

# SAMLESBURY

Church of England Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

12/10/2018



**CONGRATULATIONS TO MRS GREENBANK ON THE BIRTH OF HER DAUGHTER GEORGINA!** - We all wish them both the very best!

**NEEDED: PLASTIC POP BOTTLES FOR REMEMBRANCE DAY ART PROJECT** – On the final Friday of half term every child will be making a poppy as part of our commemoration of 100 years since the World War I. Please could you send in 1 or 2 litre plastic bottles (2 litre bottles are preferable)- thank you.

**PARENT HELP NEEDED – OCTOBER 13<sup>TH</sup> 9.30AM – 11AM** – On Saturday the 13<sup>th</sup> we will be putting up the new school greenhouse and creating new raised beds for the garden area. Thank you to F.O.S.S. for the money to purchase these. If you are able to help please can you let Sandra know in the office.

**BLACKBURN DIOCESE BISHOP'S HARVEST APPEAL** – The total amount raised was £66.46. All schools who participated will receive a sapling next half term, donated by the Woodland Trust, which we will plant in the school grounds. The Eco Council will organise this. Thank you to everyone.

**SAMLESBURY FOOTBALL TEAM** – On Monday this week the football team attended the second round of matches at Lostock Hall Academy. They played fantastically well and won four out of their five matches! Well done to all the team for fab football skills and brilliant teamwork! Take a look at the team photograph on the reverse of the newsletter.

**SCHOLASTICS BOOK FAIR** – Thank you to everyone who bought books. As a result we were able to choose £191 of books for school from the commission raised – BRILLIANT!

**NON UNIFORM DAY FOR WATER AID** – October 19<sup>th</sup> School Council/Pupil Parliament organised non uniform day (wear pyjamas for the day) to support Water Aid.

**INFANT CLASS MEET THE TEACHER MEETING: THURSDAY NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>** – Starting at 2.45pm. Miss Brown will be holding her meet the teacher meeting the first week back after half term and would love to see as many of you as possible.

**TIMESTABLES ROCKSTARS** – This week in Friday worship the children will start receiving certificates for their achievements in learning times tables. Please encourage your child to log on at home and do five minutes practice a day. It's a fun game which really does make a massive difference to their knowledge and supports the rest of the Maths curriculum.

**PLEASE NOTE THIS IS THE LAST NEWSLETTER FOR THIS HALF TERM DUE TO TOWER WOOD NEXT WEEK.**

## Worship Theme: JUSTICE

### DIARY DATES –

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2.45pm.

*Pupil led worship in the hall – all welcome  
(Please note there will NOT be a worship service in school on the 19<sup>th</sup> October)*

*Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> November 11am – Family Service in church; all welcome!*

*Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance Day Church Service 11am*

*Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October 9.30am – Parent help needed to put up the new greenhouse and raised beds in the garden area*

*Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October – Tower Wood Residential visit  
Please drop suitcases off in the hall as you arrive at school in the morning. We will be back at school on the Wednesday for 3.15pm.*

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Non uniform day (wear pyjamas for the day) to support Water Aid**

*Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October  
FOSS EVENT*

*Fancy Dress Disco for all children 6-8pm in the school hall. Prizes for the most inventive costumes!*

*Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October – close for half term 3.15pm*

*FOSS AGM- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> October, 7:30pm*

## SAMLESBURY SUPERSTARS!

**HUGO (YR)**

**SAMMY (Y1)**

**ZACH (Y3)**

**HEATHER (Y6)**

**HEADTEACHER AWARD:**

**HARRY (Y1)**

*Well done to you all for your outstanding achievements this week!*

**Children will receive their certificates on Thursday next week**

## PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS THIS WEEK -



Well done again Jacob for your fantastic achievements at the event last weekend!



Well done to the football team!



What a fabulous Harvest Service in church last Sunday – well done to all who took part!



### ADVANCE NOTICE – WHOLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS ART/CRAFT DAY

Would you like to get involved with helping out or running a Christmas art/craft activity in school on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November? If so, please contact school and let us know what you would like to do or how you could help.

The plan is to use Christmas as a theme to explore many types of art and craft for all ages in school and, with the results, make school ready for the very special season of Christmas.

I also hope that for those of you who may like to be involved, but need time to arrange work commitments, this will give you enough time to plan.