



All Saints Primary School

Weekly Parent Email

Dear Parent / Carers,

The weeks are passing quickly and highlights this week are:

Sunday's Remembrance Service: On Sunday 11th November, we were very proud of our four representatives – Charlotte, Sophia, Leanne and Annabelle who presented their research commemorating the four soldiers from Bishops Caundle who lost their lives during World War 1. This was part of a special Remembrance Service held at Bishops Caundle Church, led by Vicar Richard, with a congregation of nearly 100! The children of Sapphires Class had also made a beautiful wreath of poppies, which was placed over the commemorative plaque during the service.

Topaz's Celebration of Learning: The children presented their learning this term with confidence and enthusiasm. Thank you so much for supporting by coming along.

Children in Need: Today Mrs Parsons and School Council organised some fund raising activities to support Children in Need including a very well supported Book and Cake Sell. Huge thanks to everyone who brought in pennies for Pudsey. The adding up has not yet been done yet but we will let you know the total amount we raised.

Letters Attached:

- What's on this Week W/C 19th November
- Parent Letter: What happens if School is to close due to adverse Weather.
- Community Christmas Carols in Bishops Caundle: Thursday 6th December

School Collection: Please can I remind parents and carers that the only vehicles allowed on to the school site at collection time, are the school buses. This is for the safety of all our children who are leaving the premises at the same time. **On no account should cars be backing into the exit gates and parking.** If someone is collecting your child on your behalf please can you inform them that they will not be able to park in the school.

PE Kits: Despite many reminders, much curriculum time is still being lost due to children not having PE kit in school. At this time of year when the field can get very muddy we appreciate kit may need to be washed more regularly however, it is very important that children have the appropriate clothing for outdoor PE in school. We have a responsibility to ensure that our children are engaging in as much physical activity as possible and we need to ensure that all children are getting their entitlement.

If there is a medical reason why your child should not take part in PE then please contact the school and inform the class teacher. Children will only be excused from PE when such a notification has been received.

Yr5 Residential to Mill on the Brue Parent meeting. We do appreciate how busy everyone is, but it was disappointing that only one family from All Saints attended the parent meeting at Thornford School this week regarding next Year 5 Residential. However, Ms Barnes has very kindly offered to show the video that was presented at the meeting straight after school on Thursday 22nd November at 3.30pm and answer any questions that you may have.

ASSA Fundraising Update: Just to keep you updated with the wonderful fund raising efforts of our PTA; the Summer Smartie Challenge raised £99.80 even though only 16 children took part so a huge thank you to those families for supporting this activity. The Harvest café, which took place on 19th October, raised a marvelous £141.26 – good work team!

Christmas is coming...Our Christmas Fair is taking place next Friday from 3.30pm onwards. This year it is being held in the village hall and promises to be a fabulous event due to the commitment and hard work of our ASSA members. Please support your school and come along with friends and family! There will be plenty of opportunities for Christmas shopping and to see Santa in his winter wonderland grotto.

Have a wonderful weekend,

All Saints