St Anne's Weekly Newsletter - 23-24 - week 7



Our weekly newsletter is sent out at the start of each week with all the important updates from school with all the information to keep our parents and families up to date.

If any parents would like a paper version of the newsletter or any documents included, please speak to the main office.

How can I contribute to the school newsletter?

We are happy to share information that may be useful to our school community. Parents and families should contact the main office to do this.

Overview of updates for this week: 16.10.23



Our news for this week:

- Dates
- Parents/ Carers Evening
- Picture News

- Respectful Relationships and Behaviour Management Policy
- Reading Breakfast
- Religious Education
- Father Glover
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- School Uniform
- Free School Meals
- Updating contact details
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Dates:

Reading Breakfast dates - see below link

- 20.10.23 Harvest Mass & Celebration of Father Glover
- 20.10.23 Own clothes day Donations to Save The Children
- 21.10.23 Half term
- 01.11.23 Day of the Dead
- 08.11.23 Parents/ Carers Evening
- 10.11.23 Inset Day SCHOOL CLOSED TO CHILDREN
- 12.11.23 Diwali festival
- 13.11.23 Anti-Bullying Week
- 27.11.23 Judaism Week linked with our World Faiths
- 06.12.23 Open Afternoon sharing our learning
- 15.12.23 Christmas Dinner Day
- 20.12.23 Christmas Party morning children allowed to wear own clothes
- 20.12.23 Last morning in school before the Christmas Holidays we finish at 1pm

Parents/ Carers Evening:

We would firstly like to apologise for the back and forth messages regarding Wednesday 8th.

Miss Garside is working hard on the booking forms and these will be shared this week before the half term break.

Parents/ Carers Evening will run from 2pm - 6pm on Wednesday 8th.

These meetings are not for children.

Meetings will be 10 minutes each.

On the form that will be sent out this week for your child's class, we ask that if you have anything in particular you would like to discuss, it is logged ahead of the meeting with the class teacher.

Picture News:

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Reading Breakfast:

Over this Autumn term we will be holding reading breakfasts for each year group. Year 1-6 will take place in the hall, whilst Reception & Nursery will take place in the Early Years Environments.

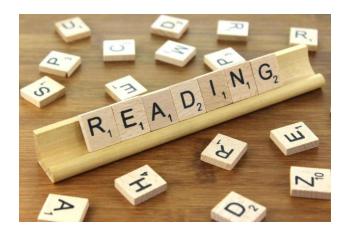
This is a wonderful opportunity for you to read with your child whilst enjoying some (free) breakfast.

The sessions will take place 8:45-9:15am, please take your child to class first then parents/carers are to enter through the main office.

If you will be attending please complete the below form.

Thank you

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Religious Education:

The children have had a fantastic start to their faith journey this year so far. There has been so much to celebrate already. The children have already enjoyed learning about the Caritas themes surrounding 'Dignity and the Human Person' and 'Family and Community'. They have learned about St Francis and the important messages from Laudato Si. This week the GIFT team will come together to create an action plan about how they can put their faith in action in school, the local community and the wider world. Staff also came together last week to share ideas of how we can bring our faith alive for our children and to celebrate the wonderful learning that is happening across school.

If you would like to know more about Laudato Si you can watch a short family friendly animation that explains it quite plainly.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KOgF2Kgel6k

The Gospel Value for October is 'Nurture' -

We support each other in developing new friendships and skills.

Dear Lord,

God of nurture and care, You seek to gather us together You seek to be our refuge in times of trouble. May we find peace in your love and guidance as you nurture us and grow in faith,

Amen

A Reading from the Holy Gospel for this coming Sunday 22th October

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Matthew 22:15-21

Paying the Imperial Tax to Caesar

15 Then the Pharisees went out and laid plans to trap him in his words. 16 They sent their disciples to him along with the Herodians. "Teacher," they said, "we know that you are a man of integrity and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. You aren't swayed by others, because you pay no attention to who they are. 17 Tell us then, what is your opinion? Is it right to pay the imperial tax[a] to Caesar or not?"

18 But Jesus, knowing their evil intent, said, "You hypocrites, why are you trying to trap me? **19** Show me the coin used for paying the tax." They brought him a denarius, **20** and he asked them, "Whose image is this? And whose inscription?"

21 "Caesar's," they replied.

Then he said to them, "So give back to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's."

Feast Days and notable events this week:

October - BLACK HISTORY MONTH

16th World Food Day

17th International Day for the Eradication of Poverty.

18th St Luke, Evangelist

22nd St John Paul II

22nd World Mission











Father Glover:

We would like to welcome our parish community to come together on Friday 20th October to gives thanks and celebration Father Glover.

Father Glover is due to say his goodbyes to the parish & school community at the end of October and we couldn't allow him to leave without a few words, prayers and cake.

Children will be at Mass on the 20th October and we welcome parents and families to join - 9.15am

There is then an open invite for people to join us at school for coffee and cake.



Social Media:



At St Anne's we use Twitter, Facebook and Instagram. We use the social media platforms to communicate with our parents and the wider community. We share regular updates and information about what is going on in school. We also share children's learning on a weekly basis.

Have you followed our accounts?

Twitter - @Stannecrumpsall

Facebook page - @AnnesCrumpsall

Instagram - stannescrumpsall

Safeguarding:

Please see attached the Parent Friendly Safeguarding Policy & Safeguarding Poster. 4

All key polices can be found via our website. Some are due for update this month.

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Attendance:



See below attendance figures for last week, Well Done to 5WO for achieving the best attendance last week.

Nursery - 81.9%

Reception H - 88.9%

Reception MC - 83.5%

Y 1C - 94%

Y 1S - 96.8%

Y 20 - 96.8%

Y 2HR - 95%

Y 3C - 86.4%

Y 3K - 95.8%

Y 4J - 97.2%

Y 4WD - 96.6%

Y 5WO - 97.9%

Y 6B - 93.2%

Y 6WI - 96.7%

If your child is not going to be able to come to school for any reason it is important that you let us know.

There are a number of ways to do this

- 1. Report your child's absence using the Parentsapps
- 2. Telephone school

We may require evidence of the reasons for your child being absent (such as an appointment card / letter from your doctor) but please speak to a member of staff about your child's absence and we can let you know if we require any further evidence.

Punctuality

Please ensure that children are on time for school. The gates close at 8.50am and all children are expected to be in class and registered by 8.55am. If your child is later than 8.50am they will receive a L (late) mark. If your child is later than 9.20am they will receive a U (unauthorised) mark.

Latecomers cause disruption for pupils and teachers, and learning time is lost. All latecomers are recorded in a 'Late register' in the main entrance. Children should be collected punctually by a responsible adult (over the age of 16) at the time their class finishes. When children are not collected on time, they will wait in after school club and you will be charged for the session.

Free School Meals:



Eligibility is based on one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods)
- Income Support

- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Click on the link to see if you're eligible:

https://www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims/apply

Updating Contact details:



It is really important that we have the most up to date details for us to be able to contact you - this makes sure that if there is an emergency or your child is not too well then we can get in touch with you or with someone that you have nominated to be able to care for your child in an emergency.

This also makes sure that we are sending out any letters / updates / newsletters to the correct email address.

Please make contact with the office if you feel your details need changing.

Contact us:



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