



All Saints CE Primary School & Nursery

Weekly Newsletter – 14th February 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had an excellent half term. The children have all worked incredibly hard and have enjoyed lots of different activities, not least our spirituality day. It has been very pleasing to see the children work on their communication skills; they have been focusing on how to be active listeners and clear speakers. These skills will be on show when our Worship Squad lead their first trust worship across our seven schools! We wish you a restful half term and look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 24th February.

from Miss Ashton and all the team.

Stars of the Week!



Class Dojo Winners!



Attendance Matters



Attendance

As part of our commitment to ensuring good attendance for every child, families will receive a letter each half term detailing their child's attendance. It is our aim that sharing this information will help develop our partnership with parents, as well as celebrate good attendance.

House Trophy



This week's honours were won by **Canterbury!**
Well done everyone!

Diary Dates

Date	Event
17 th February	Break up for half term
24 th February	School re-opens to all
28 th February	Our first ever 'Rock up and Read!' session. Parents welcome from 8.30am to read with their child.
5 th March	Parent meetings Nursery – Year 6 3.30 – 6pm
6 th March	World Book Day – dress as your favourite character!
11 th March	STEM activity morning – parents invited to share in learning.
8 th April	Easter Bonnet parade for Class 1 (2.45pm)
8 th April	Easter Egg Scene competition Y1-Y6 (Mrs Gethin and Ralph helping to judge).
10 th April	Bee Active silent disco (during the school day)
11 th April	Easter Service 2.30pm at church



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CEO Update Spring 1 2025

It has been a fast paced half term for all of our schools. There have been a huge range of wonderful curriculum linked activities from special menus for Chinese new year and a range of activities to trips such as Letocetum (the ancient remains of a Roman settlement at Wall) and Tamworth castle. Several schools have held beautiful spirituality days and Ralph and I enjoyed the leadership and delivery by Jordan and Reverend Jeremy at Richard Crosse. Greenpower has also started with gusto! Thank you to our whole team for ensuring our children have had a vibrant time and excellent learning, it's been a great half term!



It has also been a strategic half term for all of our Headteachers, Governing Committees (LGCs) and Directors. They have enjoyed meeting to identify the next steps in our school and Trust journeys. New LGCs to our Trust have conducted evaluations and developed plans for the future. We are so lucky to have such exceptional volunteers. It is important that we take this moment to thank one of our Directors for her 11 years of service. Sue Cockayne will remain an associate of our team but has resigned her post as Director of wellbeing. She will be sorely missed for all her work, especially as a tangible, supportive link to myself and our Headteachers. As you are also aware from our recruitment drive, we are securing new Governors and Directors across the Trust and ask that you contact your Headteacher or myself if this is something you are interested in.



Ralph and I have enjoyed being connected with our schools and were able to attend almost all LGCs as well as seeing children and staff. We were so proud of the children at St Marys who led our Trust worship on 'trustworthiness' and Ralph had a much needed bath with the children at All Saints - the children were so kind and gentle and had a ball playing with him - he liked the book corner too.

Have a good half term and we look forward to seeing you all in a week! From Charlene Gethin and *Ralph*.

