

# All Saints Primary School Newsletter Book Week 2018



Book Week at All Saints Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – Friday 16th March 2018

We are delighted to be able to confirm the programme of events that we have organised for our Book week which starts on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March. It is going to be an exciting and rewarding week for all! Please encourage your children to become as involved as possible!

# Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March

We are very excited that the Book Week at All Saints will launch with a visit by the author Paul Stickland who wrote 'Dinosaur Roar'. He will begin the day by taking a whole class assembly introducing his work. Then every child will participate in a workshop with him during the day when they will be taking part in hands on activities making pop up books. A flyer will be distributed from Paul as copies of his books will be available to buy on the day he will also be happy to sign old battered copies on the day!

## Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March

We are again being visited by an author, this time by Rocky Salt the author of 'An Animalphabet'. He will be discussing how he writes his books with KS1 and KS2 children. Rocky can sell and sign his books on the day for £8 but would need a rough number needed before the visit. Please let your child's teacher know if you would like to buy the book on the day.

## Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March

## 2.45pm – 3.30 pm Share a Story

We are inviting parents /carers / governors / grandparents and members of the community to come into school and share a book with a small group of children. Volunteers can either bring a book in from home or pick one from the library.

Please fill in the attached form if you are able to attend and please extend the invitation to grandparents, it would be wonderful to see them!

# Thursday 15<sup>h</sup> March

Class Book Quizzes - with book related prizes!

#### Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March

#### **Book Character Dress up Day**

Come dressed as your favourite book character! (Or bring a prop from your favourite book.) We will be having a class rotation on this day when staff will be reading their favourite books to the children!

We will end the day with a book related celebration assembly.

During the week there will be some on-going activities taking place at school such as 'Pass the story' – We are going to create a whole school story to share at a special 'Book Week Celebration Assembly' on Friday. Each class will be writing a chapter of the story!

We would also like to encourage your child's love of reading at home so you will be receiving some activities to encourage this:

How many reading activities can you complete this week? Sheet to bring home – prizes on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March

National Book Token Competition – which can be returned to school by Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March and we will send entries on.

## Scholastic Book Fair – Each day during Book Week

The Book Fair will be open from **8.30 a.m. – 8.45 a.m**. in the morning and again at **3.30 p.m.** - **4.00 p.m.** in the afternoon during the above period.

The Book Fair offers an inspirational and diverse selection of books for children, whatever their interests, helping to improve reading for all ages and abilities. In addition, our school benefits from the Fair with commission to purchase books for the library and classroom.

Please come and visit the Book Fair to see the full range of titles or you can order using the form on the back of the book leaflet.

Many thanks for your support. Don't forget, the more you spend, the more free books for the school!

# Share a story Wednesday 14th March 2.45 -3.30pm

I would like to attend share a story on Wednesday 14th March at 2.45pm

Parent Name:.....