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NEWSLETTER

SCHOOL NEWS AND ACHIEVEMENTS



Sports Day - The children had a fantastic time taking part in All Saints CE Primary School Sports Day 2026, which this year was themed around the World Cup. Throughout the day, pupils demonstrated all the qualities we are proud to nurture at All Saints, including excellent sportsmanship, teamwork, determination, resilience and respect for one another. It was wonderful to see every child participating with enthusiasm and enjoying the wide range of activities on offer. After all the points had been totalled, England were crowned winners of the All Saints' CE Primary School Cup—perhaps a sign of things to come! Thank you to everyone who attended and supported the event. Your encouragement helped make the day so special for the children. We would also like to extend a huge thank you to Coach Dan for organising and leading another memorable day of sport and celebration.

Year 5 Trip to Burrs – Year 5's visit to Burrs Country Park was a day full of fun, discovery and adventure. Despite the unpredictable weather, the children remained enthusiastic throughout. They enjoyed learning about the River Irwell, skimming stones across the water and investigating how the river flows by dropping sticks from bridges and observing where they emerged downstream. The children were fascinated to learn about the old mill that once stood at Burrs and thoroughly enjoyed exploring the area. The adventure playground was a firm favourite, while discovering pieces of ancient pottery along the riverbank proved to be a particularly memorable highlight. It was a fantastic day of learning, exploration and lasting memories.





Year 5 visit to Philips High School – During this exciting visit, the class took part in a range of activities. In Science, they had the opportunity to hold and observe a variety of fascinating animals. During History, they impressed staff with their historical knowledge, while in English they used their creativity to design a modern-day hero. The children also enjoyed participating in a range of fitness activities during PE. Throughout the day, they demonstrated excellent behaviour, enthusiasm and a real passion for learning, making them a credit to All Saints. We would like to thank all the staff at Philips High School for providing such a memorable and enriching experience.



Art Exhibition - During the week beginning 22nd June, children from Butterflies through to Year 6 visited All Saints Church to admire the wonderful artwork they had created under the guidance of professional artist Hugh Templeton. Inspired by both the church itself and their current topics, the children produced a stunning collection of paintings that were proudly displayed throughout the building. It was a joy to see the children exploring the ancient church, marvelling at the artwork, sketching features of interest and investigating the altar and beautiful stained-glass windows. The visit was made even more enjoyable with a refreshing drink and biscuit during the exceptionally warm June weather. It was a special experience that created lasting memories for both the children and staff.

Move Up Morning - Another exciting milestone this month was Move Up Morning, when the children had the opportunity to spend time with their new teachers and visit their new classrooms. There was a real sense of excitement throughout the school as pupils began looking forward to the next stage of their learning journey and the new adventures that await them in September.



Year 2 Trip – Year 2 had a wonderful trip out to Manchester Airport as part of their transport topic in Geography. They found out about the different types of jobs that can be done in an airport.



Sir David Attenborough – On Friday 8th May 2026 the children became explorers and conservationists for the day, taking part in a range of exciting activities inspired by Sir David's passion for the natural world. They enjoyed a nature walk and learned about the importance of protecting our environment. To finish the celebrations, everyone came together for a special 100th birthday party in honour of Sir David Attenborough.



Patterdale Hall Y6 Residential - Over three unforgettable days at Patterdale Hall, our Year 6 pupils embraced new challenges, built lasting friendships, and developed greater confidence and independence. From exciting outdoor adventures such as gorge walking, paddle boarding, canoeing, and climbing to teamwork activities and evenings spent together, every child showed resilience, determination, and a positive attitude. We are incredibly proud of everything they achieved, and the memories and skills they gained will stay with them for years to come.



Beacon Schools Music Festival - Our Year 6 pupils enjoyed taking part in the Beacon Schools Music Festival at The Victoria Hall in Bolton. The children performed alongside children from other local primary schools within the Beacon Alliance and showcased their enthusiasm and musical talent. A highlight of the event was the Cup Song (from Pitch Perfect), which they sang and performed with impressive rhythm and confidence.



Year 3 Trip – Y3 went to visit the Science & Industry Museum in Manchester and had a wonderful time exploring the innovations and ideas that started life in Manchester. They asked questions, listened and most importantly had fun.

Disco – On Tuesday 23rd June, Reception to Y6 enjoyed our summer school disco. It was good to see all the children enjoying themselves and having a dance in the hall. The disco raised £818.05. Thank you for all your contributions.

FUTURE EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Clubs –Netball for Y4 & 5 continues after school on Wednesdays running until the end of term. The last session will be on Wednesday 15th July.

Y4 Multisports Club continues after school on Tuesdays. The last session will be Tuesday 14th July.

Choir continues to be held on a Thursday morning starting at 8.15am. The last session will be Thursday 16th July.

Look out for new club dates in our September newsletter.

Whitefield's Got Talent - The final will take place at Stand All Saints' Church on Friday 10th July at 6pm. We look forward to seeing all our children and families supporting and voting for their favourite act on the night. Good luck to all the finalists!

Y2 End of Year Performance – This will take place in the school hall at 9:15am on Tuesday 14th July. Parents and carers are welcome to attend.

Y6 Performance – The Wrong Way Round Performance will take place on Wednesday 15th July. Details have been sent to Y6 Parents and Carers.

Leavers Service in Church – This will take place on Thursday 16th July at 10.00am. Please ensure children arrive at school in full uniform at the normal time. Parents, carers and family are all welcome to attend this Leavers Service at Stand All Saints Church.

Summer Holidays – The last day of term before the Summer Holidays is Tuesday 21st July 2026. School will finish at the earlier time of 2.30pm on this day and after school club will finish at 4.30pm.

CHURCH NEWS



All Saints' Stand Church - 2026 marks the 200th year celebration since the church was consecrated. To mark this significant event, the church are holding a series of events throughout the year. Look out for details of events involving All Saints' C.E. Primary school on future newsletters.

Services:

Family Service – Held on the 2nd Sunday of every month at 10am

All are welcome at the services.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 7 th July	Y5 7 a side football at Bury Church – 1.30pm
Wednesday 8 th July	Y5 – Arts & Crafts at Bury Church High School
Wednesday 8 th July	EYFS Class Worship – 2.30pm
Friday 10 th July	Whitefield's Got Talent at All Saints' Church – 6pm
Tuesday 14 th July	Y2 End of Yr Performance – 9.15am
Wednesday 15 th July	Y6 Performance for Parents – 6.30pm
Thursday 16 th July	Leaver's Service at Church – 10am
Thursday 16 th July	Y6 Leaver's Meal – 6pm
Friday 17 th July	EYFS & KS1 Well Done Assembly – 9.10am
Friday 17 th July	KS2 Well Done Assembly – 10am
Tuesday 21 st July	School closes at 2.30pm
Tuesday 21 st July	BAASC closes at 4.30pm
Tuesday 1st September	School Opens at 8.45am

NOTICES

Parking – Please remember that we are located in a busy residential area when considering parking. Please park respectfully and safely to drop off and collect your children

School day - Our classroom doors open at 8.45am and the school day starts at 8.50am and closes at 3.30pm (3.20pm for FS1). Please ensure your children are at school on time and ready to learn.

Term Time Holidays - Improving school attendance is both a government and school priority. Holidays must not be taken during term time as this has an extremely detrimental effect on your child's education. A fixed penalty notice is the least of the costs: it is the impact on your child's future educational success that presents the greatest cost. We urge you to prioritise the long-term benefits of regular school attendance over the short-term impact of a holiday.

Hot Weather – As the hot weather is due to return, please apply sunscreen before school and bring a hat / cap to school daily. The children have access to the water machines in school to refill their water bottles.