



Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

This week's news

What a fantastic first Cross Country Race at Southam on Saturday. I was delighted to see both a boys and girls team taking part. Everybody completed a long, first race and should be really proud of their determination and perseverance. I know there were a lot of proud faces at the finish line- young and slightly older. A particular very well done to Rylie who ran a magnificent race to finish 3rd.

There is a growing Green Leek buzz in the air as we begin the countdown to the Green Leek 10K on 9th October. 275 runners have already registered so there are only a few places left for latecomers. Please register to avoid disappointment.

If you are not a runner then please join us as a spectator along the route that begins on 'The Greenway' at Burton Green and winds it's way through the common, the Abbey Fields and Castle Farm before finishing at The Warwickshire in Leek Wootton. Please join us at the finish line. Enjoy a bacon batch whilst encouraging the runners home.

Year 6 had a good day working together at All Saints'. They learned Peer Mediation Skills which we now hope they will use to support each other and younger children in school at break-times.

Year 6 join together next week for their visit to Coventry Transport Museum and The Herbert Art Gallery.

Mathlete of the Week: Foundation: Eddie B
Key Stage 1: Ollie F **Key Stage 2:** Eshan

Reading Olympics

Thank you to everybody who took part in our 'Reading Olympics' over the summer holiday. Well done to the following children who sustained their reading despite the attraction of sun, sea and sand.

Gold Medal- 775+ minutes

Eshan, Mya, Amy, Stefan, Tia-Mae, Maya, Freya, Kiyana, Bella L, Callum W, Lydia, Keira, Maggie, Ben P, Rohan, Jay, Sophia S, Ted, Finlay R, Clem,

Silver Medal- 620- 774 minutes

Declan, Hamish, Annie

Bronze Medal 465-619 minutes

Ewan, Molly A, 02 1Tommy

Medals will be given out in 'Celebration Assembly' this week.

Class News

Maple: In Science we are learning all about our senses and this week we are tasting different foods.

Cedar: We have just started a unit of work focussing on traditional tales and have enjoyed writing our own.

Damson: We have been revising telling the time and connecting between 12 and 24 hour clock. In Literacy, we have been reading fables and looking at skills for story writing.

Oak: Oak class have all had 'Peer Mediation' training and are now ready to use these skills to solve problems in school. We have been able to demonstrate fabulous Maths skills using BODMAS as well as proving we could have budding estate agents among us writing super sales pitches.

Celebration Assembly 29th September 2016 9.05

This Weeks Awards

Truly Brilliant

Maple: Bronwyn

Cedar: Amy

Damson: Rohan

Oak: Emily S

Mrs Patterson: Maya R, Charlie, Lydia, Ceri

Raising the Roof: Eddie, Clover

Super Cool: Callum W, Lewis

Bronze: Kiyana

Handwriting 2: Daisy M, Rohan, Ellie C

Megatastic Multiple Challenge: Georgio, Emily S

Curriculum Evenings

Parent support with their children's learning has a huge impact on the progress each child makes. We would like to enable home -school partnership to be as effective as possible by sharing with you strategies that we use in school.

Early Literacy Evening 3rd October 7pm

I would like to invite parents of children who have just joined us in Reception to come along and find out more about how we teach reading at Burton Green and ways in which you can support your child at home.

11th October 7.30 Helping your child make more progress. At All Saints'.

Over the past year we have introduced a range of new ways in different areas of the curriculum, to help children to be aware of what they need to do to make the next step in their learning.

I would like to invite you to join with All Saints' parents after their PTFA AGM to find out more about how these developments that impact on your child, and how you can help them.

We will be organising another evening at Burton Green on a different theme that is open to parents across the federation later in the term.

Green Leek Activities

Green Leek Residential Kingswood 2017

Thank you for coming along to our introductory meeting last week. I hope you agree that this is really an exciting opportunity with many educational benefits to look forward to. To secure your place please pay your deposit and return the slip by 3rd October.

The revised schedule of payments is:

3 rd October	£50	3 rd November	£70
3 rd December	£70	3 rd January	£60
3 rd February	£60	3 rd March	£60
3 rd April	£42		

3rd October Year 6 visit to Coventry Transport Museum and Herbert Art Gallery

World War 2 topic this term is rich with local and national experiences that really enhance learning in many varied ways. The Green Leek Year 6 will be joining together for a whole day of experiences linked to their theme.

Laying of Stones Special Assembly October 6th

We would like to invite the parents and friends of children in Reception and children new to the school, to join us for the special assembly on Thursday October 6th. We would like each child to bring a stone with their name and date of entry to Burton Green painted on it. This will be placed in the Peace Garden as part of this special time.

ADMISSIONS 2017

I would like to invite parents of children who are due to start school in September 2017 to visit the school on our:

OPEN MORNINGS

Join Mrs Patterson on a guided tour around the school in a small group, with the opportunity to ask any questions that you might have.

10th November

9.30am or 11.00am

Please ring 02476464130 to reserve your place.

Sports Events

Cross Country 2016

Please book these dates:

Saturday 15th October Hatton Country World

Saturday 5th November Priors Field

Saturday 26th November Priory Park

Burton Green Bonus

Contact Mrs Caz Thompson 07580 253402 between 7am and 7pm daily.

Burton Green Bonus activities are now fully open. Steel Pans has capacity for a new group of beginners. Lessons take place on Tuesday afternoons during the school day.

If your child is in either Year 3 or Year 4 and would like the opportunity to learn this instrument please let Mrs Thompson know as soon as possible.

Friends of Burton Green Making a difference!

8pm 28th September at The Virgins and Castle, High St, Kenilworth. We are very keen to welcome new parents to our planning meetings. Please come along and be part of the group.

6.00 Friday 14th October children's FILM NIGHT!
Come along dressed appropriately! to enjoy

THE JUNGLE BOOK

Refreshments included.

Friday 21st October Bags4Schools

Please begin saving old clothes, belt, shoes etc for our next collection. Drop off bags at 3.30 on Thursday 20th October and by 9.00am on 21st October. Please ask family and friends to also collect items. This is a really straight forward way for us to fund raise.

Stamptastic

Fed up with sewing labels in your child's clothing. You can now label all of their school items with one stamp. Visit www.stamptastic.co.uk and use the code HOBLANE with any purchases and the school will receive 20% cashback.

Christmas Card Project

The children have been busy creating their artwork for this years Christmas cards - they will be reproduced in full colour in packs of 12 - other items are also available.

To order, simply visit the card producers website at www.apfsorders.co.uk and input the unique code found on the form on the reverse of your child's artwork. Orders must be placed by midnight on 11th October. Any orders placed after this date will be classed as a late order and will be subject to a handling and postage fee. Once your order is complete, **please return the artwork to school immediately** so that it can be sent to APFS for scanning. All artworks are being posted from school on 14th Oct.

If you are ordering for more than one child, APFS has introduced a family discount. Other benefits to ordering online include being able to personalise your items with your child's name and/or school, create your own custom greetings, and pay securely by debit or credit card.

Saturday 19th November Christmas Fair

Please save the date for our major fundraising event of the year. Children, its never to early to begin thinking about your stall.

Use our Virtual Shop. www.easyfundraising.org.uk



SUNDAY 9th OCTOBER 2016
Online entries are pouring in. Register now or you may miss out.

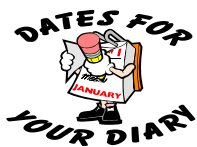
Go to <http://www.runbritain.com/races> and search for green leek 10k. You do have to register on runbritain prior to registering for Green Leek <http://www.greenleek10k.co.uk>.

ORDERS FOR T SHIRTS NEED TO BE IN BY FRIDAY

Sponsor Form

In order to maximise the fund raising potential of this event, we would appreciate as many runners as possible being sponsored to raise funds for our schools.

Runners who have declared a connection with either All Saints' or Burton Green should have received a sponsor form at the end of last term. If you didn't receive one please contact Mrs P who has spares! All monies raised will be divided equally between the two schools.



29 th	Dads Night out - 8pm - Hickory Smokehouse
3 rd October	Green Leek Yr 6 Coventry Motor Museum and Herbert Art Gallery 7.00 Early Literacy Evening Reception Parents
5 th	Mums Night Out - 8pm - Hickory Smokehouse
6 th	9.20 Open Assembly Reception and children new to school, laying stones in the Peace Garden
9 th	Green Leek 10K Start Burton Green, finish at 'The Warwickshire' Leek Wootton
11 th	7.30 Curriculum Evening: Helping your child to make more progress- at All Saints'.
14 th	School Council Book Swap Day
15 th	10.00 Cross Country Hatton Country World
17 th	3.40-7.00 Parents Evening
20 th	2.30 Harvest Celebration 5.00-8.00 Parents Evening
	3.30 Drop off for Bags4Schools
21 st	9.00 Bags4Schools Collection
	Break up for half term.
31 st October	Children return to School. 'Taking Care Week' - Personal Safety Curriculum
5 th November	10.00 Cross Country Priorsfield
10 th	Open Morning for parents with children seeking a place in 2017 Flu Nasal Spray for Years 1, 2 and 3. Mums Night Out - 8pm - Curry Night
11 th	10.45 Open Assembly : Remembrance Day
14 th	Year 6 and adults trip to London depart 5.45 am.
16 th	Super Learning Day- Democracy
19 th	Friends of Burton Green Christmas Fair
26 th	10.00 Cross Country Priory Park 2.00 All Saints' Christmas Fair 4.00 Glow Club Performance
1 st December	All Saints' Christmas Performance watched by Burton Green
5 th	Burton Green's Christmas Performance watched by All Saints'
7 th	Christmas Performances at 2.00pm and 6.00pm
8 th	Christmas Party Day
13 th	9.00 Dance Assembly
14 th	School Christmas Lunch
15 th	9.30 Christmas Nativity 1.00pm Green Leek Whole School Panto visit to the Spa Centre Beauty and The Beast. Packed lunch today please.
16 th	Last Day of Term- Christmas Jumper Day Break Up
3 rd January	Tuesday Staff INSET Day
4 th	Wednesday return to School