

Newsletter

Week Ending 11th September 2026

What's been happening in our school...?

A few words from our Headteacher Mr Brown:

As we come to the end of a fantastic first full week of the new academic year I would like to congratulate the children on how well they have settled into their new classes, how hard they are working on their new learning and how well they are playing in their social time at lunchtimes and break times. We are proud of the academic progress children are already making but also equally the personal development already on display.



A huge number of children have all volunteered to take on roles in school such as being members of the school council, being eco champions or international ambassadors and classes are in the process of voting in these prestigious roles.

I was delighted to be able to announce the children who have been voted as House Captains and Sports Captains this year in Collective Worship this morning. The children voted into these roles were:

House Captains:

St Patrick – William and Ocean
St David – Mia and Carter
St George – Jacob and Georgia
St Andrew – Megan and Thomas

We are lucky to have a fantastic year 6 group this year who are already acting as good role models but I know that equally our House Captains will set a great example to their houses and encourage them to make good choices in school so that their house is winning the house cup regularly.

Similarly I know that Sports Captains will support House Sports and I look forward to hearing them rallying their houses at Sports Day. This year's elected Sports Captains are:

Sports Captains:

St Patrick – Jake and Miley-Mae
St David – Evie and Ronnie
St George – Phoebe and Ahmad
St Andrew – Grace and Alice

For some of our children, most notably the children in Ducklings and Cygnets, this marks the end of their first full week in school and they have equally made a fantastic start to their time at All Saints' and it is really good to see them already showing greater independence even in this short time. I am sure they will sleep well this weekend!

Please keep reading for more important info and news.....

Car Show 2026

BADGERS, OTTERS AND FOXES



The All Saints' Car Show - what a great way to kick off our new Top Gear topic in Y3/4! Thank you so much to all of our participants & well done to the children for being incredibly polite, respectful and so enthusiastic and for asking really interesting questions.

THE SPORTS PAGES

Important Diary Dates
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Watch this space for news of events and tournaments. Teams are arranged with children first and then by letter to parents. The PE team works hard to ensure that all those children who show an interest in participating are given their turn. Our programme has not yet been published but promises to include competitions with other schools in tag rugby, football, netball, swimming and cricket.



"Sport teaches you character, it teaches you to play by the rules, it teaches you to know what it feels like to win and what it feels like to lose, it teaches you about life" - *Billie Jean King*

Please label all your child's belongings!

It's that time of year when the weather is even more changeable than ever and children tend to take off their jumpers, cardigans or coats in the playground and often forget to retrieve them! It is therefore now more important than ever that you label your child's belongings. The lost property section of the school always seems to be FULL to bursting with unlabelled items.

Our main goal is always to reunite items with their rightful owners. But water bottles, lunchboxes, sunhats and even shoes find their way to lost property and often cannot be returned. Using a permanent marker on a label is enough to make sure we know which items belongs to whom!

We really appreciate your support.

SEP 2026

18 - PTA inflatables event
22 - Individual and sibling photos in school

OCT 2026

9 Girls Tag Rugby at Drapers Farm (Y3,4,5,6 details tbc)
20 - Parents Evening (details tbc)
22 - Parents Evening (details tbc)
23 October KS2 Disco
26-30 - School Holidays

Nov 2026

2 - Children return to school
3 - Open afternoon and Enrichment Homework in school hall
5 - Guy Fawkes Day
23 - Flu Vaccination Service in School
24 - Royal Albert Hall with selected children from the KS2 Choir

Dec 2026

9 - KS1 Nativity for parents PM (details to be sent closer to the date)
10 - KS1 Nativity for parents AM (details to be sent closer to the date)
16 - Christmas Dinner Day
18 - Whole School Christmas Service at All Saints' Church, all welcome
21-31 - School Holidays school

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IN OTHER NEWS...

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On Monday 21st September we will be on week 3 of our rolling menu - Link here:

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Toppings Cheese, Tuna or Beans	Pepperoni Pizza with Fries Ketchup optional	Roast Chicken, Yorkshire Pudding and Roast Potatoes with Gravy and Stuffing optional	Breaded Chicken wraps with rice BBQ/ Sweet Chilli or Mayo optional	Fish and Chips Ketchup optional
Vegetarian	Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Toppings Cheese, Tuna or Beans VF	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Fries Ketchup optional VF	Vegetarian Sausage Yorkshire Pudding & Roast Potatoes with Gravy and Stuffing optional VF	Breaded Quorn wraps with rice Sauces optional	Vegetable Fingers and Chips Ketchup optional VF
Vegetables	Olives	Sweetcorn	Seasonal Veg	Coleslaw	Beans and Peas
Alternative	Bread Roll filled with Ham, Cheese or Egg Mayo	Hot Pasta with Tomato Sauce Toppings of the Day VF	Hot Roast Roll	Hot Pasta with Tomato Sauce Toppings of the Day VF	Bread Roll filled with Ham, Cheese or Egg Mayo
Salad Bar	Grated Carrot, Sweetcorn, Tomatoes and Cucumber				
Desserts	Yoghurt Bar with a Selection of Toppings				
	Fruit Platter	Arctic Roll	Sponge Cake	Flapjack	Cookies

(All allergens can be found listed on the school website)



Need to contact the school?

Tel: 01621 853519

Email: admin@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

Meerkats:

meerkats@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

EYFS (Ducklings or Cygnets)

eyfs@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk



Year 1/2 (Lions, Tigers or Leopards)

year12@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

Year 3/4 (Badgers, Otters or Foxes)

year34@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk



Year 5/6 (Seahorse, Starfish or Turtles)

year56@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

Staff will reply to these as soon as possible but they may be working with the children. Likewise, when out of school hours, staff may not respond immediately as they will be with their own families and busy with

their own home lives. In the first instance it is usually preferable to take queries or questions directly to your class teacher at the classroom door at drop-off or pick-up)

Jan 2027

1 - Bank Holiday
4 - non-pupil day
5 - Children return to school

Feb 2027

12 - KS Disco
15-19 - Half Term
22 - Children return to school

Mar 2027

24 - Whole School Easter Church Service, everyone welcome
26 - Easter Friday
28 - Easter Sunday
29 - Bank Holiday
30-9 April - Easter Holidays

April 2027

12 - Children return to school

May 2027

31 - Spring Bank Holiday

June 2027

1-4 Half Term
7 - non-pupil day
8 - Children return to school
14 - 18 Year 6 Hilltop Residential

July 2027

21 - non-pupil day
22 - 31 Aug Summer holidays

Sep 2027

1 - Children return to school



PTA INFLATABLE AFTERNOON!

FRIDAY, 18TH SEPTEMBER

3.30-6.00PM

**PLEASE PURCHASE WRISTBANDS WITH
YOUR CHILDREN IN THE SCHOOL HALL
BEFORE YOU HEAD TO THE FIELD.**

**WRISTBANDS ARE £8.00 EACH AND ARE PURCHASED ON
THE DAY - CASH PAYMENTS PREFERRED (BANK
TRANSFERS TO PTA ACCOUNT ALSO ACCEPTED).**

SIBLINGS OVER 3 YEARS OLD CAN ALSO PAY TO PLAY.

**IMPORTANT: PARENTS/CARERS WILL NEED TO STAY FOR
THE DURATION OF THE EVENT TO SUPERVISE THEIR
CHILDREN - FEEL FREE TO BRING A RUG OR A CAMPING
CHAIR TO SIT ON.**

**THE PTA WILL HAVE REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE TO
PURCHASE ON THE DAY - CASH PAYMENTS PREFERRED
(BANK TRANSFERS TO PTA ACCOUNT ALSO ACCEPTED).**

**IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP AT THIS EVENT (IN ANY CAPACITY
AND FOR ANY AMOUNT OF TIME) OR HAVE ANY QUESTIONS
PLEASE CONTACT THE PTA VIA MESSAGE ON THEIR
FACEBOOK PAGE - [LINK HERE](#) - OR
ON EMAIL AT: ASMALDONPTA@GMAIL.COM**



Separation Anxiety

For Primary

- Help your child feel **more confident** when away from you
- **Build resilience** for school and everyday activities
- Support a smoother transition to **greater independence**



Details

22nd September
9.00am-11.00am
Fully Funded
Places

Location:
All Saints CofE Primary School

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