

Family Updates Newsletter

Learning Together, Achieving Together

Friday 28th April 2023

Head Teacher's Welcome

A huge well done and congratulations to the Duke of Edinburgh students who walked 7 miles and then braved the weather to camp at school overnight. The resilience, leadership skills and friendship shown has been exemplary throughout. The St Andrew's curriculum offer is built upon opportunities to learn and develop in the community and exploring outdoor environments. From speaking with the young people, it's clear that this is something that is meaningful, motivational and enjoyed by all.

I wish you a wonderful upcoming two Bank Holiday Mondays. We have some exciting plans to celebrate the upcoming King's Coronation which we will share as they happen. Should you want any learning or activities for your young person during the two Bank Holidays, please do contact your class team to collaborate.

Have a safe and restful weekend,

David Braybrooke

Headteacher

Important Dates—Summer Term

Bank Holiday—Monday 1st May

Bank Holiday—Monday 8th May

Half Term—29th May—2nd June

Last Day of Term—Friday 21st July



Lewis Class

Lewis Class have had a busy and exciting week! On Tuesday we made homemade pizzas and rice crispie cakes in our meal prep lessons. The students took their time spreading tomato sauce on the base and then choosing what toppings they wanted on their pizzas. One of our students said it was the "best pizza ever."









On Wednesday, we went to the Museum of Making in Derby. All our students walked down to the bus stop, and were constantly checking the time for when the bus would arrive. Unfortunately the bus was running late but the students were really patient and when the bus finally arrived, they all got on sensibly and were very polite to the bus driver when paying for their bus ticket. Everyone really enjoyed the museum and found it very informative and lots of fun (including the

staff)

Charlotte, Georgina & Gail were all so proud of all the students and we all can't wait to go out on the bus again.







Bute Class





On Wednesday, we took a trip to Derby Museum of Making. We caught the bus into Derby city centre with support.

It was a fantastic opportunity to develop a knowledge of what had been invented during the 20th Century, naming some inventors and recognising their inventions. We learned about how these inventions have changed the way people live and investigated how inventors developed their ideas and tested them. This celebrated Derby's rich history of innovation and is widely regarded as the site of the world's first factory









Coronation Celebration!



ST ANDREW'S GARDEN PARTY CORONATION CELEBRATION! FRIDAY 5TH MAY

St Andrew's will be celebrating the King's Coronation next Friday 5th May.

Dress code is red, white and blue or anything fancy!

Students will be creating their own crowns or party hats - if you have any crafting materials or anything recyclable you are able to send in to help make these, it would be greatly appreciated.

We will also be having a tea party-students will be making their own food as part of meal preparation. If your child has a school lunch, the cost of this will go towards the meal prep. If your child normally brings a packed lunch they will still be able to have this on the day.

Here's to a fun-filled day of activities, and hopefully good weather!



Campus Bring and Buy Sale

FUNDRAISER FOR A NEW SIGN AT COLLEGE CAMPUS



Poster designed by Josh, year 12

Residential



It was the Big Night In vs Big Night Out in residential this week. The Monday/Tuesday group enjoyed a delicious takeaway delivery courtesy of Gowara on London Road.

The Wednesday/ Thursday group had an amazing time watching the new Super Mario Bros Movie at the fantastic Scala Cinema in Ilkeston.







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