



Highlights this week

Mrs Agg's class first swimming session

Well done to Mrs Agg class who had their first swimming lesson this week. As always, they impressed us with their behaviour and effort setting a fantastic example of All Saints standards and the staff at the pool commented on how much they love teaching All Saints school.



Maths Workshop

Thank you to everyone who attended our maths workshops this week. The PowerPoint from this session will be uploaded on our school website [All Saints CofE Primary School - Maths](#)

Well done again to Attenborough for being the winning house last year. They had their non uniform day today to celebrate their success.



Next week:

Author Visit

We are delighted to let you know that we are very fortunate to be welcoming Steve Cole to school on Tuesday 22nd September. Steve will be visiting pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6, where he will be talking about his exciting new book, *The Wild Ones*.

The author visit has been offered to our school free of charge, in the hope that families will support the event through book purchases where possible.

If you would like your child to receive a copy of *The Wild Ones*, please follow this link: <https://mostly-books.co.uk/product/the-wild-ones-by-steve-cole-school-event/>. These copies will be personally dedicated to your child and signed by Steve on the day of the visit.

Thank you for your support. We are looking forward to what promises to be an inspiring and enjoyable event for our children.

Book Fair : Wednesday 23rd- Mon 28th Sept

The Book Fair is in school next week from Wednesday 23rd September until Monday 28th September.

We will have four trolleys arriving filled with books to suit 2 Years+, 6 Years+ and 8 Years+ and 10 years+.

We LOVE watching children browsing with their parents and there is nothing nicer than sharing a new book.

Also, our school earns REWARDS to spend on new books. Win win!

Please note that we are unable to take cash at the book fair, all payments must be made by card.

Miss Powell will be sending further information out on Wednesday 23rd September, after your child has had the chance to browse the trolleys in school.

We look forward to seeing you.

Tuesday 22nd September

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

Notices

Phase leaders

We are excited to be introducing Phase leaders this year. Class teachers will be the first point of contact if you have an issue, question or query however phase leaders are also there to support should you want to speak with them too.

Phase	Leader
Early Years	Mrs Heather Vaughan
Year 1 and 2	Miss Vicky Atkin
Years 3 and 4	Mrs Emily Powell
Years 5 and 6	Miss Juliette Little

School Council

School councillors will be being selected in Key Stage Two over the coming weeks. We look forward to getting our school council up and running and hearing the voice of the children. Each class has a suggestion box in their classrooms for all children to share their ideas which can be discussed in school council.

Love, respect and Tolerance

This week, we have talked about how we can show kindness and love to our community. Our value this term is 'love.' In our collective worship this week, we watched the below video again as a reminder of how we should be respectful and tolerant to others regardless of our differences.

[What is discrimination? | KS2 Citizenship | Primary - BBC Bitesize](#)

We would appreciate you supporting us in reminding the children of these very important messages ensuring everyone is treated fairly and stand up against discrimination.

Later this term we have organised a whole school show (and key stage two workshops) as part of Anti bullying week.

Parking (ongoing reminders)

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.

Oxfordshire Libraries Short Story Completion 2027

Oxfordshire libraries are running a short stories competition, with a category open for children aged 7-11, for more details please see the link below:

[Oxfordshire Libraries Short Story Competition 2027 | Oxfordshire County Council](#)

SAM Bear

Well done to Miss Parren's class in Year 4 with fantastic attendance of 100% for the week.

House Points

Congratulations to Rashford who are the house point winners for this week with 159 points.

159
Rashford

154
Attenborough

133
Thunberg

155
Malala

ASSA Update

PTA AGM – NEW DATE!

Monday 28th September | 7:30pm | At the school

Our PTA AGM has a new date! We'll now be meeting on **Monday 28th September at 7:30pm at the school.**

If you've ever wondered what the PTA does, thought about getting involved, or simply want to find out more about how the money we raise benefits the children, come along and join us. Refreshments will be provided.

A little bit about being part of the PTA

I've only been at the school for two years, so I'm definitely not one of the PTA veterans!

I've helped out at a few events, sometimes for just an hour or two, put up the odd poster and generally helped out whenever I've been able to.

And that's one of the things I've really liked about being involved — **you don't have to commit loads of your time.**

Sometimes you can help for an hour at an event, sometimes you can take on a bigger job, and sometimes life is just too busy and you can't do anything at all. There really is no pressure. For me, being involved has also been a great way to feel more connected to the school. You get to know other parents, get a better idea of what goes on behind the scenes and see just how much effort goes into making things happen for the children.

It's a really friendly community, and everyone is there for the same reason — **to help raise money that can be put back into our children's education and their experience at school.**

Even if you only have a little time to give, it's nice knowing that your small contribution is part of something much bigger.

What happens at the AGM?

The AGM is our opportunity to look back at what the PTA has achieved over the past year, talk about plans for the year ahead and elect the new committee.

At the AGM, **all current committee members step down and each role is voted on.**

The roles available are:

Chair

Helping to lead the PTA, coordinate activities and keep things moving.

Vice-Chair

Supporting the Chair and helping with the running of the PTA.

Treasurer

Looking after the PTA's finances and keeping track of the money raised and spent.

Secretary – Meeting Minutes

Taking notes and keeping a record of PTA meetings and decisions.

Secretary – Newsletter

Keeping parents and carers up to date with PTA news, events and fundraising.

You don't need to have been involved with the PTA before, and you don't need to be an expert. There will be plenty of support and people around who know how things work.

Come and find out more

Maybe you've got lots of time to give. Maybe you've only got an hour every now and then. Maybe you're not sure what you could do yet.

That's OK.

Come along to the AGM, meet some of the PTA, find out what's involved and see where you might be able to help.



Monday 28th September



7:30pm



At the school

We'd love to see some new faces and hear some new ideas!

Every little bit helps — and together we can make a real difference to our children's school experience.