

# SAMLESBURY

Church of England Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

15/02/2019

We finish today for half term so wish everyone a restful week's holiday.

**JOB VACANCY** – School are looking for someone who can take on the role of handyperson who can maintain the outside environment of school. The role would be equivalent to 5 hours per week/term time with occasional extra hours as required in the holidays. These hours would be flexible depending on tasks required. If you are interested in the position please email [bursar@samlesbury.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@samlesbury.lancs.sch.uk) for details or to discuss the position further.

**SUNDAY JUNIOR CHURCH** – This Sunday (17<sup>th</sup> Feb) Junior church will be on at St Leonard's. There will be lots of fun activities to take part in and everyone is welcome!

**PARENTPAY** – As we are coming to the end of the financial year, please can you logon to ParentPay and ensure your accounts are up to date.

**SCHOOL PHOTOS** – The school photographers (Tempest) are in school on 27<sup>th</sup> March to take pupil and class photos. At 8.30am they will take photos for those of you who have pre-schoolers and would like a family picture with their older siblings in school. If you would like to do this please let Sandra know in the office so we have an idea of numbers. Thank you.

**WORLD BOOK DAY THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH** – Come to school dressed as a book character! Everyone in school will be dressing up and taking part in book related activities.

### **WHOLE SCHOOL THEMED DAY –FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH**

Every class will be having a themed day linked to their topic work. Key details for parents are as follows, class teachers will send out more details after half term.

**YEAR 5/6** – Vikings. The class will be immersing themselves in all things Viking for the day and can come to school dressed as a Viking.

**YEAR 3/4** – Ancient Egypt. Mrs Quayle has asked if the children can bring into school any brown paper related items e.g. brown envelopes, paper bags etc. And children can come to school dressed as an ancient Egyptian!

**INFANT CLASS** – They will be having an outdoor, gardening themed day to link with their Geography topic. Please can they come to school dressed as gardeners or appropriately dressed for the outdoors.

**INFORMATION** – Please could you check your child's hair as there is a case of headlice in school.

## Worship Theme: TRUST

### DIARY DATES –

**15<sup>th</sup> February:** Pupil led worship at 2.45pm – all welcome.

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February:** return to school

**28<sup>th</sup> February:** KS1 Parents Maths Workshop - Maths Calculations Strategies

**28<sup>th</sup> February FOSS event: KS2** Harry Potter activity evening 6.30 – 8.30pm (details to follow).

**1<sup>st</sup> March FOSS event: KS1** film night straight after school until 5pm (details to follow).

**4<sup>th</sup> March:** Book Week – all this week we will be focusing on reading and books. Keep an eye out for more activities to come and we have an author visiting school this week too!

**6<sup>th</sup> March** – Parents Evening.

**7<sup>th</sup> March** – Extra Parents Evening **Infants only 3-4.30pm**

**7<sup>th</sup> March:** World Book Day. Children to come dressed as their favourite book character.

**28<sup>th</sup> March:** A special **whole school** Mother's Day lunch 12pm.

**29<sup>th</sup> March** – Whole school themed day based on each classes topics.

**4<sup>th</sup> April:** End of term worship and with end of term progress awards.

**5<sup>th</sup> April:** Easter Bonnet Competition. Create an Easter bonnet and bring to school! Prizes to be won!

### SAMLESBURY SUPERSTARS!

**ETHAN (YR)**  
**MADALENE (Y2)**  
**FREDDIE (Y3)**  
**HASSAAN (Y6)**

**HEADTEACHER AWARD:**  
**SAMMY (Y1)**

**Well done to you all for your outstanding achievements this week! Children will receive their certificates on Friday next week**

**PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS THIS WEEK:**



Well done Imogen for your running achievement!



Wow – you're certainly flying high this week Jessica! You and Jacob passed your indoor skydiving course and achieved your white wings! Well done to Jacob too for winning his third place trophy for Preston pirates summer series for his BMX riding.



**FOSS** £4 per child

# Harry Potter

**Fancy Dress Evening of Fun & Games**  
**Thursday 28th February, 6:30pm to 8:30pm**  
 in the school hall  
 includes cake & drink  
**KS2 only**

**FOSS** £4 per child

# FILM NIGHT

**Friday 1st March, 3:15pm to 5pm**  
 in the school hall  
 Film to be announced on the night  
 Hot dog & drink served in the interval  
**KS1 only**

Upcoming FOSS events and activities in school. More details to follow.

**FOSS** £15 per family

# Beetle Drive

**Friday 15th March, 6:30pm**  
 in the school hall  
**Adult £5, Child £3, Family £15**  
 includes hot pot supper  
 please let Sandra know if you have any dietary requirements

Everyone welcome

**FOSS**

# Loose Change Wins Points

**Pop all your loose change in a plastic bottle and bring into school by 1st April**

The total will be totted up for each house and the winning house will receive a special treat on Thursday 4th April