# Newsletter

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#### **PHONICS FAMILY LEARNING**

Please see Page 2 about phonics learning that is being run by Family Learning in school starting on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January. We would like to encourage as many Parents/Carers and Grandparents of children in Robins, Finches, Wrens and Swifts classes to come to these if possible. Also welcome are Parents/Carers and Grandparents of children in other classes in the school that have preschool children or indeed anyone who would just like to know a little more about phonics. This is a relaxed learning group and a great opportunity to learn together in a friendly environment. If you have child care difficulties then please contact Family Learning directly as they might be able to help you with these issues.

#### **VOCALEASE PROJECT**

The Year 3 children will be taking part in the collaborative Vocalease project and performing at Loughborough Town Hall later this year. Please do try to make arrangements to come and see your child perform in the massed choir production. Further details will be sent nearer the time.

#### **ENGLISH OPEN MORNING**

On Wednesday morning there was the opportunity for Parents to look at English being taught across the school. Thank you to those Parents and Carers who came we hope that you found it interesting to see how your children were taught across the school. If you were unable to attend and would have liked to we would appreciate some feedback to let us know whether the timing was wrong for you or other reasons so that we can try to make open sessions more accessible for people.

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#### **PARENTS' EVENINGS**

Parents' evenings are taking place on Monday 8<sup>th</sup>
February and Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February. Letters for
requesting times will be sent out shortly. At
these meetings class teachers will be discussing
your child's progress with you. Due to the fact
that these take place early in February we will
not also be sending out interim reports at the
end of January. We feel that you will be given
more information by a face to face meeting and
discussion than by the report.

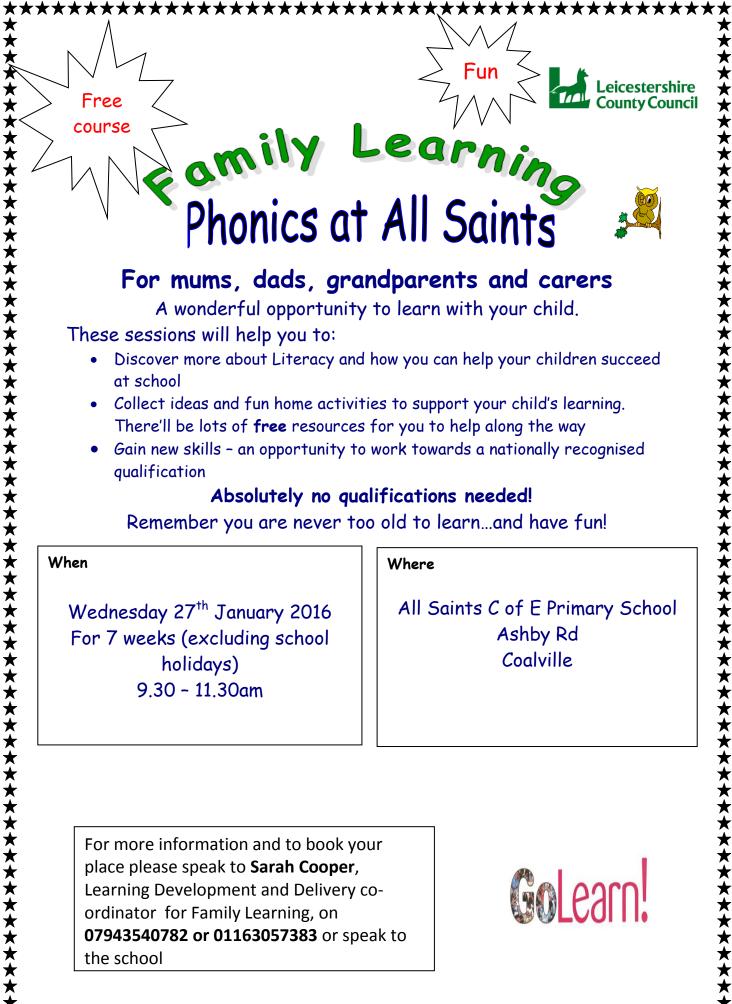
#### **CLUB ACTIV8**

New cards have been ordered for children who started in Robins class this school year and also any children who have started with us recently. As soon as we receive these we will be sending them home with your child. This is a great opportunity to take part in fun healthy activities for free!

Please see Page 3 of this newsletter for what to do if you have misplaced your card.

#### **COATS AND SHOES**

As the weather is turning colder please make sure that your child comes to school in a suitable coat. There are a few children who do not have coats with them and although you might bring and collect them in the car they will still be outdoors at break and lunchtime. It is a little too cold to be outside without a coat at the moment. With regards to footwear it is right that children come to school in boots and wellingtons as appropriate to the weather. If your child does come to school in boots or wellingtons (or shoes that are not school shoes) then we ask that they change into school shoes or black plimsolls when they are indoors in school.



# For mums, dads, grandparents and carers

A wonderful opportunity to learn with your child.

### These sessions will help you to:

- Discover more about Literacy and how you can help your children succeed at school
- Collect ideas and fun home activities to support your child's learning. There'll be lots of free resources for you to help along the way
- Gain new skills an opportunity to work towards a nationally recognised qualification

## Absolutely no qualifications needed!

Remember you are never too old to learn...and have fun!

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#### When

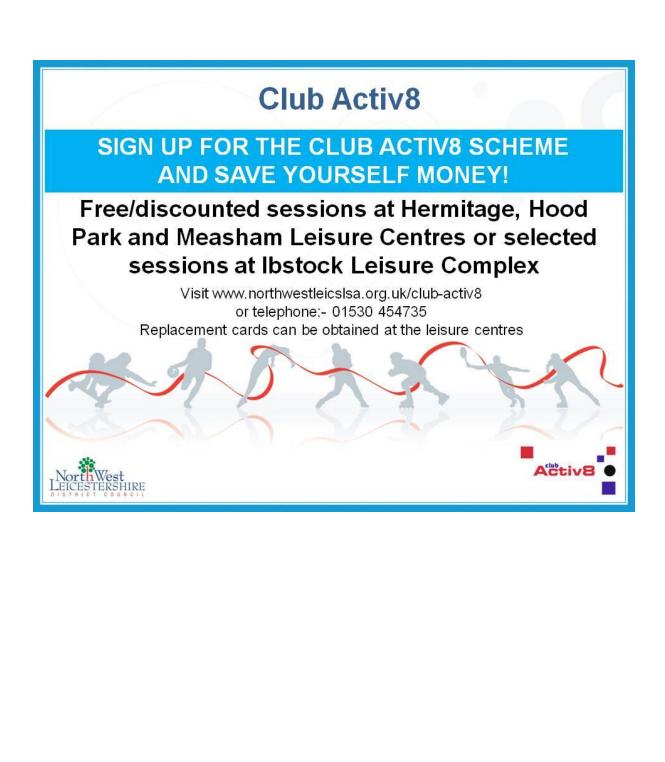
Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2016 For 7 weeks (excluding school holidays) 9.30 - 11.30am

#### Where

All Saints C of E Primary School Ashby Rd Coalville

For more information and to book your place please speak to Sarah Cooper, Learning Development and Delivery coordinator for Family Learning, on **07943540782 or 01163057383** or speak to the school





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