



Highlights this week - there's rather a lot in here

It has been an incredibly busy but wonderful end to the school year. As I reflect on my first year as Headteacher in this fantastic community, I feel immensely proud of all that we have achieved together. I have witnessed so much growth in our children, our staff and indeed within myself as well. There have been countless special moments: friendships blossoming, new knowledge being discovered and those magical occasions when children experience genuine awe and wonder. These are the moments that bring such joy to school life and remind us all of the importance and privilege of the work we do each day.

Alongside the incredible learning that takes place across our school, this year has been a significant learning journey for me personally. I would like to take this opportunity to thank our entire school community for your support throughout the year. Your kindness, encouragement, positive feedback and commitment to our school have meant a great deal and have helped me navigate both the highlights and the challenges of this first year.

Today we say goodbye to several valued members of staff. We would like to thank them for their dedication and contribution to the All Saints community, and wish them every success and happiness for the future. *Mrs Phipps, Mrs Scrivener, Miss Brittain, Mrs Myers, Mr C, Miss Morgan and Mr Gamble.*

Mrs Phipps' did a lovely speech in our assembly on Thursday. It is including with the newsletter attachments if you would like to read this.

We also say goodbye to our fantastic Year 6's. As you move on to the next stage of your school journey, we want you to know just how proud we are of each and every one of you. Today, we received the SATs results and you should all be incredibly proud of your achievements in SATs and in Year 6 generally. You leave All Saints with the knowledge, skills and confidence to embrace new opportunities and challenges; we know that you all have bright and exciting futures ahead.

We will miss you but we hope you will look back on your time at All Saints with happy memories, lasting friendships and a smile. Thank you for the enthusiasm, kindness and character you have brought to our school community.

Well done for being such a brilliant Year 6 cohort – we wish you every success and happiness for the future.

Go and shine!

I would like to wish all of our families and staff a safe, happy and restful summer holiday. I look forward to welcoming everyone back through the school gates in September for another exciting year ahead.

Year 5 and 6 Disco

What a wonderful way to celebrate the end of term with dancing, water fights and pizza. A Huge thank you to the staff who supported this event, our wonderful ASSA team and all of the parents who helped make this special. Despite the heat, it was a roaring success enjoyed by all.

Year 1 Trip- Beale Park

On Monday 13th July Year 1 visited Beale Park. We had a lovely day and the weather was very kind to us. During the workshop, the children impressed us and the Beale Park staff with their knowledge about predators, prey and whether the animal is a carnivore, herbivore or an omnivore. We also explored the park and the meercats, lemurs, zebras and the parrots were the favourite! We also loved jumping on the bouncy pillow. The children were impeccably behaved. A big thanks to the parents who came to help and the staff for organising and supporting this trip (as you can see, we can't keep Miss Smith off the bouncy pillow).



Year 6 production

We were absolutely blown away by the performances of GigggleBox on Monday and Tuesday evening. The children were tremendous, taking to the stage with confidence, enthusiasm and smiles. It was a joy to see the energy, talent and personal growth on display. Watching the performances filled me with immense pride as the children showcased the results of their hard work and dedication. A huge well done to everyone involved: the children, staff, and families who supported the production.

Year 6 have been very busy this week in addition to the production, with a trip to the cinema on Monday and their leavers service at All Saints Church on Thursday.

Year 4 Bread Making

On Monday, our Year 4 students had a fantastic time making bread and showed excellent teamwork throughout the activity. They worked together to measure ingredients, mix the dough and shape their loaves, supporting one another every step of the way. A huge thank you to our wonderful parent volunteers for giving their time and helping the children during the session. We would also like to extend our thanks to the kitchen staff for kindly allowing us to use the ovens, helping to make this enjoyable and memorable learning experience possible.



Nursery Beach Day

Nursery children enjoyed a beach day which included making ocean sensory bottles, going surfing and boating, exploring kinetic sand, catching fish and eating ice creams!



September

Please find attached diary dates for Autumn term- start putting them in the diary.

Term dates and upcoming events can be found [here](#)

Notices

RET Pulse Newsletter

Please take a look at the latest RET newsletter: [RET Pulse - Issue 5, July 2026 - Ridgeway Education Trust](#)

Personal Information

If any of your personal details have changed, including your contact number, address or email address, please inform the school office as soon as possible. You can also update us by emailing office@all-saints.school.

It is essential that we have accurate and up-to-date information on our records so that we can contact you quickly if needed.

Transition booklet- just a reminder of our transition booklet which is available here:

[All Saints CofE Primary School - Newsletter attachments](#)

Parking

Please note that families should not park on the school site between 8.30am and 3.30pm. School parking is reserved for staff members and those displaying a valid Blue Badge or school parking permit.

We kindly ask all parents and carers to be considerate of our neighbours when parking near the school.

Please park safely and respectfully, avoiding driveways and access points, and help us maintain positive relationships with our local community.

SAM Bear

Well done to Mrs Webb's class in Year 3 with fantastic attendance of 98.5% for the week.

House Points

Congratulations to Rashford who are the house point winners for this week with 120 points.

120
Rashford

114
Attenborough

113
Thunberg

106
Malala

Congratulation to Attenborough who are the winning house for term 5 and 6 with 2029 house points. They will have a non-school uniform day on Friday 18th September.

ASSA Update

Before you sign off for the summer, here's one last message from ASSA...

One Last Thing...

Well... that's another school year done! Somehow, we've gone from wrapping presents at the Christmas Fair to melting in the sunshine at the Summer Fair (with a few discos, hoodies, and plenty of cake in between!).

As we close the book on another fantastic year, we just want to say a **massive THANK YOU** to everyone who has supported ASSA.

Whether you volunteered, donated, baked, bought raffle tickets, helped set up, packed away, bought Christmas cards, ordered leavers' hoodies, danced at a disco, or simply turned up to support our events, you've all helped make this year a huge success. Every pound raised helps create even more opportunities for our children, and we couldn't do it without you.

To our incredible volunteers... you're the real superheroes. You've given up evenings, weekends and probably your sanity on more than one occasion! Thank you for saying "yes" when we asked for help (and sometimes before we'd even finished asking).

A special goodbye goes to our amazing Year 6 families. Thank you for all the support you've given over the years. It doesn't seem possible that the little ones who arrived clutching oversized book bags are now off to secondary school! We wish every one of you the very best for your next adventure. Don't be strangers, you'll always be part of the All-Saints family.

And of course, a huge thank you to the wonderful staff at All Saints, who somehow manage to put up with our endless emails, event requests and last-minute questions while continuing to support everything we do.

Now it's time to swap school runs for lazy mornings (well... maybe), packed lunches for picnics, and homework for ice creams.

Have an amazing summer, make lots of wonderful memories, stay safe, and we'll see you all in September, ready to do it all over again!

Happy Summer from everyone at ASSA! 🌞