

NEWSLETTER

Regular news updates from All Saints School, Lessingham

KEY DIARY DATES

Oct:

2nd-4th: Hautbois Activity Week
3rd: Upper Juniors to Mosque

and Cathedral

3rd: Lower Junior Parent/Carer

Café

9th: Upper Junior Parent /Carer

Café

15th: GCSE Art trip

16th: House Rewards Day16th: Puppet Tree Workshop23rd: Upper Juniors to Norwich

Aviation Museum

23rd: Yr 7 Parent /Carer Café 23rd: Yr 9 trip to Bacton Beach

*** Half Term ***
24th Oct-1st Nov

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Numbers to contact for help

Ms Dangerfield: 07879 875925

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Norfolk children's support line:

Text 07480 635060 or call 0344 800 8029

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

As always it has been a busy two weeks in school with lots of fantastic work across the year groups and across the curriculum. Upper Juniors have visited Gressenhall museum, Lower Juniors visited the Time and Tide Museum, the nursing team have been in school to do the flu vaccinations and lots more.

In the past few weeks, our student leaderships groups have also been very busy; the PE Leaders have led an inter-house PE competition; the Online Safety group have started to produce a questionnaire to share with students; the Diversity Leads have been creating resources to be shared for Black History Month; the Literacy Leaders have created a list of books to be bought for the library; the Sustainability Group have started to look at how we can improve our recycling in school and the Student Council made the decision to change the house system, creating a fairer mix of students in each house and changing the names.

Our four houses are now Air, Water, Fire and Earth.

Listening to our young people and giving them the opportunity to shape our school is important to me.

I value their fabulous ideas and appreciate their thoughtfulness in ensuring that everyone is considered.

Thank you students for helping All Saints School to be the best it can be.



Parental Support

Please see page 6 of this newsletter for dates of the Triple P (Co-parenting course) and page 7 which explains the facts regarding Nitazenes and Naloxone.

New SEND and Inclusion Support Line: https://www.schools.norfolk.gov.uk/ article/62298



EHCP CO-ORDINATORS

Following changes/reorganisation at NCC, we have been notified of the following:

FOR LAC:

Up to and including Yr 9- Mel Hunt mel.hunt@norfolk.gov.uk Yr10 and above — Colette Lumpkin colette.lumpkin@norfolk.gov.uk

ALL OTHER:

Up to and including Yr 9— Nicola Ransom nicola.ransom@norfolk.gov.uk
Yr10 and above — Matthew Wigg matthew.wigg@norfolk.gov.uk

Upper Juniors

Used everyday items and activities to develop their fine motor skills.

have been super busy...

Gressenhall

Loved their visit to Gressenhall, where they enjoyed some WW2 potato chocolate truffles, pretending to be a home guard, a tractor ride and digging for victory.





In Science we created brightly coloured flowers to attract bees and used cheese puffs as pollen to simulate the process of pollination.

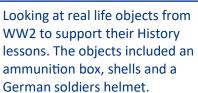


Making food swaps for a healthier breakfast on World Breakfast Day. Students have been learning about this in PSHE and Personal Development.

















Lower Juniors

Time and Tide Museum

What a great place to explore, learn and have fun!







How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth?

Well, first you have to catch one! Lower Juniors managed to find a whole herd of them!



College

Parent/Carer Forum

A recording of our most recent forum can be on our website under the parent/carer recordings...

https://www.allsaintslessingham.co.uk/helpful-resources/

Transition to College, including what support is available and how to feel prepared.

Please contact Miss King directly if you would like any additional support with this.





Kelly Lee

Careers / IAG support

We would like to welcome Kelly Lee to our school who is taking over from Ellen to offer impartial careers advice and guidance.

Kelly's focus across October – December will be year 11. As discussed in our parent/carer forum applications to college/sixth forms opens from 1^{st} October – we will support you all the way.

If you are completing applications at home with your child, please go via your child's HelpYouChoose account so that we can keep track of their application for you.

As always, Kelly will keep you updated via emails, telephone calls and career action plans.

GCSE PE

Students using post it notes for STICKY learning and solving a skeletal scavenger hunt using circuit training.



Year 9

Have thrown themselves into Catering lessons at college with great enthusiasm . We hope families have enjoyed tasting the outcomes of their hard work on Tuesday evenings.





| Autumn Term | September 2024 | | |
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| Autumn term 1 Protected Characteristic - Disability | | | |
| 4 th September Students return to school | | | |
| 9 th – 13 th September | Student goals agreed and in planners | | |
| 16 th – 20 th September | Inter house PE focus – PE student leaders to lead | | |
| 17th September | | | |
| · | Upper Junior trip to Gressenhall | | |
| 18th September | Year 7 parent cafe 14:15-15:00 ** POSTPONED | | |
| 24th September | Lower Junior time and Tide Museum | | |
| 26th September | Parent Carer Forum - Miss King - Preparing for College 10:00-11:00 on Zoom | | |
| | October 2024 | | |
| 2 nd - 4 th October | Hautbois activity week - Year 7 will attend during the days and Years 8-11 to stay overnight | | |
| 3rd October | Upper Junior Mosque and Cathedral visit | | |
| 3 rd October | Lower Junior parent and carer café 14:15-15:00 | | |
| 9th October | Upper Junior parent and carer café 14:15-15:00 | | |
| 15th October | Art GCSE Clay course | | |
| 16 th October | House rewards day | | |
| 16th October | Well-being group visit to puppet theatre | | |
| 23rd October | Year 7 parent and carer café 14:15-15:00 | | |
| 23rd October | Yr 9 visit to Bacton Beach | | |
| 23rd October | Upper Junior - visit to City of Norwich Aviation Museum | | |
| 24 th Oct – 1 st Nov | **Half Term** | | |
| | November 2024 | | |
| Aut | umn Term 2 – Protected Characteristic - LGBTQ+ | | |
| 5th November | Year 8 - visit to Gaol House and Time and Tide Museums | | |
| 6 th November 3.45pm – 7pm | Year 10 and Year 11 Parents' evening – face to face virtual/telephone | | |
| 6 th November | Year 8 parent and carer café 14:15-15:00 | | |
| 6 th November | Year 8 HPV Immunisations | | |
| 7 th November 1.15pm | School photographs individual and siblings | | |
| 8 th November | Year 11 reports to parents | | |
| 8th November | Lower Junior visit to Science Museum Norwich | | |
| 8th November | Year 7 visit to travel agents | | |
| 11 th – 15 th November | Student goals review and new goals into planners | | |
| 13 th November | Year 11 parent and carer information evening – Post 16 applications and interviews | | |
| 15th November | Year 8 visit to Norwich | | |
| 22 nd November | Interim reports completed (Lower Junior - Year 10) | | |
| 25 th - 29 th November | Well-being week | | |
| 25th | WoW (Wellness on wheels) Bus in school | | |
| | December 2024 | | |
| 3rd December | Advisory Board Meeting - 13:30-15:30 | | |
| 9 th December | Whole school data report to parents/carers | | |
| 11 th December 3.45pm – | lower and Upper Juniors, Year7, Year 8 and Year 9 parents evening face to face and | | |
| 7pm | phone calls | | |
| 9 th – 13 th December | House/form competitions (focus is Christmas) | | |
| 17th December | House reward day | | |
| 18 th December | Christmas lunch - normal lessons am and form activities pm | | |
| 19 th December | Church service – Catfield Church | | |
| | **End of Term** | | |
| 20 th December – 3 rd | **Christmas Holiday** | | |
| January | | | |
| Spring Term | January 2025 | | |
| Spring Term 1 – Protected Characteristic - Religion | | | |
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All Saints Parents, Carers and Students Calendar Dates 2024 – 2025 v2

| 7 th January | Students return |
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| 10 th January | Year 9 Visit to see the seals |
| 10 th January | Year 9 and above DTP immunisation |
| 10 th January | Parent Carer Forum - Miss King Preparing for exams and Ms Czubaj - Dyslexia Support |
| | and Guidance-11:00-12:00 |
| 13 th – 17 th January | Year 11 mock week Exam conditions |
| 21st January | Years 9 and 10 Information evening |
| 22nd January | Year 8 UEA PE Festival |
| 27 th – 28 th January | Year 10 test week in classrooms |
| 28th January | Upper Juniors UEA Adapted Games |
| 31 st January | Year 11 reports home |

| Spring Term | February 2025 | | |
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| 3 rd -7 th February | Interhouse PE tournament – PE student leaders to lead | | |
| 4 th February | Year 9 options – telephone calls home | | |
| 4 th February | Safer Internet Day | | |
| 6 th February | Options to be handed in | | |
| 11th February | GCSE Art trip to Norwich Museum | | |
| 13th February | Upper Junior visit to N Walsham Church | | |
| 14 th February | Year 7 London trip | | |
| 14th February | House reward day | | |
| 17 th – 21 st February | **Half Term** | | |
| Spring Term 2 – Protected Characteristic - Race | | | |
| 24 th – 28 th February | House competitions (focus is learning) | | |
| March 2025 | | | |
| 6 th March | World Book Day – literacy leads reward trip | | |
| 3 rd – 14 th March | Careers weeks – whole school | | |
| March to be confirmed | Years 9,10,11 Norfolk Skills & Careers Festival | | |
| 12 th March | Homework reward trip | | |
| 10 th -14 th March | Student goals review and new goals into planners | | |
| 20 th March | Parent Carer Forum - Ms Dangerfield Managing Challenging Behaviours At Home | | |
| | 11:00-12:00 | | |
| 24th March | World Maths Day -UK- whole school event | | |
| 25th March | House reward day | | |
| 31st March – 21st April | **Easter Holiday** | | |
| Summer Term | April 2025 | | |
| Summer term | 1 – Protected Characteristic - Marriage / civil partnerships | | |
| 23 rd April | Students return | | |
| 24 th April | Whole School - RSE Parents and Carer information session | | |
| 28 th April - 2 nd May | Whole school - share a story week to celebrate Shakespeare's birthday – literacy leads | | |
| | focus | | |
| 22 nd - 25 th April | Year 11 mock week – full mock conditions | | |
| 28th April | Lower Junior visit to Norwich Buddhist Centre | | |
| 30th April | Upper Junior visit to Strangers Hall and Elm hill | | |
| May 2025 | | | |
| 5 th May | Bank Holiday | | |
| 6th May | Whole School Photo (TBC) | | |
| 5 th May – 16 th May | Democracy Weeks | | |
| May – June | GCSE Exams – exam timetable TBC by exam boards | | |
| • | Year 8 visit to Gressenhall | | |
| 7 th May | rear o visit to diessemian | | |

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| 13th May | Parent Carer Forum - J Baker (Occupation Therapist) - Zones of Regulation 11:00- | |
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| | 12:00 | |
| 23rd May | House reward day | |
| 26 th May | Bank Holiday | |
| 27 th May –30 th May | **Half Term** | |
| June 2025 | | |
| Summer term 2 – Protected Characteristic - sex (gender) and pregnancy | | |
| June | Pride Month – diversity student leaders to organise events throughout the month | |
| To be confirmed | Hickling Farm visit – careers linked | |
| 2 nd June | Staff and students return | |
| 2 nd - 13 th June | Performance Management meetings | |
| 10th June | Parent Carer Forum - Managing Screen Time- Ms J Paffett | |
| | Supporting your child with friendship difficulties – Ms J Paffett 11:00-12:00 | |
| 10th June | Mental Health Action Group Meetings 15:30-16:00 | |
| 16 th - 20 th June | Student goals review | |
| 16 th – 20 th June | Share a story week – literacy leads to organise | |
| 16 th – 20 th June | Year 11 Post 16 Transition support | |
| 19 th June | Whole School Sports day at UEA | |
| 23 rd – 27 th June | Year 11 activities days | |
| 25 th June | Upper junior RNLI Henry Blogg lifeboat Museum and fossil hunt | |
| 27 th June | Year 11 leavers assembly / day out and evening meal | |
| WC 30 th June | Year 11 work experience | |
| July 2025 | | |
| 2 nd July | Year 7 Visit to local beach | |
| 2nd Juy | New teachers letter home to parents and carers | |
| 3rd July | Summer Fayre | |
| 4 th July | Final reports out to parents and carers | |
| 14 th – 17 th July | Transition days – time with new teachers | |
| 16th July | House reward day | |
| 17 th July | Church Service - venue Ingham Church | |
| 17 th July | **End of Term** | |
| 18 th July – 2 nd September | **Summer Holidays** | |

Are you Separated or Separating?

Worried about your child getting caught in the middle? Family Transitions Groups can help

What parents have said -

"Has had significant benefits and an insight into how to overcome challenges with co parenting"

"The teachers (course leaders) were kind, thoughtful, helpful and supportive"



Completely Free! Two online groups avaliable, attendance is one session per week for 5 weeks.

Friday 1st November- Friday 29th November 10am-12pm

or

Thursday 7th November- Thursday 5th December 09:30am-11:30am

To book search <u>Request for Support Early Help Information and Consent - Privacy - Section 1 - Norfolk County Council</u> or contact roxanne.mcdowell@norfolk.gov.uk

Nitazenes and naloxone

What are nitazenes?

Nitazenes are very strong and dangerous synthetic opioids. They have been found in the drug supply across the country.

What are the risks?

Nitazenes are continuing to cause overdoses and deaths.



What to do in an emergency?

If you think someone is overdosing, **call 999** for an ambulance immediately.

Give the person naloxone.

Make sure you have enough naloxone - at least two kits.

You may need to **give more doses of naloxone** to stop someone from overdosing.







Know the signs of overdose:



Shallow or no breathing





Blue or grey lips or fingertips





Get **free naloxone kits** and training from your local service or visit changegrowlive.org/naloxone for more information.





Come and find out about our Science and Engineering Pathways in Sixth Form