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*'Loving God in all we do'*

Friday 12th May

Dear parents and carers,

I hope all our families had a wonderful Bank Holiday to celebrate the King's Coronation. The events held in school to celebrate the Coronation were fantastic with all children really enjoying taking part. Thanks to Mr Batchelor and all the 'Young Historians' who led a thoughtful and engaging assembly prior to the 'Big Picnic'.

### Key Stage 2 - School Dinner Update

Last half-term, the Young School Leaders gathered your thoughts on an idea to make school dinners better at St Anne's and the outcome was that families in Key Stage 2 wish to be able to pre-order school dinners.

Therefore the decision had been taken to move to a system where children and families pre-book their school dinner. The current system for school dinners will continue until the June half-term holidays.

The following important information is provided to help make the transition as smooth as possible.

### Key Information

- The first day for KS2 children to choose their meal preference will be **Monday 5th June**. This is the first Monday after the May half-term holidays.
- The new booking system runs on a **credit balance only**. This is important as any school dinner money arrears will need to be paid prior to you being able to book your child's meal options.
- **The system is now live.** Please log into your account to enable the office staff to help should you have any difficulties.

### Instructions

#### Pre booking for KS2 meals starts 5th June on week 1 on the menu.

1. Log into your Scopay account.
2. There must be credit on your dinner account to enable you to pre book your child's meals.
3. Click on order meals.
4. The dinner menu is available to view by clicking on the attachments link.
5. You will need to book your child's meals **10 days** in advance to enable the kitchen to order stock. Therefore you must place your order by the Friday for a meal a week on Monday e.g. Book by Friday 26th May for meals commencing Monday 5th June, book by Friday 2nd of June for meals commencing Monday 12th June etc.
6. Meals may be booked in advance for longer than one week e.g. monthly, half-termly etc.
7. Use the codes E, F or G correlating to the choice you have made for each day your child requires a meal.

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### Wednesday 17th May – Open Classroom Celebration

Parents and children are invited into school between 3.30pm to 4.30pm on Wednesday 17th May to share and celebrate the children's classwork. The idea is that children and parents sit together to enable the child to share the work they are most proud of in their class books. Teachers will be in the classrooms to welcome children and parents. It would be wonderful for as many parents and children to attend as possible.

### Sports Days

Sports Days – Following the success of previous years, we will continue with the same planned approach. Sports days will take place in the afternoon with starting times communicated nearer the date. Please see table below:

<b>Year groups</b>	<b>Planned date</b>	<b>Reserve date</b>
Nursery and Reception	Monday 26th June	Monday 3rd July
Year 1 and Year 2	Tuesday 27th June	Tuesday 4th July
Year 3 and Year 4	Wednesday 28th June	Wednesday 5th July
Year 5 and Year 6	Thursday 29th June	Thursday 6th July

### Year 6 SATs

Finally, a huge well done to all our children in Year 6 who have completed their Year 6 SATs exams this week. We are all very proud of you and we know you have tried your very best.

### Year 5 Camping Expedition

Year 5 completed their Camping Expedition last Thursday and Friday. The children were amazing. All staff commented on what an absolute pleasure the two days had been working with the Year 5 children. Many thanks to the numerous kind messages parents have sent into school. We are all very proud of every single child who worked together to make this trip a wonderful success. It is important to remember all the work Mr Knowles and Miss Disley completed in the months leading up to this trip to ensure its success.

Best wishes,

Mr P Bates

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