

Newsletter

Week Ending 10th October 2025

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

This week I joined with a number of other Headteachers from across Essex in exploring good practice in church schools. The discussion began with the sharing of each school's vision. What is it that we are seeking to achieve for our children? Are they just words on a page or do we live and breathe that vision?



Our school vision can be seen in the entrance to the school and shares what we are looking to achieve. I've put a picture below:



Most of the children and some of you, will have heard this communicated as 'Every Child Shines'. It's much easier to remember but really does encompass the sentiment of the longer vision statement.

Part of that vision talks about making 'a positive contribution to the school, the local community and the wider world'. I cannot thank you enough for

your generosity in providing canned goods and other items as our harvest gift in which we supported the local food bank.

This is a great example of how we as a school community live out our vision. Through your support we have really been able to show the children they can make a huge difference to the lives of other people through their generosity, compassion and kindness. All attributes that I'm sure you will join me in celebrating as we together continue to 'nurture our children to become responsible individuals'.



THE SPORTS PAGES

Team All Saints! What a brilliant squad you were, supportive, fearless and you never gave up.

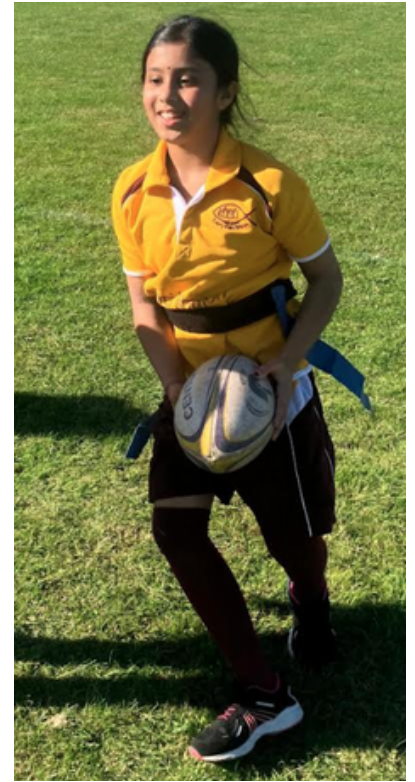
YEAR 5/6 TAG RUGBY AT DRAPERS

Rugby is a game where everything is connected - from your kicking game to your defence to your set piece and attack.

Owen Farrell



An arduous task faced this determined team. A tournament full of groups who had far more experience and who had played many times before. But this team were super confident and ready for battle. They faced each match with positivity and a fantastic team spirit. They worked hard together and made us proud. We hope you enjoyed every minute, those smiles say you did! Plus remember, as always in sport, there's always the next time...



The All Saints' Primary School PTA Presents:

Important Diary Dates
Please note these may be
subject to change

BREAK the RULES DAY



Rules which you can break for £1 each

1. Wearing trainers instead of school shoes.
2. Bringing a gloriously unhealthy snack for break (remember, nothing containing nuts please)
3. Putting squash in your water bottle.
4. Having a crazy hairstyle.
5. Wearing nail varnish.
6. Wearing silly socks or brightly coloured tights.

Here's how it works:

When?

Thursday 23rd
October
(the last day of
term)

£1 per
rule

For each rule you break we ask you to pay £1. Please put your payments (exact money only) in a named envelope and hand to the class teacher. OR pay online into the PTA account:
All Saints PTA
Sort code: 20-54-30
Account: 60106569

WAYS TO CONTACT THE SCHOOL:

email: admin@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk
Tel: 01621 853519

EYFS (Ducklings/Cygnets):

eyfs@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

KS1 (Leopards/Lions/Tigers):

year12@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

LKS2 (Otters/Badgers/Foxes):

year34@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

UKS2 (Seahorse/Starfish/Turtles):

year56@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk

Meerkats

senco@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk



OCTOBER 2025

- 13 - booking for Parents' Evenings opens at 6.00pm (see email link for details)
- 14 - Year 5/6 Football at Beacon Hill Rovers
- 21 - Parents' Evening 3.40-7.00pm
- 23 - Parents' Evening 3.40-7.00pm
- 23 - PTA Break the Rules Day (see flyer for details)
- 24 - NON-PUPIL DAY
- 27-31 - Half term holiday

NOVEMBER 2025

- 3 - Children return to school
- 4 - Open Afternoon in classrooms 2.00-3.15pm and enrichment homework displayed in school hall 2.30-7.00pm
- 5 - Stone Age Day for Year 3/4 in School (details to follow)
- 18 - Year 5/6 Dodgeball at Wentworth
- 24 - Banardos Event at Royal Albert Hall (by invitation)

DECEMBER 2025

- 2 - Art Exhibition in School Hall (details to follow, all welcome to enter)
- 5 - School Christmas Fayre in School Hall 3.15-6.00pm
- 5 - Christmas Jumper Day
- 17 - Christmas Dinner Day
- 17 - Whole School Church Rehearsal
- 18 - EYFS/KS1 Christmas Party in School
- 19 - Whole School Christmas Service at All Saints Church at 9.30am (details to follow) - parents and carers invited

JANUARY 2026

- 5 - NON-PUPIL DAY
- 6 - Children return to school
- 19 - Year 3/4 Colchester Castle Trip (details to be confirmed)

FEBRUARY 2026

- 5 - Year 5 Life Saving Roadshow Part 1
 - 9 - Year 4/5/6 Hi 5 Netball at Wentworth
 - 13 - KS1 Party and KS2 School Disco 6.00-9.00pm
 - 16 - 20 Feb School Holidays
 - 23 - Children return to school
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No toys, jewellery or valuables in School please

We kindly ask that children leave toys, jewellery and their precious things at home. These can get lost, misplaced or broken. Mobile phones must be switched off and handed to the class teacher (as per our published guidance for children who have permission to hold a mobile phone in school). Mobile phones will be securely stored in the school office during the day. If a child is ever required to bring money to school, (such as for a PTA event), this must be put in a named envelope and handed to the class teacher. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding.



W/C 13th October we will be on week 1 of our rolling menu:

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Fresh Meatballs & Pasta served with Garlic Bread	Pork Sausage with Mash Potato Gravy optional	Roast Chicken, Yorkshire Pudding and Roast Potatoes with Gravy and Stuffing optional	Pulled Pork in a Roll with Potato Wedges BBQ Sauce optional	Fish and Chips Ketchup optional
Vegetarian	Vegetable Balls & Pasta served with Garlic Bread VF	Vegetable Sausage with Mash Potato Gravy optional VF	Roasted Vegetables Yorkshire Pudding & Roast Potatoes with Gravy and Stuffing optional VF	Vegetable Burger in a Roll with Potato Wedges BBQ Sauce optional	Vegetable Fingers and Chips Ketchup optional VF
Vegetables	Olives	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Carrots Green Beans	Coleslaw	Beans Peas
Alternative	Bread roll filled with Ham, Cheese or Egg	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
Salad Bar	Grated Carrot, Sweetcorn, Tomatoes and Cucumber				
Desserts	Yoghurt Bar with a Selection of Toppings				
	Fruit Platter	Pancakes & Syrup	Sponge Cake	Cornflake Tart	Ice Lolly

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

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FEBRUARY 2026

24 - Open Afternoon, Enrichment Homework on display in school hall
26 - Year 5 Life Saving Roadshow Part 2

MARCH 2026

2-6 Gazette School Takeover (selected children will be invited to take part, details tbc)
5 - Year 6 Life Saving Roadshow Part 1
12 - Year 6 Life Saving Roadshow Part 2
12-13 - Bikeability Course 1 (with allocated children, details to follow)
16-17 - Bikeability Course 2 (with allocated children, details to follow)
19-20 - Bikeability Course 3 (with allocated children, details to follow)
30-10 APRIL School Holidays

APRIL 2026

3 - Good Friday, Bank holiday
6 - Easter Monday, Bank holiday
13 - Children return to school

MAY 2026

4 - Bank Holiday
22 - KS1 Party and KS2 School Disco 6.00-9.00pm
25 - Bank Holiday
26-29 School Holidays

JUNE 2026

1 - Children return to school
2 - Open Afternoon, Enrichment Homework on display in school hall
3 - EYFS Trip to Boydells Farm (details to follow)
8 - 12 Year 6 Hilltop Residential Trip
26 - Summer Fete after school 3.15-6.00pm

JULY 2026

20 - Non-pupil day
21 - 30 Aug School Holidays

AUG 2026

31 - Bank Holiday

SEP 2026

1 - Children return to school

SUPER STAR READERS WIN IT FOR ALL SAINTS!



A huge congratulations to the whole school who have successfully won the library Summer Reading Challenge. 102 children completed reading the 6 books and so were crowned this year's winners. Well done to everybody who took part. We hope you all continue to visit the library to borrow a good book throughout the year. They also run lots of great free events which you might like to go along to too.

WOW! →

Just look at the All Saints' trophy cupboard! Trophies, shields and certificates for sports, music, reading, being a healthy school and Beat the Street to name just a few!



Really showing that every child at All Saints' is given the opportunity to shine, whatever their talents.



We're thrilled to announce that once again, Colchester United have teamed up with Maldon All Saints' Primary School to run Football Camps for pupils in School Year 1-6 during this October Half Term on Monday 27th & Tuesday 28th October.

What does a Colchester United Community Foundation Camp Look Like?

1. Activities within a safe and fun environment
2. Book for as little as just £2.89 per hour
3. High Quality Facilities
4. Gifts & Prizes To Be Won
5. Tailored Football Sessions Of Different Topics
6. Small Sided Games & Tournaments Each Day
7. Opportunities for CUFC 1st Team Player Appearances
8. Opportunities for CUFC Mascot Eddie The Eagle Appearances

Venue: Maldon All Saints Primary School, Maldon, Highlands Dr, CM9 6HY

Dates: Monday 27th & Tuesday 28th October

Times: 9.30am-3pm (Early Drop Off Available From 8.30am)

Registration Link: [Click Here](#)

We are also running camps in Colchester and Clacton throughout the half term, please click on the link below for further information and to book

<https://www.abler.io/shop/colchesterunited/22>

HOLIDAY COURSES

Bikeability Level 1 & 2 and Learn to ride courses.

Venues: Witham, Harlow & Chelmsford

To book, please visit link

essex.cycleready.co.uk/publicbooking

There is a £15 non-refundable booking fee

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IMPORTANT - FLU VACCINATIONS

If your child was not on the list for a flu vaccination which took place in school on Tuesday 7th October, but you would like them to have one, please book at one of the catch-up clinics running across the Maldon District and Essex using the following link: <https://eastanglia.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2025/book>

Alternatively please email the Essex Vaccination Team directly at: essex@v-uk.co.uk to ask for details.





**Essex Child and Family
Wellbeing Service**



School Age Health Advice - Drop in Sessions at Maldon Library 3.00-4.30pm*

(*available both during and out of term time)

Need a friendly ear? Would you like some advice on issues you are worried about, including emotional wellbeing, healthy relationships, lifestyle, sleep etc. Perhaps you just need some options on what to do, where to go next or who to ask.

Come along to Maldon Library on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Tuesday of each month when a Family Health Practitioner will be available to chat to.

All drop-in sessions take place at Maldon Library



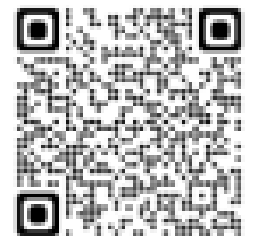
www.essexfamilywellbeing.co.uk



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Maldon Family Hub – Maldon District



Maldon Family Hub
Maldon Library
Carmelite Way, Maldon
CM9 5FW
Monday to Friday 9 - 5pm



t: 0300 2470014



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