

Halam Church of England Primary School

Life in all its fullness

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Friday, 12 May

Dear Parents and Carers,

May I start with a huge "thank you" to the PTFA for arranging a wonderful end of SATs week – the ice-cream van visited school at playtime this afternoon! (Check out our Twitter feed at @HalamSchool for a super photo)



Cherry Class: Alfie doing really well and making a super effort in spelling.

Billy for doing a super sketch of the church.

Maple Class: Oliver for being a very smiley, happy person!

Matilda for writing a brilliant newspaper article on "Funny Bones".

Oak Class: Millie for lovely artwork, she took real care when painting "Queue at the Fish

Shop" by Evelyn Dunbar.

Emily for super science work (air resistance).

Head Team Award: Leo for great work and concentration in SATs.

Lunchtime "Good Manners" Awards: Jasmine and Jack Best attendance last week: Maple Class (100%!!!!!!!)

Housepoints:

First = **Ruby** (35 points) **Emerald** (35 points)

Third - **Sapphire** (28 points)

Certificates from Home:

Erin & Rose – silver awards for sparring in Taekwondo India B – level 8 in Gymnastics (bar) Sienna – "gymnast of the month"



Happy Birthday this week to: Paige, Scarlett, Brooke & Edward E

Dates for the diary

Friday, 12 May PTFA Film Night

Tuesday, 16 May Class & Leavers' Photographs **Thursday, 18 May** Road Safety Team in school

Magical Maths Assembly

Monday, 22 May last Art Club

Friday, 26 May break up for the half term holiday

Monday, 5 June school closed to pupils for an INSET Day school reopens for pupils

Bag2School collection

Thursday, 8 June Oak Class visit to the Holocaust Centre

Monday, 12 June Y6 Residential visit (return on Wednesday, 14 June)

Tuesday, 13 June Cherry Class, Maple Class & Y5 visit to Skegness (more information to follow)

Friday, 23 June Oak Class visit to the Hallé Orchestra

Monday, 3 July Transition Day Thursday, 13 July Sports Day

Thursday, 20 July Reserve Sports Day

Friday, 21 July children break up for Summer school closed to pupils for INSET school closed to pupils for INSET



Sun Safety

Now that the weather is getting warmer, please can the children bring a sunhat to school. If they need to bring suncream to school please make sure that the bottle is clearly labelled, this should be handed to the class teacher. We are happy to help the younger children apply suncream if necessary.



Y6 Leavers' Hoodies

The Y6 Leavers' Hoodies will be handed out on Tuesday, ready for the Leavers' photograph. The children will then be able to wear their hoodies on the Y6 residential visit, and may wear them to school after that.

Finally, thank you to everyone who has supported our film night this evening, I can hear the strains of "Sing 2" as I type!

Thank you for your continued support,

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