



All Saints' C.E. Primary School

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School Values and Vision.

Please see the welcome statement on our website to see our newly reviewed school values, which can be viewed at <http://www.allsaints-alrewas.staffs.sch.uk/welcome>. We have updated the values in consultation with the children, staff and governors. We are working together to ensure that they are an embedded feature of school life.

Basic Skills Quality Mark Renewal

Our Quality Mark was successfully renewed last month. The report was exceptionally positive and we met all of the criteria. The full report is available on the website by following this link <http://www.allsaints-alrewas.staffs.sch.uk/site/template/allsaints/uploads/Various%20Documents/All%20Saints%20Renewal%20May%202018.pdf>

There is a warm welcome from the moment you enter All Saints' School. The staff, both teaching and non-teaching have developed good relationships with the pupils in their care and this was evident in the pupils' attitude to those around them and their learning. The Leadership Team provides good leadership and has a vision for the role the school plays in the education of the whole child. Teachers demonstrate a determination to support all the pupils to fulfil their potential academically, spiritually, socially and emotionally. The Management Team's vision is shared through the School Improvement Plan. There is a firm commitment to creating a caring environment, where individual needs are met. Everyone with whom I spoke commented on the positive ethos within the school and numerous comments were made about the friendly atmosphere. There was a range of different teaching styles, which were demonstrated as being effective. Pupils were very clear about expectations and there was evidence of differentiation and challenge and the pupils are encouraged to be involved in their next steps through both verbal and visual prompts. Strong Early Years practice and provision ensures that a significant majority of the pupils make good progress during the EYFS. There was evidence during my learning walk of English and Maths forming an important element in the provision across the EYFS. Pupils are receiving a very positive start to their school life.

Reception Trip to Cosford

A great day was had by all. The children were really well behaved and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Thanks to all parent helpers.



Laches Wood

There will be a letter going out today for Year 5 children containing details of the forthcoming trip to Laches Wood. There will be a meeting for parents on 5th July at 4:00pm in the school hall. Children and parents are welcome to attend.

Internet Safety

As part of our ongoing safeguarding training we are able to offer a CEOP session for parents to be delivered by Mrs Haycock on 5th July at 3.30pm just before the meeting about Laches Wood. This stands for Child Exploitation and Online Protection. The session is aimed at providing information about ways to keep children safe on line. We encourage you to attend particularly in light of the numerous recent issues we have had with WhatsApp.

Sports Day

This was a great day! Thanks to all parents who came and supported and also to the PTFA who provided the refreshments.

Multi-Skills Festival

A number of year 2 children represented the school at Thomas Alleyne's School in Uttroter during the district Multi-Skills festival. The children participated in a range of throwing, speed, balance and footwork activities. Many enjoyed their first experience representing the school. Well done children for demonstrating excellent examples of our school values (respect, trust, friendship and koinonia). Mr Redfern and Miss Kendrick were very proud of all who were there.

Girls Football Tournament

The girls participated in a district football tournament; working well together they secured a draw in their first game and unfortunately a defeat in their second game. A big well done for your support of each other and determined attitude. We hope you continue with your love for football in the future.

First Aid Training

Thanks to the Parent Forum member who organised and supported our recent First Aid training in school. The children seemed to enjoy the sessions and hopefully found them to be a useful introduction. Year 6 will be having their session before the end of term and they will cover basic First Aid in more depth. They will also be provided with certificates.

Sun Safety

Please continue to keep children safe by applying a high factor sun cream to children each day and also send them with water bottles and hats.

Thank you.

PTFA Fun Run

Just to clarify that there is no summer fayre this year as the main fund raiser will be the Ball, to be held this evening. There will however, be a PTFA Fun Run in September and this will be held on a Saturday or Sunday. More information to follow.