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Reasons to Celebrate!

Merit Awards:

Ash: Tia, Evelyn, Teodora,
Freja, Eliza, George,
Michael, Freddie,
George

Elm: Natalia, Lucy, Oliver,
Hettie, Taylor, Sutay,
Hanna, Gulmeena,
Mollie

Y3: Nathaniel, Darcy, Jack

Y4: Alfie, Dominic, Henry,
Alfie, Lora

Y5: Isaac, Amelia, Skye, Jake,
Austin, Kian, Presiyana

Y6: James, Joshua, Beatrice,
Drew, Hugo, Edward

House Points:

1222

St Nicholas

1005

St Francis

987

St Alban

1062

St Hilda

Value this half term:



“Do to others as you
would have them do to
you.” (Matthew 7.12)

Dear Parents/Carers,

“Respect for yourself guides your morals. Respect for
others guides your manners” – **Laurence Sterne**

This term is flying by, and there's still so much to do. Thank you for
your support of our activities last week. The children were excellent,
and did very well.

Staffing Changes

Later this term we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Lynn Wallace, our
SENCO of the last 11 years. She has taken up a similar position at a
larger school. Mrs Wallace has done a huge amount to ensure all the
pupils in our school have the support they need to succeed, and she
will be greatly missed. We are in the process of recruiting her
successor, and I will share this as soon as possible.

We will also be saying goodbye to Mr Townsend, our caretaker. He is
taking his second retirement. Mr T has been great support to the
school, ensuring it is clean, warm and safe for the children and staff. He
has also cheered us up on the gate each morning! We are now
advertising for his successor. Please do share the attached advert with
friends and family that may be interested in being our next caretaker.

Newsletters

In conversation with several parents over the last few weeks, it has
become apparent a significant number of parents don't read the
newsletter. It is a key source of information about what's happening in
school and we do ask parents in the Home School agreement to
actively engage with school communication. However, over the next
few weeks I will be reviewing the ways we share information with
parents to ensure they are as effective as possible. Please look out for a
survey in the next week or so.

PTA Fete – Saturday 6th July

Look out for information about how your child is involved in making
the fete a fantastic event!

Upcoming dates: Own Clothes days – Thursday 27th (Bring a bottle/jar
of sweets/chocolates)

PTA Meeting – Wednesday 26th at 9am

Philip Asher, *Headteacher*

Diary Dates

New dates are in bold.

June 2019

Wednesday 26 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y1 Sealife Centre Trip
Thursday 27 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Own clothes day – bring a jar/bottle for the Fete Nursery Settling In Session – 9.30-10.30am
Friday 28 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS2 Achievement Assembly, 2.45pm

July 2019

Wednesday 3 rd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Own clothes day – donate a teddy for the Fete
Thursday 4 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursery Settling In session – 9.30-10.30am New Reception Parents Meeting – 3.30pm School Hall
Friday 5 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y1 Class Assembly, 2.45pm Bring in cakes for the Fete
Saturday 6 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Saints' Summer Fete
Tuesday 9 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5/6 Performance, afternoon
Wednesday 10 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5/6 Performance, evening
Thursday 11 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move Up Morning and Y6 Transition Day Nursery Settling In session (longer) – 9.30-11.30am
Friday 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EYFS/KS1 Achievement Assembly, 2.45pm
Friday 19 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leavers' Assembly, 2pm in School
Tuesday 23 rd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> End of Year Service, 9.30am in School 1.15pm End of the Summer Term – school closes for Summer Holiday

NUT FREE SCHOOL

Please remember not to send your children into school with products containing nuts – this is to protect children and staff with allergies.

School Meal Price Change

Herts Catering increased school meal costs by 10p in April due to rising food costs. Please note the new meal cost is now £2.60.

PTA News

We have lots of lovely things to help raise money to support our school. This year, we are supporting the development of the Forest School approach, and new IT equipment (quite a few pupil laptops are showing their age!). Please do support our efforts – by joining in or by helping out – or both! Thank you!

Summer Fete – Saturday 6th July

Lots is coming together for this brilliant day. We need lots of helpers – please email us on pta@allsaints.herts.sch.uk or message us through Facebook – even if you can only give half an hour!

Thank you for your support!

Sports Days

Well done to all the children for a fabulous effort at our recent Sports Days. Here are a selection of photographs from across the three days.

EYFS



KS1



KS2



Sunny Weather

Please remember to send your child in to school with a hat, water bottle and (if they need it) sun cream they can apply themselves during the summer weeks. Thank you!

THUNK...

At home, find some time to have a 'Thunk' moment – A beguiling question about everyday things that stops you in your tracks and helps you start to look at the world in a whole new light. Have fun thinking/talking about them!

If giraffes ruled the world, what differences might we see?