



The All-Together Newsletter

Dear Parents and students,

I hope that you have had a positive week. It has been a very busy week for me and I have been in numerous meetings however this has been made incredibly positive by the sample of pupils work I have been sent by teachers. I have written to a number of students again this week regarding their school work. Congratulations to them on their hard work and resilience at this time. Again, I have seen pictures of our young people keeping fit, amazing cookery skills and also hearing about a young man in year 8 achieving a certificate from the Open University for his additional study. This is what All Saints is about – celebrating the achievements of all and having a sense of pride in all we achieve together as a community.

If you remember, earlier in the year Mr Harkin's eco warriors put a proposal to me about energy efficient lighting across the school. I listened to their most convincing presentation and set about investigating with our business manager Ms Hughes and our site team. Excellent news, by the time we return, the school will hopefully be fully fitted with an energy efficient lighting system. Congratulations to the Eco team and all they have achieved!

Did anyone complete Mr Siva's PE challenge this week?

You will have listened to the update on the lockdown from the Prime minister on Sunday evening. I believe more details will come out through the week in the briefings which will provide greater clarity. It is clear that the primary schools are returning with reception year 1 and 6. He said 'it is hoped' that those students taking exams in the next academic year will get 'some time with their teachers' before the summer.

The leadership team of the school have been discussing the planning and organisation of a safe school return. We are really looking forward to seeing all the students again and being in each other's company but as you know we have to follow the guidance. Rest assured the leadership team are working tirelessly to plan for a reopening of the school and when it is safe to do so we will. At this time, I ask you to be patient and trust that I will communicate further the details when I have them and we have a plan which is safe for all.

In the meantime, I ask students to dig deep and continue their great work, commitment to their studies and their good spirits. Your teachers will email out resources to you and feedback to you once submitted. I don't think we will ever take for granted again those conversations we have with each other in classes, in the corridors and I can't wait to be on the door to meet you all with Max when we return.

You all remain in my prayers at this time – please continue to pray for all in our All Saints community past and present. If you need any support or help please do not hesitate to contact me

With every good wish

Clare Cantle

Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.

Romans 12:11-12



- Macbeth
- Hamlet
- Romeo and Juliet
- Much Ado About Nothing
- Othello
- The Merchant of Venice

DAILY SHAKESPEARE LESSONS WITH BBC BITESIZE

The Royal Shakespeare Company are working with BBC Bitesize to deliver online lessons on Shakespeare from Monday 11th to Friday 15th May (and again in June for a week). Romeo and Juliet and Macbeth are the focus texts, so beneficial for many students.

More information can be found here:

https://www.rsc.org.uk/news/daily-shakespeare-lessons-with-bbc-bitesize

What is Vocation?

What are we called to do?

- 1. We won't know what God is calling us to do if we do not come to him in prayer.
 - Try downloading the 'stay as your pray app' and use the discernment meditations to help you on your vocational journey.
 - Make a list of your gifts and qualities.
 - Take time to sit down and talk with your family or carers about what they believe are your gifts and qualities. We are often critical of our own abilities and the ones that love us most can give honest excellent advice to help us discern our vocations.
- 2. Hail Mary, full of grace! The Lord is with thee.

We are now in the month of Mary. Make it an aim to say the rosary weekly or try for once a day.

3. Attend virtual Youth Mass with the BCCS –. Find the BCYS Instagram and YouTube channel.

https://bcys.net/events/youthmass060520/





Let us Pray

In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of The Holy Spirit. Amen

Pause

Prayer 1: Dear Father Let us pray for all who are lost.

We pray that the Lord will show again compassion on those who have wandered from him, and empower us to lead others to his presence.

(Lord hear us)

(Lord graciously hear us)

Prayer 2: Dear Father, We pray for our local community: that God might grant us peace, and renew our commitment to be good neighbours; so that no one feels lonely, forgotten or unloved.

(Lord hear us)
(Lord graciously hear us)

Prayer 3:-Dear Father Let us pray for vocations to the priesthood and the religious life: that the people of God will be fed with his word, the broken-hearted tended by his healing hand, and all those who are weak receive strength and comfort.

(Lord graciously hear us)

Let us conclude in the month dedicated to our Lady with the Hail Mary: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of The Holy Spirit, Amen



May: The Month of Mary

- We dedicate the months of May and October to Mary the mother of God.
- We show her our devotion and love and ask her to help us connect with Jesus through the prayer of the rosary.
- Whether you are an experienced at praying the rosary or you are new click the Rosary Reflections to help guide you and make the most of this prayer during this special month.

ROSARY REFLECTIONS

https://pray-as-you-go.org/article/rosaryreflections



DAILY SAINT REFLECTIONS IN MAY

From 3rd - 31st May, 4.32pm each day, "Acts 4:32."

Current and former Walsingham House Team members reflect on a Saint that inspires them, in 90 second videos, designed to help each of us to think about how the Saints would encourage us to act in this time of lockdown. The videos will be released at 4.32pm each afternoon.

You can access these videos on the BYCS Instagram, Facebook and YouTube pages.

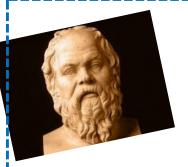
Click on the link to hear the Walsingham House youth team explain what it's all about

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nc1d0MUZPpM



Prayer for Vocations!

https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2020-03/pope-francis-sends-message-for-world-day-ofprayer-for-vocations.html



Classics Corner



What is Classics?

'Classics' refers to the study of the languages, literatures, art and history of the societies of the ancient Western/European world, together with their influence on later periods and cultures right up to the present day across the world. It is one of the most varied and interdisciplinary of all subjects and can include literature, history, philosophy, art and archaeology.

So, each newsletter I will post you a fantastic video introducing you to some of the greatest ancient and classical minds of all time! They may be long gone, but they often point the way. If you study Philosophy and Ethics at 6th Form and beyond, you will definitely meet these people.

To kick things off, meet Plato and his Allegory of the Cave. How does our world compare to this clever model? Does it shake the foundations of the world we live in and have made today – if so, so what?!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SWIUKJIMge4&list=PLwxNMb28XmpeypJMHfNbJ4RAFk RtmAN3P&index=3&t=0s

Enjoy, and I would love to hear your thoughts Mr Pauro – npauro@allsaintschool.co.uk

Art and Design

FAMILY FUN!

You are challenged to recreate famous artworks at home! Every week will be a new Artist.

This week you are challenged to Choose one your favourite work of art works by Frida Kahlo.

Use the things from your house to recreate it.

Then, take a picture and send to Jbunce@allsaintsschool.co.uk

Who is Frida Karlo?

She is a Mexican painter best known for her uncompromising and brilliantly coloured self-portraits that deal with such themes as identity, the human body, and death.













Aresson Design a Bat Competition 2020

The perfect competition for your pupils to do at home

DESIGN A BAT P.E COMPETITION

What a great PE competition! Can you design your dream rounders bat (cross curricular DT here!) and create a poster showcasing a rounders warm up or skill practice that can be done at home? The winner gets their bat painted with their design plus a Vision X bat and ball pack. Closing date 3rd July!

https://www.roundersengland.co.uk/stayhome-activities/design-a-bat-competition-2020/

DT challenge!







SAVE MY EXAMS: GET THE MOST FROM YOUR REVISION

Finding relevant information and resources online is sometimes overwhelming. Do you need support? Save my exams is making available topic questions, past papers, model answers & revision notes for several subjects. Check the website link!

https://www.savemyexams.co.uk/



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HOME LEARNING SUPPORTING PARENTS



HODDER EDUCATION

Hodder Education Parent Hub is helping with home learning during school closures by providing free resource to support parents, carers and students with everything from home learning to preparing for next year.



On the website you will be able to find home learning tips, materials, free content, jargon-busters and handy hints to ensure you and your child feel confident and prepared studying at home.

https://www.hoddereducation.co.uk/parent-hub

Maths Challenge

93% can't find the right answer! Can you?

Can you solve this?

An insurance salesman walk up to house and knocks on the door. A woman answers, and he asks her how many children she has and how old they are.

She says I will give you a hint. If you multiply the 3 children's ages, you get 36. He says this is not enough information.

So she gives a him 2nd hint. If you add up the children's ages, the sum is the number on the house next door. He goes next door and looks at the house number and says this is still not enough information.

So she says she'll give him one last hint which is that her oldest of the 3 plays piano.



The insurance salesman finally works out their ages... can you?

French family challenge. Can you guess the fairy tale?

Les deux enfants virent que la maison était faite de pain, que le toit était fait de gâteaux et les fenêtres de sucre.

— Voilà, on peut s'installer, dit le garçon, et on peut manger un bon repas. Je veux bien manger un morceau de toit, tu peux manger la fenêtre, c'est sucré. Sa sœur monta sur le toit et ramena un peu du toit pour le goûter, tandis que le frère se tenait près de la fenêtre et la grignotait.

Il était une fois un gentilhomme qui épousa, en secondes noces, une femme, la plus méchante et la plus fière. Elle avait deux filles comme elle qui lui ressemblaient beaucoup. Le mari avait aussi une jeune fille, mais elle était très gentille et douce. Après le mariage la belle-mère commença à être très méchante avec sa belle-fille. Elle lui faisait faire la vaisselle, le ménage, la cuisine et l'obligeait à dormir dans le grenier avec les souris.

Enfin la Reine et le roi eurent une petite fille.

Dans le château on fit un beau baptême pour célébrer la naissance de la petite fille. On donna pour marraines à la petite

Princesse toutes les Fées qu'on pût trouver dans le pays et chacune lui fit un don, comme c'était la coutume des Fées. La Princesse eût par ce moyen toutes les perfections imaginables.

MR PAURO'S YOUTUBE JUKEBOX

Hi all! Some tunes that sum up the times, make you think and hopefully some that give us all hope and a cheer!

The Rolling Stones - Living In A Ghost Town
 https://www.youtube.com/watch?time continue=6&v=LNNPNweSbp8&feature=emb_ti

- Leonard Cohen Anthem https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6wRYjtvIYK0
- U2 Song for Someone <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RFjcd_d2PhY</u>
- Louis Armstrong We Have All The Time In The World https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RMxRDTfzgpU
- Lionel Richie Dancing On The Ceiling https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ovo6zwv6DX4



Greetings from ASCS Performing Arts Department

There is a real concern about the future of theatre due to Corona Virus. If you are missing the act of theatre – here are a couple of ideas from the Performing Arts Department.



The National Theatre have allowed Secondary School students and families access to their archives.

Here's how you login (Laptop/Smart TV/Computer/I-Pad):

https://www.dramaonlinelibrary.com/series/national-theatre-collection-iid-190464

Username: 7Pw/0Ja/ Password: 3Zf(1Xz\$

Mr. Thorn's Top Picks:

- One Man, Two Guvnors a hilarious slapstick show based on characters from Commedia De'll Arte
- Peter Pan Gorgeous puppetry and exciting visuals throughout
- Frankenstein More adult themes, however, awesome concept with Johnny Lee- Miller and Benedict Cumberbatch in interchangeable roles as 'Dr. Frankenstein' and 'The Creature' – both versions available in the database.



There is also a tricky <u>quiz</u> hosted by acting heavyweights **Helen Mirren**, **Sir Lenny Henry**, **Lesley Manville** and **Sir Ian McKellen**. Good luck – it's a brain workout! Available at: https://www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/



Local Barking & Dagenham arts base and friend of All Saints, **Studio 3 Arts**, have been running a stay at home programme **#S3AatHome** which you may like to check out - http://www.studio3arts.org.uk/

They are providing an exciting mix of singing, theatre, youth clubs and Samba workshops with a different focus every evening. Check out the full timetable here:

https://static1.squarespace.com/static/54fefbf2e4b034b7a7fd0a7f/t/5ea1944c5449eb21b82f0c44/15876 47566349/Whats On Studio3Arts.pdf

Finally, superb theatre providers **Digital Theatre** + have been creating a series of interviews with top theatre creatives – The first one of which was with Musical Theatre legend and Blood Brothers creator **Willy Russell**. Episode 2 also just released – check them out!



https://www.facebook.com/DigitalTheatrePlus/videos/master-cast-episode-1-making-ideas-

real/875361296272006/? so =permalink& rv =related videos

We look forward to having our wonderful actors, musicians, singers and dancers return to us soon.

Mr. Thorn & Ms. Hogan - Performing Arts Department

Spanish family challenge solutions

How many did you get right?



First Time Baker

CHEESE AND PICKLE PUFFS

- One sheet ready-rolled puff pastry
- 150g cheddar, large cubes
- 4 tbsp Branston smooth pickle (or brown pickle)
- 2 eggs, whisked
- 1 tsp white sesame (optional)
- Preheat a fan oven to 170C (Gas mark 4)
- Lightly flour a work surface and lay out the puff pastry sheet and slice into 3 equal rectangles.
- Along the left side of each place blobs of smooth pickle 2cm apart.
- Place cubes of cheese on top of each blob.
- On the opposite side of the pastry, brush the edge with the whisked egg and fold the pastry
 over the top of the cheese cubes and carefully press the pastry together along the edge and
 between each cube.
- Take a pastry cutter and cut along the top edge and between each cube to form individual squares. (Like ravioli).
- Use a fork to gently crimp around the edges of each square, this will help to seal them.
- Brush the outside of the pastry with the remaining egg-wash and top with sesame seeds (if using)
- Place the puffs on a greased or lined baking tray and place in the oven for 20 minutes until golden crisp and melted in the middle.

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