



NEWSLETTER

Regular news updates from All Saints School, Lessingham

KEY DIARY DATES

Sept:

- 16th-20th: Inter House PE Focus
17th: Upper Juniors to Gressenhall
18th: Yr 7 Parent/Carer Café
**** POSTPONED ****
23rd: Flu vaccinations
24th: Lower Juniors to Tide and Time Museum
26th: Parent & Carer Forum — Preparing for College

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
11th: WoW (Wellness on Wheels) Bus in School
15th: GCSE Art trip
16th: House Rewards Day
23rd: Upper Juniors to Norwich Aviation Museum
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

Miss Paffett: 07733 417296

Norfolk children's support line:

Text 07480 635060 or call 0344 800 8029

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Welcome to a new school year, welcome to our new students and their families and welcome to our new staff. New beginnings are often daunting and can lead to anxiety and upset, it takes time to get to know new people, new situations, new ways of working. It has therefore been a joy to see how quickly our new students and staff have settled into school. I think this is in part due to our transition and induction process but mainly due to the way we are at All Saints School; we do truly look after each other and we work together and support one another, whether that be a student, parent, carer, visitor or staff member.

Some of our staff members are also starting new positions this academic year and we welcome them in their new roles and look forward to supporting them as they develop their particular area of the school.

- * Miss King is now Operations Manager, this means that she is able, alongside Ms Jones, to lead the school when I am not in school.
- * Ms Austin is now SENCO, DLAC (Designated teacher for Looked After Children) and Senior leader, she will support students in Years 3-7 whilst Ms Paffett continues to be SENCO, DLAC and Senior leader, for students in Years 8-11.
- * Ms Wade is now Diversity Lead.
- * Ms Smith and Mr Slater have a newly formed position in school as Sustainability Leads.
- * Mr Morton and Mrs Urry are now information Advice and Guidance Leads (careers). Miss King will continue to support Year 11 with college applications and transition arrangements.
- * Ms Czubaj has a newly formed role as Neuro-Diverse lead.

Some parents and carers have asked me for information on teaching staff and who teaches what. On the website <https://www.allsaintslessingham.co.uk/staff/> is a newly created organisation chart which provides this information.

As always, please do get in touch if you have any concerns, questions or thoughts. It is by working together that we make a difference.

Attendance



Norfolk County Council

Norfolk County Council has issued new Leave of Absence guidelines for independent settings. The letter was sent to all parents earlier this week; this and the absence request form are on the school website and the form must be completed for all absence requests <https://www.allsaintslessingham.co.uk/attendance/>

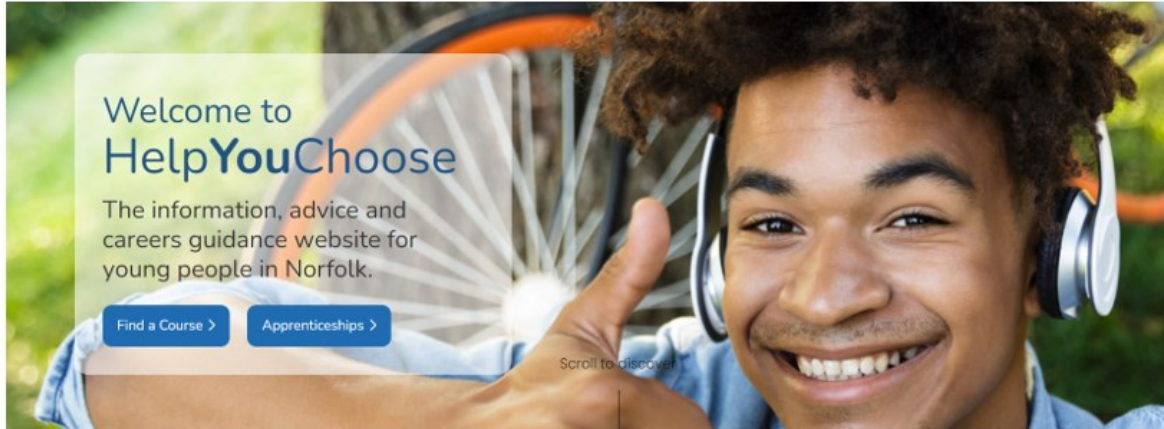
Please do read it carefully; it is clear that any term time holidays which result in 10 sessions (usually equivalent to 5 school days) could result in the Local Authority (LA) prosecuting parents under section 444 of the Education Act 1996, which can result in a criminal conviction and fine of up to £2,500.

If you have any questions or concerns, please get in touch, we would prefer to work with you to find a solution.

College

Year 9, 10 and 11 – Check out the latest events on HelpYouChoose – discover what is upcoming in your area. Take advantage of what colleges/sixth forms are offering, explore early with your parents/carers, take control of your future.

<https://www.helpyouchoose.org/events>



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Sixth Form College



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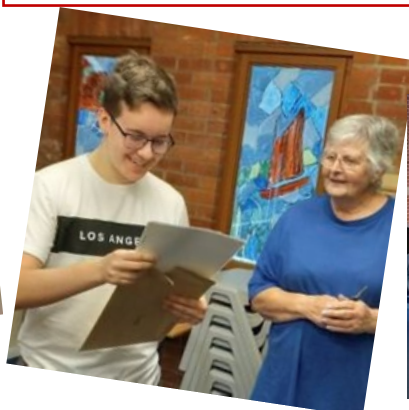


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Exam Results

Congratulations to all our exiting Year 11 students on a fantastic set of results. We are so proud of you all.



Year 8

Harnessing their fine motor skills in a variety of ways



PAT Therapy

It's great to see Alvin and Sid back at school. Students love reading to Sid in the library and he is such a good boy.



Hautbois

A huge thank you to you all for returning consent and medical forms back to us so quickly! It really does help with all logistics for our upcoming residential.

Final arrangements are being confirmed with their catering team so we will be able to share the menu with you soon.

Super 1s Cricket Programmes in Norfolk

Super 1s gives disabled young people aged 12-25 the chance to play regular competitive cricket while improving life skills such as confidence and independence. They allow participants the chance to receive free coaching, compete against their peers and enjoy the benefits of playing sport.

In Norfolk, we have three Super 1s hubs running on a weekly basis providing FREE, inclusive softball cricket sessions and we would like help to promote these sessions further.

All the hubs are FREE and all kit is provided by the coaches for each session. Sessions are fully inclusive and tailored to the needs of the participants by fully qualified coaches.

Full details can be found below. Prior registration is required by contacting Norfolk Cricket Board Disability Development Officer, Abi Sutherland via the contact details at the bottom of the flyer.

<https://www.norfolkcricket.co.uk/lords-taverners-super-1s-hub/>

JOIN THE
Super 1s
NORFOLK CRICKET BOARD

All disabilities welcome
Ages 12-25

CHALLENGE YOURSELF
BE MORE ACTIVE
IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS
MAKE NEW FRIENDS

Free inclusive
cricket sessions!

WEDNESDAYS
DEREHAM
5PM-6PM
NORTHGATE HIGH SCHOOL

THURSDAYS
NORWICH
5PM-6PM
HORSFORD CRICKET CLUB

FRIDAYS
KING'S LYNN
5PM-6PM
SPORTSBARN, ALIVE LYNNSPORT

MORE INFORMATION & REGISTRATION
CONTACT NCB DISABILITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER - ABI SUTHERLAND
E) abi.sutherland@norfolkcricket.co.uk M) 07542 769082

Otis

Our resident otter, Otis spends his weekends out and about with our youngest students.

It looks like Otis and Josh had a fab time last weekend.

