



**Bodsham Church of England  
Primary School**

**Federation  
of**



**Saltwood Church of England  
Primary School**



In the story of the Ten Lepers, only one person comes back to thank Jesus after being healed *Luke 17v11-19*. What things might your child be taking for granted? How could they say thank you to God?

5<sup>th</sup> July 2019

### Teaching Arrangements for September 2019

I'm very pleased to say that our fantastic teaching team remains largely unchanged next year!

	Teacher	Teaching Assistant(s)
Class R	Mrs Ongley	Mrs Lightfoot Mrs White
Class 1	Mrs Rock	Mrs Housden
Class 2	Miss Ashman (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri) Mrs Richardson (Wed)	Mrs Hawkes Mrs Marwood
Class 3	Mrs Richardson (Mon, Tues) Mrs Wakelin (Wed, Thu, Fri)	Mrs Lunn
Class 4	Mr Hunt	Miss Preston Mrs Marwood Mrs Boakes
Class 5	Mr Burrows	Mrs Butler
Class 6	Mr Thomas Mrs B Nash (Split classes Mon-Wed am)	Mrs Lipscombe

Mrs Boakes will also be providing pastoral support to all classes.

### Atlantic Avengers Tell Tales of the Sea

I was delighted to welcome Ricky and John to the school last week where they led a whole school assembly to talk about their amazing feat of rowing the Atlantic earlier this year. They brought in two massive oars to show the children (one intact and one snapped by a giant wave) and told the children what it was like to complete such an amazing challenge. It was clear that it wasn't easy, but in hearing their story our children were helped to think about how they can set about tackling problems that might seem impossible at first.



### A Fond Farewell

Parents will have probably heard the news that Rev McCaulay will be leaving our parish this summer to take on a new challenge in Leeds. I know our staff and children will miss him as he has always been a friendly and comforting presence in our school. We are planning to include him in our Leaver's Service on 19<sup>th</sup> July. If parents would like to contribute a note with their thoughts

about Stephen we will add it to the card we are planning to give him. Please send your messages to the School Office before 15<sup>th</sup> July. Thank you!

## Fantastic Fred Good For The Mind



You may have spotted a large pop-up classroom on the school field on Monday, as we were visited by the NHS Mental Health Matters team. Classes 1 to 6 each spent a session with Fantastic Fred and The Professor, learning how to take care of their mental health in a fun and informative way. The children commented on how much they enjoyed it whilst finding about how diet, exercise, sleep and the use of electronic devices can affect mental health. Hopefully you have had a chance to read through the leaflet sent home on Monday. Do ask the children to tell you all about it.

The Reading Agency and Libraries Present

# SPACE CHASE

Summer Reading Challenge 2019

This year's Summer Reading Challenge is Space Chase; an out-of-this-world adventure celebrating the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing. It's taking place in all Kent Libraries from 13 July until 14 September.

Your child can help our super space family, the Rockets, on a special mission - and have tons of fun along the way!

Sign up for the Challenge at your local library. Your child will be given a special mission folder to keep a record of their reading. Read at least six library books and collect stickers and rewards for every 2 books they read. They receive a certificate and a medal when they've read 6 books and completed the challenge. It's fun and totally free!

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## Summer Reading Challenge

The theme of this year's Summer Reading Challenge is the 50th anniversary of the Moon Landing. The children will be introduced to the challenge in a special assembly with a Kent librarian on Wednesday 10th July

## FEDERATION NEWS!

### Vacancy at Bodsham Church of England Primary School

#### **Breakfast Club Manager – September 2019**

**Hours:** 7.30am to 8.45am Monday to Friday, term time only  
**Salary:** Kent Range 2 - £160 pcm approx.

Would you like to work in a small, family friendly primary school providing a vital service to working parents and carers? Our Breakfast Club is very popular with parents and children alike. Your role would be to provide the children with a hearty but healthy breakfast and set out some engaging games and activities for them to choose from before school starts.

You will work closely with school staff to ensure we meet the needs of all our customers and send our happy and well behaved children off to class ready to start their day. Food hygiene training will be provided. Free places at the Breakfast Club would be offered to the children of the successful candidate!

For more information please contact us directly on 01233 750374 or [admin@bodsham.kent.sch.uk](mailto:admin@bodsham.kent.sch.uk)

Bodsham CEP Summer Fair  
this Saturday – all welcome  
11am – 4pm

### Summer Fair Programme

- 12:00 – Bodsham school choir
- 1:00 – Reading and Book signing with Andrew Clover, author of 'Rory Branagan'
- 2:00 – Performance by Emily Balmer School of dance
- 3:00 – Storytime session with Stacy Bax, author of 'Sydney Spider'
- 3:30 – Raffle drawn

## SALTWOOD DIARY DATES

Terms 6

2018-2019

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019

<b>JULY</b>	
2nd	Yr 3 & 4 Kwik Cricket 10am-12 Saltwood Cricket Club
5th	Year R Trip to Wildwood
9th	Year 6 Show
10th	District Sports 4 – 6.30pm
15th	Year 1 Trip to Postling
15th	Year 5 Trip to Dymchurch
15th	Parent Drop In Sessions 3.30-5.00pm
16th	Parent Drop In Sessions 3.30-5.00pm
16 <sup>th</sup>	Class Swaps
18th	No Year 6 Swimming
19th	Leavers' Service 9.30am (Church)
19th	End of Term 6