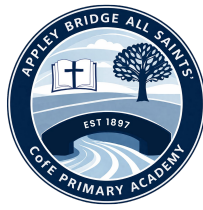


All Saints' Newsletter

With FAITH, we learn. With LOVE, we grow. With HOPE, we shine.

Newsletter: 1

4th September
2026



Welcome!

Welcome to the 2026/7 School Year - we hope that everyone had a great summer break!

The children have had a fantastic first few days in school!



They all look very smart in their new uniforms and have made a great start with their attendance and punctuality, adapting well to their new classes and routines.

Welcome to our 23 new children in Reception Class, along with 3 others who have joined us in other year groups - they are all settling in well!

Our OFSTED report, will be published online early next week and Mrs Dunn will be sending home a letter and a copy of the report, shortly.

The first few weeks back are very busy, including Bikeability and the Friends' meeting next week! We have listed the key events/ dates to be aware of before the half term break. Please keep an eye on Class Dojo and the weekly school newsletter for further updates!

We look forward to the coming year and hope that all the children have a fabulous time, making the most of the opportunities at our school.

Thank you to all our school families for your ongoing support.

Nasal Flu Immunisations

The school nurses will be in on Monday 14th September at 9.30am.

The School Nursing team will be in touch directly with you to gain consent for your child to be immunised. Please look out for this and respond asap, so that your child can be included, if desired.



Celebration Assembly:

Our first weekly celebration assembly of the year will be on Monday 7th September, 9am.
All Welcome!

This week, we'll be celebrating birthdays and other achievements from inside and outside school.

Our first Stars of the Week and house point totals will be the following week.

Reception class won't be attending the first celebration assembly, but we'll let you know when they'll be joining the rest of the school.

★ Stars of the Week ★

and

Housepoint Winners

....coming next week!

Extra-curricular Clubs Info

Information about Spanish Club (Y1-Y6) and Bricks with Kids (Y2-Y6) have been sent home via Class Dojo.

If your child is interesting in attending either, you should book directly, using the info provided.

Further info will be sent out about other Extra-Curricular Clubs shortly - please ensure you return your slips promptly as places can fill up quickly.



Services at All Saints' Church Appley Bridge



Sunday: 6th September 10:30am Holy Communion with Rev'd Cath and C4Ks
6:30pm Service of Light (with Cath R)

Sunday: 13th September 9am Family Time – Diocesan 100th Celebration
10:30am Covenant service at Vale Methodist Church

Sunday: 20th September 10:30am Holy Communion with Sara and Rev'd John
Fishy Sticker Sunday/C4Ks

Sunday: 27th September 9am JAM Time – Saying Thank you To God
10:30am Harvest Sunday Holy Communion with Rev'd Sue

C4Ks (Sunday School) is aimed at children 5+, it is held on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month starting at 10.30am. At the end of the service the children can rejoin their parents for communion.

Fishy Sticker Sundays are back for 2026/27 - a half-termly service in All Saints Church 10.30am-11.30am where the children will have their own jobs to help run the service. There'll be stickers for each child to collect and prizes at the end of the year. The children begin at 10.30am in the service with their parent(s), then go out to special activities in Church 4 Kids, returning in time for Communion. Parent(s) can enjoy the service while the children are out and then the children will show us what they've been doing and help to lead the prayers & with other roles. Everyone is welcome!

Dates for 26/27: 20th Sept, 15th Nov, 17th Jan, 7th Mar, 18th Apr, 20th Jun

***All Saints Church is a flexible space & available to rent midweek contact
revsuetimmins@gmail.com for information***

Parking and driving around school

Please take extra care when parking and driving around school.



The safety of all our children and school community are everyone's responsibility.

So, please drive and park considerately around school:

- Keep your speed down
- Park considerately - take care reversing and leave room for other people; don't park across or block our neighbours' driveways
- When parked, turn off your engine
- Consider park and striding - we have a great set of volunteers who open the Village Hall car park at the start and end of the school day for additional parking

Thanks for your support and cooperation

Diary Dates

FAMILY LUNCHES:

8th October – Y4
12th November – Y3
21st January – Y5
11th March – Y2
29 April – Y1
24th June – Reception
15th July – Y6

OTHER DATES TO HALF TERM

8th-10th September - Y5 Bikeability
9th September, 7pm - Friends' meeting
14th September - Nasal Flu Immunisations
16th-18th September - Y6 at Tower Wood
18th September - Y5 Saxon Day
23rd September - School Photographs
24th-29th September - Book Fair
25th September - Macmillan Coffee Morning
5th October - Parents' Information Evening
6th October - Open Afternoon for 2027 entry
7th October - Rock Kids (in school)
19th-21st October - Y3/4 at Willersley Castle
22nd October - School Closes for Half Term
at 3.30pm
Fri 23rd October - Staff Training Day
Mon 2nd November - School Reopens



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