

Newsletter

LOVING LAUGHING JOKE COMPETITION

We are going to be working with schools in Europe on a project: Loving Laughing: Does my joke sound funny to you.

This will be run as a competition in which we will judge the jokes and chose the three best jokes from Key Stage One and the three best from Key Stage Two. We would like children to submit entries to the following email address: allsaintscep@gmail.com

Please include name, age and class. The best jokes will be made into videos and shared on the eTwinning portal. If you wish to submit it as a video that would be great or we can make the videos in school. The jokes can be videoed as sock puppets or other puppets and does not have to show the pupils.

We are looking forward to receiving children's entries.

WRENS CLASS

Wrens class really enjoyed the circus skills day we had at school, as part of topic 'The circus is coming to town'. We are looking forward to the Topic Showcase where we hope our families will be able to come and watch us and take part too!

We loved having a go at Zumba at school. We found it really good fun and a great way to exercise. We now love to ask for music on in the classroom as part of our collaboration time. Our favourite tune to dance to is Ghostbusters!

As part of our English, we have been learning about the disgusting Mr Twit and all those horrid tricks he plays on Mrs Twit. We have made wormy spaghetti, and will be writing our own instructions including those bossy verbs!

ATTENDANCE

KS1 attendance award- The class with the best attendance for the second week running was Robins. Well done!

KS2 attendance award- The class with the best attendance this week was Swans Both classes will be looking after the attendance Yeti for the week.



COALVILLE EVENTS

Please see the flyer sent by email regarding the upcoming events planned for October and November by the Choose Coalville Team.

BOOK TALKING

The book talking session was enjoyed by many parents and grandparents across Key stage 2. Many thanks to those who were able to join us. Nicole, from library services, has left a range of suitable books in school for the children to borrow and take home. The children have been reminded that these books are on loan and need to be looked after.

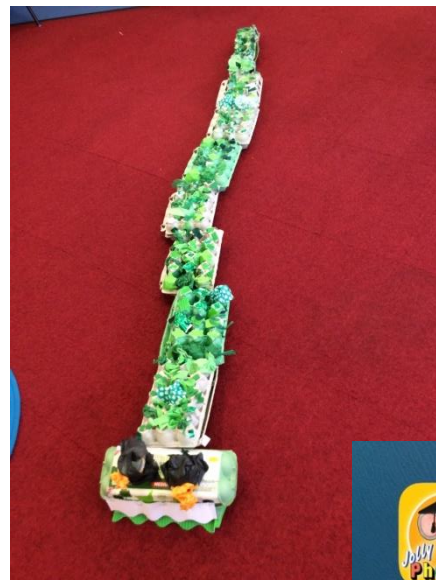


Words of the week	
Eagles	Subtle
Hawks	honourable, bearable, insufferable
Finches	despicable
Swifts	important, ingredients
Wrens	spaghetti, ingredients, sprinkle
Swans	hesitated, transparent
Hérons	dormitory

ROBINS CLASS

Robin Class had a visit from the nurse this week, in preparation for next week's topic on Ourselves." A big Thank you to Mrs Smith for her time and her donations to our doctor's surgery.

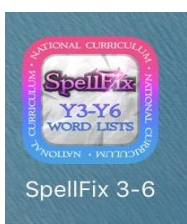
On Roald Dahl Day we had a lovely time learning about The Enormous Crocodile. We made our own crocodiles in class.



RECOMMENDED APPS FOR LEARNING

For EYFS and Key Stage One – Jolly Phonics

A great app for children to use to practice phonics. Parents can also listen to pronunciation of sounds to ensure pupils are saying their sounds correctly.



For Key Stage 2 – SpellFix 3-6

A great app to practice not only spelling but making sure children know the meanings of the words they are spelling. This app has all the words that children are expected to know and be able to spell from Year 3 to Year 6.

YEAR 1 & 2

"In Year One and Year Two we have been focusing on the Twits. This week we have been working on instructions copying and making worm spaghetti. We dug up 'worms' from the nature area, brought them into the classroom and mixed them with spaghetti ready for Mr Twit to eat."



OPEN MORNING

On Tuesday 27th September we will have an open morning and we would really like you to come and see all the fantastic learning that is taking place in school. If you bring your children to school as normal then while they are taking part in morning assembly we will provide you with toast, tea/coffee and bacon sandwiches. You will then be able to look around the school until 10:10 when the children go out for morning break. In order to help with making approximately the right number of bacon sandwiches it would be helpful if you could let us know if you are able to come. We will be holding a series of open mornings on different days throughout the year and we very much hope that you will come and see how we are teaching your children. We would also appreciate any comments you have to make on what we are doing well and what you think we can do to improve.

We look forward to seeing you on 27th September.

After the open morning there will also be the chance for parents to sample some of the school food support lunches in the hall from 10:10 to 10:50



HARVEST

Reminder that the Harvest Festival will take place next Friday at Christchurch. We will be walking the children to school and leaving shortly after 1pm. If you are able to help us walk the children there and back we would be very grateful.

If you would like to send in food for harvest then this will be gratefully received and will be distributed on the Monday following the harvest service at Christ Church. Alternatively you might want to send in a donation of money instead. We are going to be making links with a school in Zambia called tujatane trust school. Please see their website for details about the school tujatane.com.

KEY STAGE TWO TOAST DAY

Children in KS2 will be bringing home a flyer today about a Toast Day that the PTA will be running on Wednesday 28th September at break time. Toast must be ordered and paid for in advance. Please do this by completing the order form and returning it to school with payment in a named envelope by the end of school on Tuesday.

FOOTBALL

Year 5/6 children played against Swannington and won 6-2. It was a great performance by all the team. Well done everyone!