



Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

This week's news

This week has to be 10K week as we begin the final countdown after 12 months of preparation. SOLD OUT was a wonderful message at the end of last week as all 300 places are now gone. We hope that whether you are running or not you will join us to encourage the runners along the course and come along to the finish at 'The Warwickshire' to congratulate them and enjoy refreshments. We just hope the weather is as nice next Sunday as it was this.

Celebration Assembly

No Celebration Assembly this week

Laying of Stones Special Assembly October 6th 9.05am

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.

Class News

Maple: This week we are learning to write our own information leaflets and non-fiction pages all about pets. We are learning about 2D shapes in maths.

Cedar: In maths we have been practising reading the time on analogue and digital clocks. Year 2 have focussed on 2D shapes.

Damson: We have been improving our writing by using speech and different types of sentence structures.

Oak: We have had a very informative and interesting day out in Coventry visiting the Herbert Art Gallery Blitz experience and the Transport Museum for an evacuee experience. Both were full of facts to help us understand our topic of World War II in greater detail.

Safeguarding Corner
CAR PARK SAFETY

Safety around our car park is of paramount importance in school. I would like to remind you that the car park is only for staff. Parents and visitors MUST not reverse across the foot path into the car park nor should parents park on the zig-zag lines or mount the pavement to drop off children. At 8.45 in the morning this is the most dangerous place to turn. I have been shocked some mornings as I have been greeting children on arrival to see parents not only turning in the car park but turning at speed and some cars moving very fast, close to the pavement. The child that gets knocked over could be your's!!! I would appreciate your help in this matter before it is too late.

Curriculum Evenings

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 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

We have now confirmed our booking for Kingswood 2017 and I am delighted to say that everybody in Years 5 and 6 are joining the visit.

Harvest Celebrations October 20th 2.30pm

We would like to invite you to join us on the last Thursday afternoon of the term for our harvest celebrations. The year we will focus on food from around the world. Each class has prepared an item to present with this theme.

It is a longstanding tradition to support the Kenilworth Food Bank at this time and we would like to collect non-perishable items that can be distributed by the Food Bank. Please send items into school anytime up until half term.

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.**

Friends of Burton Green

Making a difference!

Friends of Burton Green AGM 7.00 2nd November

Come along and celebrate another year of supporting your child's learning.

Followed by a curriculum evening at 7.30 focus TBC.

This year we are looking for a secretary to take the minutes of meetings and support communication.

8pm 9th November 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 planning the Christmas Fair.

6.00 Friday 14th October children's FILM NIGHT!

Pupils at Burton Green are invited to come along dressed appropriately to enjoy The Jungle Book.

THE JUNGLE BOOK (2016)

Bring your cushions! Refreshments included. Tickets £5.00. Please complete and return the slip below.

**Cake Sale 20th October after the
Harvest Festival**

Class funds raised by our regular cake sales are really appreciated by every class. Sometimes they are used to support the cost of trips or visits by special visitors. Sometimes special equipment is bought to support the curriculum. We would appreciate cakes from Oak Class and their supporters from other classes, for our next cake sale on 20th October.

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 straightforward way for us to fund raise.

Stampastic

Fed up with sewing labels in your child's clothing. You can now label all of their school items with one stamp. Visit www.stampastic.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.

**Christmas Fayre 19th November 12-2pm
Christmas Raffle**

We would love to hear from you if you are able to donate a prize. Please ask any businesses you are linked with.

All the fun of the Fayre

We would once again like to involve the children as much as possible in the fayre. We would like them to plan stalls using their great ideas. It might be a game or it could be something to sell. You might join with friends or plan your stall as a family. Start to plan your ideas, arrange your prizes and be ready to add to the fun.

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



**SUNDAY 9th OCTOBER 2016
SOLD OUT!**

Sponsor Form

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

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.

Parking on Sunday

Burton Green parking is available at Burrow Hill Nurseries - access off **Hob Lane ONLY**.
Finish parking is available at All Saints school car park or the overflow car park at The Warwickshire.
The staff car park is only available for volunteer helpers who have already been given a job.

These could easily get full. If you are a spectator who lives in Leek Wootton we would appreciate it if you walked to the finish or spectator sites. A suggested good viewpoint is to use the footpath by All Saints' Church to walk up to the top of the tinker tank hill to see the runners crest the final hill just before the finish. Marshals will direct you to suitable areas for spectating. we also suggest spectators car share.

If you do have to park elsewhere in the village please do not park on the pavement, do not block residents' drives and only park on one side of any roads to allow free movement of vehicles.

Refreshments

Refreshments are available close to the finish on The Warwickshire site. A Green Leek team are preparing bacon and sausage batches, tea, coffee and a tuck shop for the children.

READING IS EVEN MORE IMPORTANT THAN RUNNING!

Not running, you can still be part of the excitement of the Green Leek 10K!
Read a book for each kilometre of the 10K run and win your own 10K medal.
Each book must be by a different author and your reading must be recorded in your reading diary. Forms will be given out on Monday to every child.
10K Challenge forms have been given out this week.

The Jungle Book Experience Friday 14th October 6.00pm

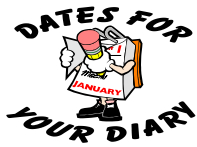
Please return slip and payment to the school office in an envelope marked 'Jungle Book Experience'. Cheques should be made payable to Friends of Burton Green.

Child's Name(s).....

Payment enclosed £5.00 per ticket.....

Contact Number.....

Please note a list of children will be kept, tickets will not be issued.



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	Cake sale - Oak class to donate cakes
	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
1 st December	4.00 Glow Club Performance
5 th	All Saints' Christmas Performance watched by Burton Green
7 th	Burton Green's Christmas Performance watched by All Saints'
8 th	Christmas Performances at 2.00pm and 6.00pm
13 th	Christmas Party Day 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