

# All Saints Primary School Weekly Parent Email

W/E 7<sup>th</sup> June 2019

## Dear Parents/Carers,

Another busy week has flown past at All Saints. We were all very disappointed not to have been swimming this week. However, as you can appreciate, it is imperative that the pool balance is correct to ensure that the water is safe and welcoming for the children. We are now optimistic for a start to swimming on Monday.

#### Leeson House:

Year 4 had a very successful visit to Leeson House near Swanage this week with other local small schools. Examples of activities were studying sand dunes on the beach and orienteering. Thank you to our 'extra' adult helpers who support our trips.

#### Talent Show:

This year's Talent Show was hailed as the best ever! The level of talent on display was outstanding and our three guest judges, Mr Harding, Mrs Peters and Mr Chester had a very tough job on their hands. The acts were all very well prepared and beautifully presented and the range of skills on show were varied and unique. These included Cow Riding, Show Jumping and Quad Biking - on video I might add! There were magicians, pianists, guitarists, drummers, singers, gymnasts and dancers. The event was brilliantly hosted by Jazmyn and Aaron, and expertly managed by Mrs Hope and Ms Barnes. The final results were:

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Sophie who sang a beautiful song – there was not a dry eye in the house.

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Charlotte for her expert horse jumping prowess.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Daisy who presented the most amazing Magic Show.

However, the accolades did not end there.... The judges decided to create a special award – 'Young Performer of the Year' for children in Key Stage 1. This was presented to Tristan in Y1 who had the audience enthralled during his incredible recital of his own story.

## Important – Theatre Trip to Aladdin

This exciting event is getting closer and we need to complete our arrangements. Therefore, I must request that consent returns are in school by WEDNESDAY 12<sup>th</sup> JUNE at the latest. You will appreciate the financial commitment the school has made for this trip to take place and we may need to allocate/sell excess tickets. Please be reassured that if your child is NOT taking part in this trip then they will be well looked after and learning provision will be made for them in school.

## A few more things...

**Piano Lessons:** Our current Piano Tutor - Mrs Irvine, is due to retire at the end of this academic year. We will be appointing a new tutor to join All Saints from September and we would like to gauge the level future interest. If you

All Saints CE VC Primary School Giles Lane, Bishops Caundle,Dorset DT9 5NQ, 01963 23450 www.bishopscaundle.dorset.sch.uk office@bishopscaundle.dorset.sch.uk would like your child to learn to play the piano, please could you inform Mrs Wookey. Typically, a 30-minute lesson costs £12.

**Sports Day:** We are all hoping for good weather next Friday for our Sports Day, which starts at 9.15am and finishes at 12pm. Mrs Regan has been working hard organising this event and will be managing the morning alongside Mr Noyce. Please check your children's sporting team colour so that they compete in the appropriate coloured top. We will be selling ice creams for the spectators so please remember to bring a few pennies. We are looking forward to seeing you all there.

# On Line Safety News Letter:

Please find attached to this email our latest On Line Safety News Letter detailing important information about keeping our children safe on line.

## **Healthy Eating Week**

10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> June is the British Nutrition Foundation's Healthy Eating Week. The challenge is to have a healthy breakfast every day. The advice is to go for wholegrain or other higher fibre foods, include a drink and at least one of your 5 a day! Please see information attached.

# **Dorset Council**

The new Dorset Council wants to involve more children, parents and young people in the design of services in the future believing that services are better when everyone works in partnership to improve. They are asking parents, children and young people to help devise a framework and channels that will make sure their voice is consistently considered across their services and influences how the Council works in the future. Please take a moment to complete a short survey, those that take part could win a £50 high-street voucher. It is live until 30 June.

Simply follow this link - www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/voice-of-children-and-families

Finally, we are happy to report that Mrs Parsons and her baby boy, Fletcher, are both doing well. We can't wait for them to visit!

Thanks once again for your support in all we do. Kind regards,

All Saints

## Letters home this week:

- What's on this week W/C 10<sup>th</sup> June 2019
- Healthy Eating Week Breakfast Challenge
- On-Line Safety Newsletter June 2019
- Dorset Police Open Day Poster