



St Alban's C of E Aided Primary School  
Inspired to make a difference in God's world with excellence and love

# WEEKLY BULLETIN

## 2ND MAY 2025

### Lunchtime Activities

Dear Parents/carers,

What a glorious week of weather! The children have thoroughly enjoyed eating their lunch on the field and playing on the field each break time. Long may the glorious weather continue!

Welcome to Mr Ben Evetts who joins our staffing team. He is taking a sports club twice a week and during each lunchtime he is leading active games for a different year group each day. The LSAs are also supporting our whole school drive for more active break times by leading small activities and games using equipment each lunch time.

### What's In This Week's Issue?

- Lunchtime Activities
- Sunshine reminders.
- Request from Year R
- Celebrations
- School Governor Position Update
- VE Day
- Shoes!
- Collective Worship
- Reminders

### Sunshine Reminders

Even on cloudy days, the UV level is high at this time of year, so please ensure:

- Your child has a hat to wear during break times. This *does not* need to be one with a school logo
- Suncream is applied before your child comes to school
- Your child brings a full water bottle to school each day. Please refrain from using expensive water bottles such as 'air up' bottles; water bottles have a habit of being lost and these ones are incredibly expensive.
- Water bottles should only contain water and they should have a sports cap to prevent any major spillages

### Request from Year R

We would welcome any donations of loose parts. These can include, but are not limited to: corks, fir cones, shells, pebbles, buttons, cotton reels, old wooden spoons, old seeds, ribbon, feathers, dried flowers, cut off pieces of wood, willow baskets, different sized containers (buckets, coffee tins etc), pieces of material, fake grass cut-offs, pegs, tent pegs etc. Please hand these in at the school office. Many thanks for your continued support.

## Celebrations!

Headteacher Awards go to: Isla, Maggie, Hattie, Everlyn

Merit Awards go to:

YR: Aminah, Leo, Olivia

Y1: Henrik, Harry, James

Y2: Ruby, Everlyn, Leila, Jude

Y3: Elsie, Olivia, Millie

Y4: Jessica, Cruz, Shanuli

Y5: Year 5

Y6: Johnny, Charlie, Charlotte

Step Badges go to: Nadia, Ava, Nyah, Arnold, Fletcher, Caleb, Chloe, Hope

"A shout out to Hampshire Tree Services for the woodchip donation. We've been busy mulching our young trees and putting in pathways." #ForceForNature



## VE Day

On Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May, children can (if they wish) come to school in red, white and blue clothes, other than their school uniform. We will be discussing the importance of this historical day with the children and they will be able to celebrate through some simple activities in class.

## SCHOOL GOVERNOR POSITION UPDATE

The voting for the position of Parent Governor has now closed. We will let you know of the outcome once the candidates have been informed.

## SHOES

We are looking to create a second hand shoe store from shoes that children have grown out of but are still in good condition. If, when your child needs new school shoes, you think: 'These are still as good as new; someone else could wear these,' please drop them into us and they can be appreciated and worn some more by another child.

Thank you!

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## Collective Worship

This half term we are exploring the value of compassion. Simply put, this is 'love in action'. We will be looking at different stories from the bible that show compassion over the half term.

Follow the link to share this week's worship at home:

<https://www.stalbansprimaryschool.co.uk/collective-worship-2/>

Hoverflies like to bask in the sunshine, often sitting on a leaf. Year 1 made do with the field instead!

#WildAboutGardens



## Reminders for w.c. 5.5.25

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May is a Bank Holiday and the school is closed.

6.5.25 Y2 Chocolate Workshop

8.5.25 Y4 Presentation to parents

8.5.25 YR Trip to Staunton Farm

**HAPPINESS** is seeing the **SMILE** on a child's **FACE** as they **LEARN**

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