



Newsletter

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All Saints' C of E Primary School

18th September 2026

Welcome to this week's newsletter! The children have been busy in school this week and are now fully settled into their classes, enjoying learning and being with their friends. We wish all our families a lovely and restful weekend!



Celebration Awards

FRIDAY 18th SEPTEMBER 2026



Year 6	Mikey and Pola
Year 5	Luna and Nicola
Year 4	Isabella and Daisy
Year 3	Amari and Ava
Year 2	Sophia U and Nikol
Year 1	Yahya and Martin
Reception	Yasmine and Ethan
Nursery	Luna and Luke

House Points

Each week we total up the house points children have been awarded at school. This weeks totals are:

- St George's House: 251 Points
- St Andrew's House: 238 Points
- St Patrick's House: 248 Points
- St David's House: 216 Points

Spirituality Award

Ismael Zalmai



Important Dates

W/C Monday 21st Sept

Tue 22nd - Y3 Trip to Celtic Harmony

Wed 23rd - Blessing of the Bags

Fri 25th - Speech and Language Drop in

Buckets of Kindness

- Year 1 I play with Roman, Pietro
- Year 2 When I was lonely Chiara played with me. From Cleopatra
- Year 3 To the whole school, I am so happy to be back. Love and good luck, Rosa
- Year 4 To Zakai, Thank you for making me laugh forever. From Livio
- Year 5 To Lara, Jessica and Anna, Thank you for being a good partner in PE, I had a great time. From Summer
- Year 6 Dear Toby, Thank you for being a kind and funny table partner with your every day funny jokes. From Nevayah

Be Kind.



Parent Information

Blessing of the Bags

Next Wednesday 23rd September, we are holding our Blessing of the Bags service, where our new Reception children will bring their school bags to church to be blessed by Fr Harry and Fr Gospel. It is a lovely opportunity to welcome our new students into our community and our church.

Parents are welcome to attend. The service begins at 9:30am in All Saints' Church.



Secondary School Transfers

If your child is currently in Year 6, it is time to start thinking about Secondary School places! The deadline to apply for a place is **31st October 2026**. All schools will hold open evenings or tours, so that you can look around to help make your choice. All applications must be made online through [Barnet eadmissions](#). You can find more information about applying on the Local Authority Website [here](#).

A list of open days can be seen [here](#) but we advise double checking with the secondary school before going as you may need to book your place. Please see a list of where our Year 6 students from last year transferred to, on the right of the page.



Parking

We would like to remind all parents to please be considerate when parking at pick up and drop off times. We have been made aware that parents are using the Oakleigh Park Tennis/Swimming Club Car Park at the beginning and end of the day. This is private property and parents should not park here. Free parking is available on all the streets around the school.



Uniform

As communicated this week, we are no longer using Mapac as a uniform supplier. We have a few pieces of new uniform left in the office; please check with the office before purchasing on Parent Pay to check we have what you need. Don't forget we also have the ClearOut app for second hand uniform. Scan the QR code to see what's in stock!



Free School Meals

As a reminder, if you haven't already filled out your Free School Meals eligibility check, please do so this week. We are required by the Department for Education to recheck all children by the end of September. You can find the link to the form below.

[Free School Meal Form](#)

Ark Pioneer Academy	6
Wren Academy	8
Totteridge Academy	4
Friern Barnet School	1
The Compton School	1
Grace Wood Academy	1
East Barnet School	4
The Latymer School	1
St Andrew the Apostle	3
Mount House	1

Classroom Moments



Reception



Year 2



Nursery

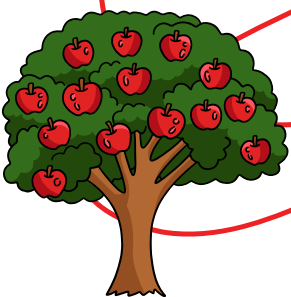
Reading Corners

We are passionate about reading at All Saints' and want our children to find a love of reading too! We've created cosy, calm and peaceful spaces in our classrooms where our children can curl up with a good book and let their imaginations run wild! At All Saints' there's always another adventure waiting to be discovered. Here are some of our favourite reading corners around school.



Harvest Time

Our children have been back out in the garden this week as our apple harvest isn't over yet! Some of our Year 5 class spent time outside picking apples, and then worked as a team to bring their bountiful harvest into school. The children love to see the food we have grown and take part in collecting it and eating it too!



Weekly Worship

In Class Worship this week...

...children have been learning about homelessness as UK Prime Minister Andy Burnham has pledged that, by Christmas, everyone sleeping rough in England will be offered a safe place to stay.

Children have talked about important questions like:

- Do you think everyone needs help sometimes? Why?
- What could you do if you thought someone needed help?
- How might helping others make our school or community a better place?

The Bible teaches us that we should care for people who need help. When we help others, we are also showing love to God. This encourages us to notice when someone is struggling and be kind, caring and compassionate.



“

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me.

Matthew 25: 35-40

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Our Prayer for this Week

Dear God,
Thank You for the people who care for and support us.
Help us to notice when someone needs our help.
Give us the courage to be kind, caring and compassionate and remind us that even small acts of kindness can make a difference.
Amen.



Dates for the Diary

DATE	EVENT AND DETAILS
Tue 22nd Sept	Year 3 Trip to Celtic Harmony
Wed 23rd Sept	Blessing of the Bags Service at All Saints' Church: 9:30am. Parents welcome to attend
Fri 25th Sept	Drop in Speech and Language Q&A in the library. 9:00-9:40
Fri 2nd Oct	Drop in Speech and Language Q&A in the library. 9:00-9:40
Fri 9th Oct	Yellow Day for Mental Health Awareness. Wear yellow with your uniform and bring £1 donation
Fri 16th Oct	Just One Tree Day. Bring £1 Donation and wear green!
Tue 20th Oct	Parents Evening
Wed 21st Oct	Individual and Sibling Photos Parents Evening
Fri 23rd Oct	Last Day of Half Term. Finish at 3:30pm
Mon 2nd Nov	INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED
Tue 3rd Nov	Children return to school
Wed 4th Nov	Year 4 Trip to The Lion King
Mon 9th - Fri 13th Nov	Scholastic Book Fair all week
Mon 23rd Nov	Flu Vaccinations in school

Dates for the Diary

DATE	EVENT AND DETAILS
Mon 30 th Nov	St Andrew's Day: Children in St Andrew's House to wear blue
Fri 11 th Dec	Rocksteady Concert at 2:45pm
Fri 18 th December	End of Term: School Finishes at 2:30pm
Mon 4 th Jan	School Closed
Tue 5 th Jan	INSET Day School Closed
Wed 6 th Jan	Children return to school



A few words from Terapia...

A couple of weeks into the Autumn term and the summer holidays feel like a distant memory. A busier school routine includes getting up earlier, making pack-lunches, the school run, and homework and maybe after school activities in the evenings. It can be a tiring and overwhelming adjustment after the long break. Traditionally, Autumn would have been a time of natural slowing down, as evenings became darker and the weather cooler. However, in modern society, life tends to continue at the same fast pace.

Failing to wind down keeps our system in a state of high alert, which can affect sleep, increase stress and the risk of burn-out. It is important to regularly take a moment to think about how you are feeling - just powering through is not healthy. Be kind to yourself and accept that sometimes not everything can go to plan or get done. Making time to rest and connect is essential for both children and adults after a hectic day.

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TRANSFER TO SECONDARY SCHOOL 2027 – DATES AND TIMES OF OPEN EVENINGS IN 2026

****It is advisable to check individual school websites for any last-minute changes****

Wednesday 24 June	5:00pm – 7:00pm	St Michael's Catholic Grammar School, Nether Street, N12 7NJ
Tuesday 30 June	All day (ticketed event)	Henrietta Barnett School, Central Square, Hampstead Garden Suburb, NW11 7BN
Thursday 2 July	All day (ticketed event)	Queen Elizabeth's School, Queen's Road, Barnet EN5 4DQ
Tuesday 8 September	6:00pm to 8:30pm	London Academy, Spur Road, Edgware, HA8 8DE
Wednesday 9 September	5:30pm – 8:00pm Final admission 7:15pm	St Mary's and St John's CE School, Stamford Raffles, Downage, Hendon, NW4 1AB
Thursday 10 September	4:30pm – 7:30pm	Ark Pioneer Academy, Westcombe Drive, Barnet, EN5 2BE
Tuesday 15 September	5:30pm – 8:00pm	Christ's College Finchley, East End Road, Finchley, N2 0SE
Wednesday 16 September	5:00pm – 7:00pm	Copthall School, Pursley Road, Mill Hill, NW7 2EP
	5:00pm – 7:30pm	Bishop Douglass School, Hamilton Road, East Finchley, N2 0SQ
Thursday 17 September	5:00pm – 7:30pm	Friern Barnet School, Hemington Avenue, Friern Barnet, N11 3LS
	5:00pm – 8:00pm	The Archer Academy, Eagans Close, East Finchley, London N2 8GA
	5:00pm to 8:00pm Final admission 7:30pm	Mill Hill County High School, Worcester Crescent, NW7 4LL
Tuesday 22 September	5:00pm – 7:30pm	Hendon School, Golders Rise, Hendon, NW4 2HP
Wednesday 23 September	5:00pm – 7:30pm Final admission 6:30pm	Wren Academy Finchley, Hilton Avenue, N12 9HB
Thursday 24 September	5:30pm – 8:00pm	Saracens High School, Corner Mead, Colindale, NW9 4AS
	5:00pm – 8:30pm	The Compton School, Summers Lane, North Finchley, N12 0QG
	5.45pm – 9pm	JCoSS (Jewish Community Secondary School), Castlewood Road, New Barnet, EN4 9GE
Monday 28 September	5:30 to 8:00pm	East Barnet School, Chestnut Grove, East Barnet, EN4 8PU
Tuesday 29 September	5:00pm – 7:30pm	Finchley Catholic High School, Woodside Lane, North Finchley, N12 8TA
Thursday 1 October	5:30pm – 7:30pm Final admission 6:45pm	Clarion, Claremont Road, Cricklewood, NW2 1TR
	5:30pm – 8:00pm Final admission 7:30pm	St James' Catholic High School, Great Strand, Colindale, NW9 5PE
	5:30pm – 8:00pm	The Totteridge Academy, Barnet Lane, Totteridge, N20 8AZ
Monday 5 October	6:00pm – 8:30pm Final admission 8pm	Queen Elizabeth's Girls' School, High Street, Barnet, EN5 5RR
Tuesday 6 October	5:00pm – 7:30pm	St Andrew the Apostle Greek Orthodox School, Brunswick Park Road https://what3words.com/local.rising.lake
Thursday 8 October	6:15pm – Gates Open 6:30pm – First Speech	Ashmole Academy, Cecil Road, Southgate, N14 5RJ
Monday 12 October	6:30pm – 8:45pm	Hasmonean High Girls' School, Page Street, Mill Hill, NW7 2EU
Wednesday 14 October	5:15pm – 8:00pm	Hasmonean Boys' Middle School (temporary campus for Years 7 & 8), Southampton Road, London NW5 4JS



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SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER



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6.30PM



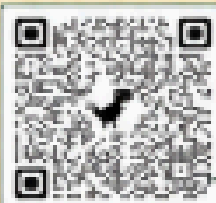
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