

# NEWSLETTER 11 06.03.19

## Bad Weather

We might not be out of the woods yet! Just in case it's needed, please remember to check the Norfolk County Council website for any closures – <http://www.schools.norfolk.gov.uk> We will also try to text you to let you know and will put the information on the website.

## World Book Day

Don't forget it's World Book Day on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March. We are all looking forward to trying to guess favourite books using clues from your hats!

## Curriculum Parent Evenings

Staff will be presenting an overview of the curriculum at both All Saints and St. Andrew's. These will take place on:

St. Andrew's – Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March

All Saints – w/c 1<sup>st</sup> April (date to be confirmed)

## Science Week Conclusion Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March

To celebrate the end of Science week, children can bring in their own experiments to show to parents on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March. The presentations will be done for parents at Hapton at **2pm** and St. Andrew's at **2.30pm**.

To accommodate everyone at All Saints, there will be two sessions. Rhinos & Chimps at 9am and Pandas and Dolphins at 2pm.

We look forward to seeing you all there.

## Smoking in Cars

The law changed on 1 October, 2015 to protect children and young people from the dangers of secondhand **smoke**. It is **illegal to smoke in a car (or other vehicle)** with anyone under 18. Both the driver and the smoker could be fined £50.

### Attendance

This term's attendance by class is:

#### All Saints –

Rhinos:	99.07%
Chimps:	96.13%
Pandas:	94.22%
Dolphins:	94.72%

#### Hapton –

Robins:	92.78%
Owls:	92.22%

#### St. Andrew's –

Discovery:	96.34%
Victory:	95.87%
Endeavour:	92.16%

### Internet Safety – Part 1: TikTok Parent Information Sheet

This week we have included a parent information sheet about the website/app 'TikTok' that you may find useful.

### Internet Safety – Part 2: Momo

We are also including some information about Momo – a character online that encourages children to take part in dangerous challenges. These are being accessed via sites such as Youtube Kids.

### Lost Property

Please remember to name your child's property as it is really difficult to reunite clothing with a child who has lost an unnamed item.

### PE Kits

PE Kits should be in school every day, please bring them in on a Monday for the week ahead. Thank you.

### Lego Education Resources

Please do keep collecting the Lego Tokens for our schools. You can find them in:

- Eastern Daily Press
- Norwich Evening News
- Beccles & Bungay Journal
- Dereham Times
- North Norfolk News
- Gt. Yarmouth Mercury

If you have last weeks' EDP's, please check them for the 10 bonus tokens each day!

Please drop tokens at your school office. Thank you.

### Term Dates

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April  
Monday 8<sup>th</sup> – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April  
Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May  
Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June  
Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July

End of Spring Term  
Easter Holidays  
Back to School  
End of Half Term  
Half Term Holiday  
Back to School  
End of Summer Term

### **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March – Red Nose Day**

Each school will be holding the following activities to raise money for Red Nose Day:

All Saints – Dress in Red £1. Guess the baby 50p. Cake sale 30p each. Art Competition – draw/design a new comic book hero £1.

Hapton – Children may dress in Red. Please donate cakes to be sold at breaktime.

St. Andrew's – There will be a cake sale at tuckshop in the morning (provided by school). Children may dress in Red for a £1 donation.

### **Laura Samuel**

A really big thank you to everyone who raised sponsor money for Laura when she visited last month. The children all really enjoyed taking part in the events she organised and listening to her story in assembly. I think everyone was amazed at how far and how high she can jump! The visit has really inspired the children to think about sport as something that everyone can do.

### **Orangutan Day at St. Andrew's**

Thank you to everyone for taking part in the Orangutan Day as organised by the School Council. There was a sea of orange and other bright colours and an amazing £78 was raised, which is going towards sponsoring an orphan Orangutan with the World Wide Fund for Nature.

### **Home Start Support**

Home Start are looking for volunteers to help support families in your local area. Volunteers need to be people who have time to spare, along with parenting experience. The next course for training starts on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March at Tivetshall Village Hall for 7 consecutive weeks. For more information please contact them on 01603 977040 or email [admin@homestartnorfolk.org](mailto:admin@homestartnorfolk.org)

### **Collective Worship**

This half term we are looking at the value 'Courage'. Children will be sharing stories from the bible as well as other stories, both fiction and non-fiction, that enable us to think about what being courageous means.

### **Messy Church**

Messy Church continues on the second Saturday of every month at St. Mary's Church, Forncett from 10.30am to 12 noon. All are welcome and children should wear clothes to get messy in and will need to be with an adult. No charge, but donations welcome to help cover the costs of refreshments and craft materials. To book, please call 01953 788227 or email [ldavery@btinternet.com](mailto:ldavery@btinternet.com)

### **Celebration Worship**

Please note that due to the Science Week presentations, there will be no Celebration Worship on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March.

### **Parent Teacher Associations**

#### **HSA – All Saints**

- Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March: 9am Next meeting at The Cock Inn, Diss.
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April: 3.15-5pm Easter Disco
- Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June: Non Uniform Day for raffle/tombola prize donations.  
Dress as a Princess/Superhero
- Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June: 11am – 2pm Summer Fete.

#### **Friends – Hapton**

- Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July: 6-8pm Summer Fete.

#### **FOSTA – St. Andrew's**

- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March: 7.30pm Next meeting at Mr & Mrs Golledge's house.
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April: 3.20pm Easter Craft.
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April: Easter Egg Hunt
- Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July: 11am – 2.30pm Summer Fete

The cake raffle will return after Easter!

## **DIARY DATES**

Fri 8 Mar	Wear 'Hats' for World Book Day
Tue 12 Mar	Pandas: Tag Rugby at Diss High School
Tue 12 Mar	9am HSA Meeting at The Cock Inn, Diss
Fri 15 Mar	Red Nose Day
Sun 17 Mar	10am 'Village Church', St. Mary's, Winfarthing
Fri 22 Mar	Class Photographs
Mon 25 Mar	Dolphins: Netball & Football Tournament Day at Diss High School
Mon 1 Apr	Nursing Team: Yr6 Height & Weight
Mon 1 Apr	Nursing Team: YrR Height, Weight, Hearing & Vision
Thur 4 Apr	3.15-5pm HSA Easter Disco
Fri 5 Apr	10am End of Term Easter Service at St. Mary's, Winfarthing
Fri 5 Apr	Last Day of Term
Tue 23 Apr	Back to School
Wed 24 Apr	'Green Clothes Day' for NSPCC
Wed 24 Apr	NSPCC Visit/Assembly
Thur 25 Apr	Federation Easter Experience Day at All Saints School

## **AWARDS**

<i>Good Behaviour:</i>	Eva, Jacob C & Arthur
<i>Politeness:</i>	Noah, Ava & Isla
<i>Hard Work:</i>	Harry, Jason & Abbie
<i>Courage:</i>	Sasha & Hollie
<i>Star Reader:</i>	Amelia x 2, Byron, Kelcy, Archie P, Gracie-Mai, Sam A, Oliver, Ted, Jack, Leon Mi & Isobel
<i>Weekly Attendance w/c 04.02.19:</i>	Rhino
<i>Weekly Attendance w/c 11.02.19:</i>	Rhino
<i>Weekly Attendance w/c 25.02.19:</i>	Rhino
<i>Blissful Balancing:</i>	Rio, Ben, Jay, Esmee, Maisie x 2, Harley A, Thomas, Sasha, Nommie, Orla & William A
<i>Jolly Jumping:</i>	Leah x 3, Kobi, Jason, Connie, Alfie, Juliya, Archie P, Sam A, Leon Ma & George
<i>Whizzy Walking &amp; Rapid Running:</i>	Tilly x 2, Harley D, Juliya, Harry, Maisie, Daniel, Alice, Karla, Ben, Caleb & Harry
<i>Good Citizen:</i>	Sasha
<i>Daily Challenge – Best Effort:</i>	Amelia, Karla & Archie P
<i>Daily Challenge – Progress:</i>	Gracie-Mai, Rio, Maisie, Leah, Abbie, George, William A, Laurie, Isobel, Harry, Bailee, Ella, Kitty, Kelcy, Caleb & Grayson

## **NEXT NEWSLETTER**

The next Newsletter will be on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2019. If you have an item for the Newsletter, please leave it in your school office or email Mrs McGarr: [head@allsaints-diss.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:head@allsaints-diss.norfolk.sch.uk) by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2019.