



# All Saints CE (Aided) Primary School and Nursery

## News

**12th October 2022**

Dear Parents/Carers,

### Harvest Festival

Thank you so much for your generous donations today to celebrate Harvest Festival. We know that Wokingham foodbank are going to be very grateful for the donations. The service was led by David Hodgson of All Saints Church and he commented on how impressive the children's singing was.

### Author Visit

Following on from the KS1 author visit at the end of September, Y5 and Y6 were lucky enough to be invited as part of the Wokingham Book Festival to hear renowned children's author Ali Sparkes speak at Keep Hatch school. The children were inspired by Ali's stories of rejection, failure and dedication as she persevered to achieve her dream to be an author. The children asked some perceptive questions and were motivated to find her books in the local library.

### Judo tasters

All children in Years 2– 6 had the opportunity to participate in a Judo taster session with Judo coach Olly Fricker. Olly was really impressed with the behaviour and focus of the children in the sessions and the children's feedback was incredibly positive. His lunchtime club will start after half term and interest has been so high that we will be opening up a second session to accommodate as many children as possible.

### Clubs

As well as Olly's Judo club, we will be starting Football (Y5/6), Netball (Y5/6), Storytelling (YR - Y2) and Multisports (Y1-4) after half term. More details to follow. As the year progresses, a wide range of clubs to suit a variety of interests will be set up.

Polite reminder—pupils are registered at 8.50am. Please ensure they are in school in time to be settled at 8.45am and registered at 8.50am.

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*Our Vision Statement, 'Opening the door to learning and life' reflects our determination to inspire every child achieve their potential*

Our newsletter will now be published fortnightly, on a Wednesday, so do please keep an eye out for key dates and events.

Wishing you a peaceful week,

Ms Quinell  
Headteacher



## Upcoming events

**Thursday 13th October** (9:00am Acorns Hall) Y6 Residential Presentation

**Friday 14th October** Deadline for Parent Governor nominations

**Tuesday 18th October** Reception parents Love to Learn 10am—11am

**Friday 21st October** Tempest Individual and Sibling Photos

**Monday 24th October—Friday 28th October** Half Term

**Monday 31st October** INSET Day. School closed for pupils

**Tuesday 1st November** School open for pupils

**Monday 7th November** Parents' Evening 3.30pm—5.30pm

**Wednesday 9th November** Parents' Evening 3.30pm—6.30pm