



*Christ is our light*

All Souls' Catholic  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

11<sup>th</sup> April 2025

# NEWSLETTER

## Welcome, Mr Frost!

We are pleased to welcome our new Site Services Officer - Mr Frost - to our All Souls' community! He is already very busy working on lots of jobs around the school site; please do say hello if you see him!



## If you're running late...

We have a statutory obligation to confirm why a child is not on the school site. To support us with this, we would be grateful if you could message via Studybugs or call the office to advise us if you will not be here by 8:45am and the reason. This allows us to keep accurate real time attendance records and ensure the relevant staff are aware.



## 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary VE Day Celebrations

On Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May, there will be celebrations held across the country to mark the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE day. Further details of our plans will be released shortly; however, we can confirm that children may wear red, white and blue on this day to mark the occasion. They may also wear 1940s themed outfits if you already have appropriate items at home! [#VEHAPPY](#)

## All Souls Toddler Group

We are pleased to share details of the All Souls Toddler Group – providing hot and cold drinks and fruit for the little ones, as well as simple crafts, toys, games and singing to finish.

Venue: All Souls Church Day and time: Monday from 10am to 11:30am

Cost: Parent/carer with a child over six months £2 Parent/carer with a child under six months £1.50  
Each additional child 50p There is no need to book – just turn up!



## A huge thank you!

Mrs Jilks and Mrs McCloskey, our Nursery team, would like to express their sincere thanks to all those who purchased Easter egg raffle tickets. This fundraising, along with a generous donation from the School Council, has allowed them to purchase a fabulous new water bench for their outdoor area. We look forward to it being delivered within the next few weeks. It will be a great addition to the Nursery outdoor area and something that will get plenty of use during the Summer term. Thank you, as always, for your generosity.



# Easter Holiday Activity Timetable



## Looking for fun activities to enjoy with your family this Easter?

**Coventry Family Hubs are hosting a range of free activities for children of all ages during the school holidays. From crafts and games to outdoor adventures, there's something for everyone!**

**The FUN & FREE activities include:**

- **Baby and Me:** Special sessions for babies (up to 2 years) to explore and develop new skills while parents connect.
- **Pop-up in the Park:** outdoor fun with physical play and games for all the family
- **Spring Time Family Sessions:** enjoy activities such as planting, Easter cooking, minibeast hunting and Spring-themed crafts
- **Go Walks:** Join us to trial our new walks from each of the Family Hubs and get to learn more about your local area.

**SCAN FOR FULL TIMETABLES**



### For more information

Visit [www.coventryfamilies.co.uk](http://www.coventryfamilies.co.uk), scan the QR code for full timetable details or email [earlyhelp@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:earlyhelp@coventry.gov.uk)



# SPORTS NEWS

On Wednesday, March 26th, 25 students competed in the County Sports Hall Athletics Competition in Solihull. Throughout the morning, they participated in a range of track and field events, going head-to-head with seven other schools from Coventry, Warwickshire, and Solihull. The children gave an outstanding performance, finishing in 3rd place overall. A superb effort from everyone!

On Thursday, March 27th, students from Year 5 and 6 participated in an exciting American Football tournament at the Alan Higgs Centre. Throughout the morning, they played five games, winning four and narrowly losing one. Their fantastic performance earned them 2nd place overall, securing a spot in the regional finals after half term. Well done to everyone for their outstanding effort!

The Year 3 and 4 girls took part in their penultimate football tournament of the year, facing off against three other strong schools. While they didn't win any of their matches, they secured a well-earned draw and played exceptionally well throughout. The final tournament is next month—good luck to the team!

Year 5 and 6 girls played a football tournament on Wednesday 2nd April and then a game against St Thomas More on Thursday 10th April. Unfortunately, although they didn't make it out of the group stage in the tournament, they played extremely well. The game against St Thomas was an end to end battle that with everyone contributing to a superb team performance. The game ended 2 all with Millie from Year 6 being nominated the player of the match. Ten Year 2 students participated in a gymnastics competition at Tribe, showcasing their hard work and dedication. Under the guidance of Miss Jade, the children have been diligently practicing their floor and vault routines over the past few weeks, and their efforts truly paid off. Their outstanding performances resulted in an impressive overall team score of 97.8 out of a possible 100, securing a well-deserved third place. This achievement reflects their commitment, teamwork, and enthusiasm. Congratulations to all the participants on a fantastic effort!

On Wednesday 9th April, our Year 5 and 6 team faced Aldermoor Farm in a gripping third-round cup tie. The match was packed with drama from the first whistle to the last. All Souls held a narrow 2-1 lead with just two seconds remaining, only for Aldermoor Farm to snatch a dramatic equaliser and force extra time. Despite a valiant effort, we conceded a late goal in extra time, resulting in a hard-fought 3-2 loss. It was an incredibly close contest that could have gone either way—an unlucky result for our team, who showed great determination and spirit throughout.

## Coventry Children's Mile 2025

If you would like your child to take part in the Coventry Children's Mile on Sunday 22nd June at the War Memorial Park, please ensure you book and select your child's T-shirt size via Pay360 (under 'Events'). This is a great event where All Souls can really come together with their friends, family and staff. The cost for entering is £10 per child. T-shirt sizes range from 3/4 to 14/15. Payments can be made via School Gateway – please use the comment box to confirm your preferred T-shirt size. Please note that the school is required to pay up front for the T-shirts so no refunds can be given in the result of you not attending on the day. We hope to see you there!

## UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date	Year	Event
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	All Year 3	School reopens    Whole school mass (9:30am) First Holy Communion Sacramental Prep
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	All	SCHOOL CLOSED (bank holiday)
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 1 & Year 5	Class mass (9:30am)
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	All	VE Day celebrations – wear red/white/blue



PERFORMING AT KING HENRY VIII SCHOOL

YEAR 6 PROUDLY PRESENT

SUPPORTED BY YEAR 5

15TH-16TH JULY

7:00PM

**TICKET PRICE**

£5.00 PER ADULT

£2.50 PER CHILD

TICKET INCLUDES  
ONE SOFT DRINK



# OLIVIA!

THE MUSICAL

BY MALCOLM SIRCOM

TICKETS ON SALE SOON VIA SCHOOL GATEWAY



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# TERM DATES: 2025-2026

September 2025

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April 2026

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May 2026

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June 2026

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July 2026

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Term time



Holiday



Bank holiday



Teacher training



Secondary Induction  
Day

