



## ALL SAINTS BENHILTON C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

There are lots of dates and information as we approach the end of term; and a couple of reminders first. We still have some parents who are parking illegally and dangerously outside school. For the safety of our children, please park away from the school and walk the last bit. You might like to know that a parent who "dropped off" on the zigzag lines was caught on camera and fined £50! Also, please do not allow children to walk along the walls, or in the gardens of the houses in Lymington Court. We try very hard to be good neighbours and our neighbours are very tolerant. Please also remember to use the Crossing Patrol at all times.

### Staffing for September

I am sure you will all be wondering which teacher your children will be having next year.

Sadly, we have a few staff who are retiring or moving on, so there are some changes:

- Mrs Wooden is retiring after more than 20 years in the school!
- Mrs Elson is retiring after 9 years in the school
- Ms. Newton is leaving as she is now a qualified teacher and she will be taking up a teaching post in September.
- Mrs Barker is leaving the nursery as she and her husband move to Wales.
- Mrs Spring is leaving us, after 20 years at the school!
- Miss Croxford is not returning to the school, after her year in Kenya – she is relocating.

We wish them all well as they start a new chapter in their lives. They will all be missed!

If you would like to contribute to a gift from the children for any of the staff, please put your donations in envelopes with the name of the member of staff on the outside. Thank you.

So .....

In September, the class teachers will be as follows

Nursery	Mrs Craven and a teacher to be appointed
Ash	Mrs Murton
Elm	Mrs Collingwood
Year 1	Mrs Pearson
Year 1	Mrs Watts
Year 2	Mrs Stanley Bristowe
Year 2	Miss Dawes
Year 3	Miss Webb
Year 4	Miss Dorling
Year 5	Mrs Hayter
Year 6	Mrs Horlock / Mrs Ferns

The children will be meeting their new teacher on the afternoon of Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July.

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## **Sports Day – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July**

Due to the lack of space on the field, Sports Day for the main school this year will be held on the piece of land in front of the Tennis Academy. We would like the children to wear coloured t shirts again in the colour of their house; St Dunstan's - **Blue** , St. Nicholas – **Red**, St Peter - **Yellow**, St Lawrence - **Green** .

If you do not have the appropriate colour, then school PE kit is fine.

The arrangements for Sports Day are as follows

- 10.45am Reception and KS1 children's sports – parents welcome  
12.00 KS2 children will walk to the Tennis Academy to join us for a Family picnic for all children (Reception, KS1 and KS2). All parents welcome.  
1.00pm KS2 Sports begin – parents and younger siblings (accompanied by a parent) welcome.

2.30pm approx. sports will finish – children who have an adult attending may leave from the Tennis Academy. Children who do not have an adult attending will return to school with their teacher. Children who do not have an adult attending will be in the care of school staff all day. Mid day supervisors will join us at lunchtime to assist in the supervision of the children.

Reception and KS1 children who do not have a KS2 sibling will return to school for the afternoon.

**All children will need a packed lunch on that day.**

Nursery Sports will be held at school on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at 10.45am and 2.15pm so that you are not trying to juggle two different venues!

## **First Aid**

Many of the children have taken part in First Aid training this week. The training and the equipment for this has been provided free of charge and the aim is to ensure that all children in London have the capability to act to preserve life until a professional arrives, should an emergency incident happen in front of them.

## **End of Year records of achievement**

The children will be bringing home their end of year academic reports on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July. Teachers in main school will be available after school on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July (Mrs Collingwood on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July) if there is anything on the report that you feel you need to discuss. Please contact your teacher for an appointment once you have read the report only if you need to see them. Nursery parents can make an appointment to see Mrs Spring, with any queries, on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July.

## **KS2 end of year production 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> July**

This year the children are performing a musical called "Pirates of the Curry Bean"!!! As last year, Beech Class have the main acting parts and Years 3,4 and 5 provide an amazing chorus. The children have all been rehearsing with Mrs Horlock and Mrs Roots and it promises to be very entertaining. If you have children in KS2 could you please keep both evenings free so that every performance is a success. There will be 3 performances – 2pm and 7pm on the 16<sup>th</sup> and 7pm of the 17<sup>th</sup>.

## **Last day of term**

On the last day of term – Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July – school will close at 2:15pm. Our final service of the year will be at 1:15pm in the church. Please do come if you can; Year 6 will lead this service.

## **Can you help please?**

Our new classrooms are due to be completed during August, which does not give us much time to organise them for the children, in September. I am having a "moving weekend" on Sat.31<sup>st</sup> Aug/Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. and would really appreciate any help that you can give. The furniture need to be moved from the hall to the new rooms. I will provide refreshments and lunch if you are able to come and help. Please complete the form below. Thank you very much. (Sorry to say that this needs to be adults only, for safety reasons).

## Diary Dates

Date	Item
w/b 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Bikeability for Year 5 – details in separate letter
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Nursery end of year concerts 11am and 3pm
11 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Records of Achievement going home
14 <sup>th</sup> July	ASBSA Summer picnic – details coming from ASBSA
15 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent teacher interviews regarding reports – main school
16 <sup>th</sup> July	No nursery classes today – visit to Reception classes
16 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm and 7pm Key Stage 2 end of year production
17 <sup>th</sup> July	7pm Key Stage 2 end of year production
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent teacher interviews regarding reports - Nursery
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers' Disco 6:30-9:00
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Nursery Sports 10.45am and 2.15pm
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	1.45pm Concert – all students who have music lessons in school
24 <sup>th</sup> July	Final Service 1:15pm School Closes at 2:15pm
	Enjoy the summer holiday
31 <sup>st</sup> Aug/ 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Furniture moving weekend
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept.	Children return to school
<b>Some advance dates!!</b>	
17 <sup>th</sup> September	ASBSA Golf day at Tyrrells Wood Golf course.
1 <sup>st</sup> October	ASBSA Annual General Meeting 7:30pm
w.b. 28 <sup>th</sup> October	Half term week
18 <sup>th</sup> November	ASBSA Christmas Shopping Night
6 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Secrets Room
Sat. 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Extravaganza

I hope you all have a very enjoyable and restful summer break.  
Thank you for all your support of the school during what has been a year of great change.

Best wishes,  
*R.P. Sutton*  
R.P. Sutton  
Headteacher

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### Furnishing the new classrooms

I am able to help to furnish the new classrooms on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August / Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September \*

Name .....

Child's name ..... Class .....

Signed .....

\*please delete as appropriate

(please return to office or email your reply. Thank you)