

Saltford C of E Primary School Newsletter



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This week

- Parents' questionnaire
- Summer fair
- Summer raffle and mufti day
- Online safety
- Forest School
- Uniform offer



All the latest news is on our website:
saltfordschool.org.uk/news

A few words from Mrs Sage...



We have had another great week in school. Lots of fantastic learning is going on and the children have demonstrated great maturity in preparation for their transition to a new year group. We are very proud of them.

We have emailed parents with [the class structure for the new academic year](#) and today the children met their new teacher. As part of the transition process, your child will have brought home today a questionnaire. Please look out for this and send it back to their current teacher; we will make sure it is passed on.

Parents' questionnaire: please take the opportunity to contribute your thoughts about school by filling in [the online questionnaire](#) by tomorrow, Friday 2nd July. This should not take more than a few minutes. It is important that all views are represented.

Summer fair: this year will be for children only on the school field on Friday 16th July. Children should wear their PE kit to school on this day and staff will be making sure that all safety procedures are followed. Parents are asked for a [£4 donation by Thursday 13th July](#) and to choose your child's snack. Donations should cover the costs of the fair but, if you feel able, a higher amount would help to compensate for the loss of fundraising opportunities this year. Thanks to the PTA for their creative solution that will enable the children to enjoy a near-normal experience. Full details and links [on the school website](#).

Summer raffle and mufti day: tomorrow is mufti day where children may come to school in their own clothes in exchange for a donation to the [summer hamper raffle](#).

Online safety information for families: there are very useful tips for parents about social media, gaming and more in the monthly online safety newsletters that Miss Evans posts to [the Online safety page](#) of the school website. The [June issue is available now](#).

Forest School: Years 6 and 4 have enjoyed their Forest School sessions this week, albeit Y4 had their activities in the school grounds. We have posted [pictures on Twitter](#).

School uniform: if you are thinking about buying new school uniform, you might like to know that M&S are offering 20% off all uniform from 6th July to 3rd August on [bespoke \(logo\) schoolwear](#) and on [core uniform](#), online and in store.

Have a lovely weekend.

HEADTEACHER AWARDS

EYFS & KS1

ED: Ellie B & Fraser H for working really hard in phonics application,
GD: Clara D for always being super kind and helpful.

RH: Siana D for lovely work about the four seasons.
CE: Sofia F for a fantastic recount of the story of Pinocchio.
NJ: Emily-Joy S for super progress in writing this year. She wrote a lovely piece about her flying adventure.
MN: Archer E for concentrating brilliantly and producing amazing independent writing about his magical, flying adventure.

KS2

ESST: Harriet G for great work thinking about how Saltford has changed in Geography.
CM: Eric W for always persevering and trying his best.
RJ: Amelia Q for her great understanding of using paragraphs correctly. Well done!
PN: Ilaria P-F & Souad R for their super work on cubism art inspired by Pablo Picasso.
JSB: Charlie M for a brilliant version of the Jabberwocky using imaginative portmanteau.
AB: Ellouise M for leading her team in designing a boat using her learning about water resistance.
NS: Heta B for being mature, kind and helpful at all times.
JG: Ollie F for stepping in to help another child. Ollie is always kind and thoughtful.



Mural

We've been busy all week painting our exciting new mural in the infant corridor. It illustrates [our school, our values](#) and our [community](#). It's looking great and definitely brightens up the area.



Thanks to St Mary's Church for funding the project, and to Mrs King, Rev'd Daile, Andy Gray the artist, our volunteers and children, all of whom are doing a fabulous job. We will be sure to share some pictures of the finished work of art!

We celebrate

Fred from class PN who has been selected from more than 100 triallists to join the 21-22 season's football squad for the Bath and Wiltshire District Team.

Jackson R of class RH who obtained his level 7 gymnastics award.

Elsie B from class CE who achieved her level 5 gymnastics proficiency

Isla H from class CE who achieved her level 7 gymnastics proficiency

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Bikeability for Year 6

Bikeability was held this week for 12 pupils in class JG. We provide access to the [bikeability scheme](#) from B&NES as part of our [Active Travel initiative](#).



We like to support our children to be as safe as possible on the roads while they do their bit to reduce car use. Next week is the turn of class NS.

Community of Purpose

A group of Y5 children have been involved in a wonderful opportunity this term with The [Community of Purpose](#) programme. Numerous training sessions with children from West Town Lane Academy have involved playing football, learning new skills and, above all, making new friends.



The children have thoroughly enjoyed the whole experience. See Mrs Brook's full report and photos [on our website here](#).

See all these dates on our online calendar for parents!
[Click here](#)



Dates for your diary

[Click here for term dates](#)

[Term Dates for 2021 – 2022 here](#)

Today until 9pm: [last chance to order](#) pizza kits.

Friday 2nd July: Mufti Day in exchange for [summer hamper donations](#).

Friday 2nd July: deadline for completion of [the parents' questionnaire](#).

Monday 5th July: [Year 3 Forest School](#) rearranged session. Class CM 9am-12.15pm, Class ESST 12-3pm.

Tuesday 6th July: [PTA pizza night](#)

Friday 9th July: sports activity day for children only. Please wear PE kit.

Friday 16th July: [PTA summer fair](#) for children only. Please wear PE kit.

Thursday 22nd - Thursday 29th July: Up & Under [summer multi sports](#) at school.

Monday 16th – Friday 20th August: Mrs Browne's [summer theatre arts school](#).

Summer activities & more:

See [the Community notices page](#) for more local opportunities.


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