

St Anne's Weekly Newsletter - 23-24 - week 10



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.

Overview of updates for this week: 20.11.23

Our news for this week:

- Dates
- Fundraising and Donations
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Dates:

23.11.23 - Rock Kidz

27.11.23 - Judaism Week - linked with our World Faiths

30.11.23 - Early Years Open Day - Reception

30.11.23 - SEND Workshop and Coffee for parents - 2.30pm

05.12.23 - Motor Skills Workshop - Nursery

06.12.23 - Open Afternoon - sharing our learning

07.12.23 - Christmas Jumper Day/ Party clothes day - Save the Children

08.12.23 - In school - Panto for EYFS & KS1

12.12.23 - EYFS Nativity - more information to follow

13.12.23 - KS1 nativity - more information to follow

15.12.23 - Christmas Dinner Day

19.12.23 - KS2 Christmas Carol - more information to follow

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

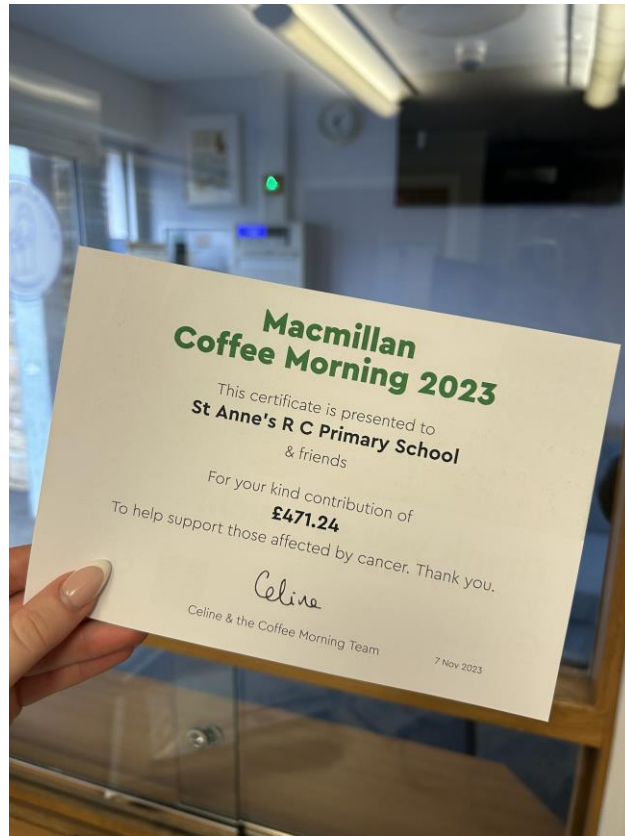
Fundraising and donations:

Macmillan Coffee Morning - £471.24

Save the Children - £307.13

We are currently fundraising for Cancer Research - money donations can be given to the main office.

We are having a Christmas Jumper Day or for those who don't celebrate Christmas - party clothes, for Save the Children on the 07.12.23.



Rock Kidz:



Have you heard the news?

Rock Kidz is officially coming to your child's school on the 23rd November to deliver the most exciting rock 'n' roll workshops in the UK!

Throughout the school day we'll be transforming the whole school into Rockstars and inspiring them to be the best they can be. Our experienced team will be teaching one of our key messages such as self-esteem, anti-bullying, aspirations and inclusion through our unique Rock Kidz songs.

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Open Afternoon 06.12.23:

We are having our termly open afternoon for parents on the 06.12.23.

Please sign up to a half hour slot to see your child's learning.

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Winter Hats:

We have had lovely feedback from parents and children. It's great to see the children using the hats.

If your child hasn't received a hat yet, please check with the class teacher and main office.

These hats are free to St Anne's children and staff.

We would like to invite parents, staff and families to give a donation towards Cancer Research for a hat. Money donations can be handed into the main office.



Picture News:

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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

Religious Education:

Developing knowledge and understanding

Autumn 2 has been very busy and the children have been given many opportunities to develop their knowledge and understanding of the Catholic faith as well as develop a wider understanding and respect for other faiths.

Already this half term we have learned about Baptism and how we are welcomed into God's family, The Day of the Dead and last week Diwali, with our incredibly successful Diwali Party on Friday.

What a wonderful end to the week! Children have enjoyed taking part in many Diwali craft activities, food tasting opportunities and a Bollywood dance session. It has been a memorable experience for all. Please have a look at some more photos on our social media pages.

This week we continue our learning as we focus on Catholic social teaching, 'Solidarity and the Common Good'.

The Gospel Value for November is 'Patience' –

We have patience with one another and help each other to develop.

Lord, give me patience for today, so that I may overcome any difficult tasks ahead. Nothing is impossible with You by my side, and I pray that Your Holy Spirit showers me with grace and patience to see the end of the day with my head held high. I lift up everything to You Lord.

Amen.

A Reading from the Holy Gospel for this coming Sunday 26th November

Last Week of Ordinary Time - Christ the King.

Matthew 25: 31-46

The Sheep and the Goats

31 “When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. **32** All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. **33** He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left.

34 “Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. **35** For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, **36** I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.’

37 “Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? **38** When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? **39** When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?’

40 “The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’

41 “Then he will say to those on his left, ‘Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. **42** For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, **43** I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.’

44 “They also will answer, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?’

45 “He will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.’

46 “Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life.”

Feast Days and notable events this week:

19th World Toilet Day

20th Universal Children's Day.

21st Presentation of Mary

22nd St Cecilia

22nd Red Wednesday – highlighting Christian Persecution and Suffering.

24th World Youth Funday





Safeguarding:

Please see attached Parent and Carer Communication Policy

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Attendance:



See below attendance figures for last week of the half term.

Well Done to 4WD on achieving the best attendance.

Nursery - 78.9%

Reception H - 88.9%

Reception MC - 89.9%

Y 1C - 93.2%

Y 1S - 98.4%

Y 2O - 92.4%

Y 2HR - 90.7%

Y 3C - 92%

Y 3K - 96.5%

Y 4J - 96.6%

Y 4WD - 98.7%

Y 5WO - 96.2%

Y 5CK - 90%

Y 6B - 97.1%

Y 6WI - 98.7%

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.

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