



ALL SAINTS BENHILTON C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher: Mrs R Sutton

7th September 2015

Dear Parents,

Welcome back! I do hope that you all had an enjoyable summer break. The children have settled into their new classes well and I hope they will all have a happy and successful year.

We are very pleased to welcome some new staff to All Saints in Year 1 we have Ms Kelly in Oak Class; in Year 2 we have Miss Hayter in Poplar Class; in Year 3 we have Mr Belardini in Larch Class and in Year 4 we have Mr. Thoroughgood in Maple Class. We also welcome Mrs Vikki Watts who is the Teaching Assistant in Hazel Class. We are looking forward to working with them all and hope they will be very happy here. You will have noticed, I'm sure that Mrs Jones, (School Business Manager), Mr Parish and our team of cleaners were very busy during August managing the many projects that took place and giving the school a thorough clean. The canopies are enabling more children to work in an outdoor environment, the playground markings are being well used by all the children and the, much needed, toilet refurbishment in Ash and Elm has made a huge difference. My thanks to all of them for all their hard work during the summer break.

Uniform The children are looking very smart but I have noticed that some children are not in the correct school uniform so I have listed the uniform below. Please make sure that all children are in the correct uniform. Uniform is available on line from "Stitch Design" and can be delivered to school free of charge. Please see the school website for a link.

White polo shirt with school logo (girls & boys) Red crew neck sweatshirt with school logo or red cardigan with logo (girls)

Grey skirt, pinafore, culottes or tailored trousers (girls) Girls - Red check dresses (summer) Grey tailored trousers or shorts (boys)

Black shoes (girls & boys) socks / tights should be grey or white (girls & boys)

Nursery children wear grey or black jogging bottoms and trainers.

As the weather turns cooler, the children will need a sweatshirt and jogging bottoms in their PE kit. All children take part in outdoor games weekly. We have some unused uniform as well as some second hand uniform here at school, and this will be on sale at the BBQ on Friday evening.

Please make sure that children are not wearing nail varnish to school and that earrings are small studs only. Long hair must be tied back. Thank you for your cooperation.

ASBSA News: the next ASBSA event is the Family Picnic / BBQ on Friday 11th September, at 6pm. This will include the Annual General Meeting. Please keep this date free and look out for more details from ASBSA.

Clare Parish has indicated that she will be stepping down as Chair of ASBSA this year and I would like to thank her for all her hard work during her time as Chair. We have had a very successful year this year and have been able to use the money raised to put the colourful markings on the playground, as well as complete the next stage of the development of the library.

Free School Meals: As you know, all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are now entitled to a free school meal every day and I am delighted to see so many children taking up this option. In every school there are children who previously would have been entitled to a free school meal due to their financial situation, and these children are also entitled to support within the school through the Pupil Premium Grant. If your family is in receipt of financial support please do inform the school. All information will, of course, be treated as strictly confidential.

Woodcote Green Vouchers: Thank you for all the vouchers you have sent in. If you have any more at home please send them in by the end of the next week so that I can redeem them before the closing date. Thank you very much. Last year we earned £40 and I have bought some new big pots for the front steps of school, which Gardening Club will be planting up.

With all good wishes from *R.P. Sutton* Headteacher

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Term Dates

Term	Start	End	Inset Days
Autumn Term 2015	Wed 2 Sept 2015	Fri 23 Oct 2015	Wednesday 2 September 2015
Half term	Mon 26 Oct 2015	Fri 30 Oct 2015	Monday 2 November 2015
	Mon 2 Nov 2015	Fri 18 Dec 2015	
Spring Term 2016	Mon 4 Jan 2016	Fri 12 Feb 2016	Monday 4 January 2016
Half term	Mon 15 Feb 2016	Fri 19 Feb 2016	Friday 12 February 2016
	Mon 22 Feb 2016	Thurs 24 March 2016	
Summer Term 2016	Mon 11 April 2016	Fri 27 May 2016	Friday 27 May 2016
Half term	Mon 30 May 2016	Fri 3 June 2016	
	Mon 6 June 2016	Thurs 21 July 2016	

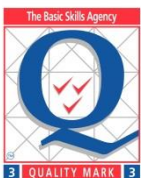
Diary Dates

Date	Event
11.09.15	6.00pm – 8.00pm ASBSA Picnic / BBQ and AGM
14.09.15	Nursery and Reception children start
15.09.15	Swimming starts for Maple Class
23.09.15	Reception children first day staying for lunch.
24.09.15	ASBSA Golf day
29.09.15	8.30am Nursery & Reception parents Coffee morning
07.10.15	Harvest Thanksgiving Service – times to be confirmed
09.10.15	Individual and Family Group Photos
11.10.15	9.30am "School Sunday" Service – All Saints Benhilton Church
12.10.15	Y5 to Sayers Croft
14.10.15	Y5 return from Sayers Croft
17.10.15	ASB Church Barn Dance in school hall
26.10.15	HALF TERM WEEK
05.11.15	SEN IEP Meetings with parents
03.11.15	5pm – 8pm Parent/teacher interviews
04.11.15	3.45pm (2.30 Ys 4,5,6) – 6.00pm Parent/teacher interviews
09.11.15	Willow Class visit from the Space Dome
24.11.15	Last swimming session for Maple Class
04.12.15	Christmas Secrets Room (details nearer the time)
05.12.15	ASBSA Christmas Extravaganza
07.12.15	Nativity Performance Week (see below)
18.12.15	Term ends. School closes at 2:15pm
Christmas Holidays	
04.01.16	Spring Term begins INSET school closed
05.01.16	Children return to school
12.02.16	INSET school closed

Nativity Performances

Wed 9 th Dec.	2:15pm and 6:00pm KS1 performances
Thurs. 10 th Dec	2:15pm EYFS performance (inc. Pips)
Fri. 11 th Dec.	9:15am EYFS performance (inc. Acorns)

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