nursery and reception children for the first time as they settled into school life, and a good time was had by all! We look forward to them joining us full-time from Monday.

I was delighted to welcome many of you this morning to our first celebration worship of the year to share the children's wonderful achievements and recognise the kindness and exemplary behaviour shown throughout the week. The next one is on the 6th October.

Today, the All Saints' community were a sea of red, green and black! Our hearts go out to all those affected by the devastating floods in Libya and the earthquake in Morocco. Thank you for all the generous donations to the British Red Cross to support the relief efforts & a special mention to Maya G, who donated all her pocket money. We are still counting the contributions and will report on our grand total next week.

Have a peaceful weekend, and I look forward to seeing you next week. Mrs Ghosh



**Worship Theme for Next Week**  
You are precious and seen by God Exodus 7-12

## STARS OF THE WEEK!

**Year 1: Emillie & Theo**  
**Year 2: Elodie & Emily**  
**Year 3: Harry & Zana**  
**Year 4: Skye & Lockie**  
**Year 5: Kalypso & Jamie**  
**Year 6: Jaian & Vinne**

## Good Conduct Awards from Detective Ricks

**Congratulations to:**  
**Maya G in Y2**  
**Bea in Y5**

**Well done everyone — you are a credit to  
the school and you have earned team points  
for your House!**

## Dates For Your

### Diary:

Please note this section is updated regularly as is the calendar on the website. In future newsletters, new dates will be added here in red.

**Thursday 21st September**  
6.00pm Meet the Staff  
All Parents Welcome

**Wednesday 20th September**  
Y6 Balham Faith Trail

**Tuesday 26th September**  
Whole School Harvest Festival  
10am in Church

**Friday 29th September**  
**Cake Sale and MUFTI Day**  
**for Macmillian Cancer**  
**Support**

3.30pm in the playground

### **October—Black History Month**

**Tuesday 3rd October**  
Y5 online Space workshop

**Wednesday 4th October**  
Y6 trip to the British Museum

**Friday 6th October**  
Celebration Worship—Parents  
and Carers invited 9am

**Friday 13th October**  
Y6 Class Assembly

**Tuesday 17th October**  
KS2 Eucharist in church—all  
welcome 10.30am

**Wednesday 18th October**  
Y6 Wimbledon Faith Trail

**Friday 20th October**  
Break up for Half Term at  
**3.30pm**

## HOUSE CAPTAINS



## MUSIC AND SPORTS CAPTAINS

We are delighted to announce our music and sports captains:

Music: Yanna & Georgia

Sports: Alex R & Tahlia

## WORK IN Y6

Following on from our fossils workshop last week, Y6 are trying to create their own. We will let you how they turn out!



## Y6 TRIP TO EAST SHEEN AIR RAID SHELTER



'On Wednesday 13th September, we went to a local air raid shelter at St Leonard's Court, in East Sheen. We first went to Mortlake to watch a short film about a 103 year old man called Leslie who had experienced the war with his wife and baby daughter. Leslie sadly passed shortly after the film was made.' *Dior—Y6*

'After the film was finished, we saw a PowerPoint where we saw where the bombs were hit and we learned that they wanted to destroy Hammersmith Bridge (but missed) and a Vauxhall car company which was making airplane parts (but missed, they hit a graveyard). They followed the shine of the moon on the River Thames to locate houses in the dark.' *Matthew—Y6*

'The Germans used a plane called Luftwaffe (Luft means Air and Waffe means Power). It stands for Air Power. In 1940 The Blitz started. The reason why Hitler bombed England was because he wanted to rule England so he bombed food shelters and airports but he failed in the end.' *Yanna—Y6*

'The air raid shelter was used to hide the residents of St Leonard's Court from the bombs that came from the German planes. There were 83 flats and 48 bunk beds in the entire air raid shelter.' *Joseph—Y6*

'When we arrived at the air raid shelter, we headed straight down the stairs and into the female day room. The walls were painted with lime-wash. At the back, we found two chemical toilets and an escape hatch. In the male night room, there were 24 bunk beds and there was a piece of a cloth which had been there for 80 years.' *Vinnie—Y6*

'Outside it looks like very beautiful, it had like grass and bushes. The 4 hatches were closed because children tried to get in. The hatches were used for escaping in case of a fire or emergency.' *Alex I—Y6*

'When the class went to the air raid shelter yesterday, it felt like I was walking into history.' *Georgia—Y6*

## WORK IN NURSERY

We all had a lovely first week in nursery. We were busy getting to know each other and trying hard to remember our friends' names. Everyone tried their best to come to school with a smile on and keep it for the rest the day! On Friday, we had a special treat where we had our big buddies from Y5 come and help us in our PE session with Louie - how lucky! A huge thank you to all the parents and staff for their support in this very important week. We look forward to many more to come!



## DANCE WORKSHOP

On Thursday, as part of Roald Dahl week, West End in Schools delivered a 'Bringing Books to Life' dance workshop based on Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. This will contribute to our Artsmark journey, giving all children the opportunity to perform in an expressive and creative way. *Miss Lake*

'We were singing songs and we thought of dance moves, when she said to go our machines we showed our moves' *Ivo—Y2*

'We had had to work really hard to get more chocolates' *Arabella—Y2*

'I felt nervous at the beginning but then felt better when we were practising all together' *Cordelia—Y2*

'I really enjoyed our dance workshop because I liked all the acting. My favourite part was making movements for the factory parts. I also enjoyed learning more dance moves and actions. It made me excited to learn more moves!' *Skye—Y4*



Welcome to the first term of the academic year, we do hope you had a lovely summer break. At All Saints', not only do we care about our students' well-being, we also care about you, the parents and carers. Please let us know how we are able to support you and your family. Here are a few organisations that you may find useful.

<p><b><u>NSPCC</u></b>  <a href="http://www.nspcc.org.uk">www.nspcc.org.uk</a>            0800 1111 (under 18)            0808 800 5000 (over 18s)</p>	<p>Provides support and information for children, young people and parents/carers.</p> <p>Activities for children/families in the Keeping Children Safe area.</p>
<p><b><u>Cruse Bereavement Care</u></b>  <a href="http://www.cruse.org.uk">www.cruse.org.uk</a>            0808 808 1677</p>	<p>Supports you through your grieving process on the helpline. They are also able to sign post you to a bereavement specialist. Additionally, can help you support your child/children.</p>
<p><b><u>Hope Again: Young people living after loss</u></b> (<i>Cruse for young people</i>)  <a href="http://www.hopeagain.org.uk">www.hopeagain.org.uk</a></p>	<p>Support young people through their grieving process on the helpline. They are also able to sign post the young person to a bereavement specialist. Additionally, they can help you support your child/children.</p>
<p><b><u>Mental Health UK</u></b>  <a href="http://www.mentalhealth-uk.org">www.mentalhealth-uk.org</a></p>	<p>Able to sign post you to range of organisations that can offer you advice about your worries and concerns e.g. mental health, money support and health and well-being.</p>
<p><b><u>Rethink</u></b>  <a href="http://www.rethink.org">www.rethink.org</a>            0808 801 0525</p>	<p>Will provide information and advice for those diagnosed with a mental illness or for carers of individuals with a mental illness.</p>
<p><b><u>Mind</u></b>  <a href="http://Mind.org.uk">Mind.org.uk</a>            0300 123 3393</p>	<p>Will provide non-urgent information and mental health support and services.</p>



## CLASS NAME LIST



*Rooted in Faith, Growing through Learning*

### All Saints' Classes

<b>Class</b>		<b>Teacher</b>	<b>Support Staff</b>
Nursery Sapling		Milena Grantcharova	Rachid Ikhlef
Reception Horse Chestnut		Louise Pitteway (EYFS Lead)	Lalla Lattuneddu
Year 1 Willow		Suzanne Ritchie	Nicky Chubb Rebecca Wisso
Year 2 Orchid		Anna Hannam Rebecca Lake (KS1 PL)	Elena Ricks
Year 3 Palm Tree		Sienna Atkinson	Shadiyah Leigh-Ramsammy Karry Hatley-Smith
Year 4 Magnolia		Amelia Le May	Karry Hatley-Smith
Year 5 Acacia		Gemma Campbell (DHT)	Dianna Kabbani Hamdan Colleen McGrath
Year 6 Redwoods		Jan Sharp (KS2 PL)	Colleen McGrath