All Saints Church of England Primary School

'Playing our part in God's plan as we journey together to achieve the best for ourselves and others.'

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 2ne October 2026

Dear Parents & Carers

Year R welcome service
Thank you to the Polar Bear families who joined us yesterday for our lovely Year R welcome Service. The children sat beautifully as they listened to Year 6 buddies talk about our school values and all we wish for our new children. The children were also delighted to receive their new Usborne Children's Bibles. It was a special morning and a chance to welcome our youngest children into our lovely school community.

Butser Farm visit
Lion Class had a wonderful day at Butser Farm yesterday. The children got to do lots of practice activities, including making jewellery, fire lighting, chalk carving and pottery! The children were full of all they had learned on their return, and a good day was had by all!

Year R tours
A huge well done and thank you to our Year 6 Tour Guides who helped lead our prospective Year R parents and children on a tour today. They did a brilliant job and spoke about their school with such enthusiasm and confidence. The parents were highly impressed! We have another tour from 1.30pm on Wednesday 4th November 2026, so if you or someone you know has a child starting in Year R from September 2027 and would like to come along for a visit, please spread the word!

Rotary Shoebox Appeal
We are once again supporting the Rotary Shoebox Appeal this year, helping to ensure children receive a gift at Christmas. We are always delighted with the number of boxes we are able to donate to this highly worthwhile cause. Last year Rotary sent over 20,000 'Christmas' shoe boxes to Eastern Europe. You will have received information home, as to enable delivery of the shoeboxes to their various destinations in time for Christmas, the shoeboxes will be collected from school on **Tuesday 20th October.** If you would like a box, please pick one up from the office – any item donations will also be gratefully received as we will make up boxes with these individual items. Huge thanks in advance.

A reminder that the Harvest Service is on Thursday 15th October 9.30 a.m. at All Saints Church.

Wishing you all a super weekend.
Kind regards
Jane Hall, Headteacher

Dates for your diary…
06.10.26 – Kings School Open House (website)
07.10.26 - Years 4, 5, 6 Wildlife Talk, Win Coll pm
08.10.26 – Year 5 Chalk streams Visit p.m.
09.10.26 – Year 2 Southsea Aquarium Visit
14.10.26 – Year 4 Winchester Town Field Trip am
Autumn Class Sharing Worships – Tuesdays at 3pm
13.10.2026 – Panda Class Y4
20.10.2026 – Snow Leopard Class Y5
3.11.2026 – Tiger Class Y6
10.11.2026 – Dolphin Class Y2
17.11.2026 – Lion Class Y3
24.11.2026 – Jaguar Class Y1



We have a lovely new jelly fish display created by art club in the entrance. Do pop in and take a look!

Whole School attendance this week is 97.19%. Expectations are that every child has at least 97% attendance. The classes with the highest attendance this week are Polar Bears and Jaguars with 100%, so well done to both classes!

A huge congratulations and well done to the following children for being nominated for the weekly class celebration award:
Polar Bears: James & Lily-Rose
Jaguars: Selimhan & Skye
Dolphins: Millie Ann & Yurii
Lions: Whole Class
Pandas: Jacob & Leo
Snow Leopards: Arthur & Ethan
Tigers: Charlotte & Lizzie
Well done, everyone!



Golden Broom Award
This week, the tidiest classroom and cloak room award goes to Dolphin Class! Well done to the class for working together!



Collective Worship this week...

This week we considered the theme 'Whose Job is it? and the role we play in looking after the world around us. We thought about the creation story from the Bible and how God gave Adam and Eve the job of caring for world and naming the animals. We 'counted our blessings' thinking about what we love about the natural world.