



# St Anne's Catholic Primary School

*Living and working as Jesus taught us!*



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Headteacher: Mr. L Anderson



**Friday 22nd  
Decembre  
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## St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

### COVID-19 email for school

If there is an emergency out of normal school hours and you need to inform us of anything COVID related please email the school email address and [covid19@stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk](mailto:covid19@stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk)

### End of term message from Mr Anderson

Dear families,

The last few weeks at school have unfortunately been dominated by the rise in Covid-19 nationally, locally and in school. We have had a number of cases in school and each day has brought new challenges. Since Monday we have moved back into a bubble system and we will continue with this in January as we await updates from the Government in the next few weeks.

I am sure like all of our staff you will be looking forward to switching off and having a rest over the holidays. May I just take this opportunity, on behalf of our staff and governors, to wish you all a Happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year. A big thank you for all the gifts and kind words over the last few days and as a family (over the break) take some time to reflect on that first Christmas night and what a special night that was.

We have had lots of fun this week in school and Harry in Year 6 has written a few words about his week in school please be sure to read them.

Mr Anderson



Collective Worship focus when we return is: Special People

Our RE Focus: Loving

St Anne pray for us and our school. St Agnes pray for us and pray for our Parish.

*Our St Anne's Catholic Primary School child focus for the week ahead is: Independence*



A St Anne's child is: happy, respectful and confident.



## A message from Harry in Year 6

This week has been amazing! We have taken part in so many Christmas activities such as: arts and crafts, but the one I enjoyed the most was the Pantomime Cinderella. You may think that we are too old for it, but it was hilarious with everyone dancing and singing along. I do not think anyone in my class didn't laugh (I would recommend watching it). Our Christmas party was so much fun too. We played musical bumps; musical statues; watched a Christmas film; had a quiz; icebergs; corners and we even had a snowball fight. I would like to thank all of our teachers for making this happen and would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## Coat reminder

A reminder that coats worn for school should be plain red with no logos. You can purchase a school coats from the office at a cost of £22.

## Language of the Month

Each month we will have a focus on a different Language from around the world. Language of the Month for December is Lithuanian.

**Challenge: Why not learn colours in Lithuanian. You could upload your learning to Seesaw.**



Grey	Purple	Pink	Black	White	Green	Yellow	Red	Blue
Pilka	Violetinė	Rožinė	Juoda	Balta	Žalia	Geltona	Raudona	Mėlyna

## Extra Curricular Timetable—New Clubs

The following after school clubs will take place when we return after the Christmas holidays. They will be set up on the app for you to book a place when we return and clubs will start on our 1st full week back on Monday 10th January.

We are always conscious of National COVID-19 measures and we may have to adapt a bubble system going forward. If this is the case, then we will use the classes in brackets below instead of the full year group and alternate after the half term. As always we will aim to give all classes an opportunity to take part in after school clubs throughout the year.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Club and Year Groups</u>	<u>Time</u>
<b>Monday</b>	Year 2 Football with Mr Corless (or Ladybirds class)	3-4pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	Year 5 Dodgeball with Mr Rutter (or Miss William's class )	3-4pm
	KS2 Good Grub Club with Ms Guy (this might be just children from different classes each week)	3-4pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Year 4 Dodgeball with Mr Rutter (or Mrs Bannister's class)	3-4pm
<b>Thursday</b>	Year 1 Multiskills with Mr Rutter (or Miss Doran's class)	3-4pm
<b>Friday</b>	Year 6 Yoga with Mrs Mitchell (or Miss Hodgkiss' class)	3-4pm
	Year 3 Orienteering with Mr Rutter (or Miss Barton's class)	3-4pm

## Dates for your Diary

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
<b>Tuesday 4th January 2022</b>	<b>INSET Day</b>
<b>Wednesday 5th January 2022</b>	<b>Children return—School opens for Spring Term @ 8.40am</b>



## Applications to Reception class for September 2022



A reminder that the application process is open to apply for a Reception class place for September 2022. **The closing date for applications is Saturday 15th January 2022.** Please apply in good time before the closing date. You must also remember to fill in the 'Supplementary Faith Form' which can be downloaded from the Local Authority website or collected from the school office at St Anne's Catholic Primary School.

*Walk Around—we will be having a walk around school for new to Reception parents on Friday 7th January 2022 @ 9.15am. If you would like to join us please call the office on 01514778260 or email [stanne@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:stanne@knowsley.gov.uk)*

### School Dinners

Week commencing Monday 3rd January we will be on week 1 of the school dinner menu, which can be viewed on the app or school web site:



<http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/about-us/school-meals-menu/>

### Talk Question

*Can you spend a day without a smart phone?*

### CAFOD Christmas Fun Run

Cross Country club - join your parents at the CAFOD fun run 27th December, The Mystery Wavertree 11am start....a great way to burn the Christmas Pudding off with the family.

IT'S OUR **38TH FUN RUN!**

**CHRISTMAS FUN-RUN**

CONTACTLESS AVAILABLE  
CASH ACCEPTED

**£5 CHILD** **£10 ADULT** **£20 FAMILY**

With family and friends at **The Mystery, Wavertree Athletics Centre, Wellington Road, Liverpool, L15 4LE**

We rely heavily on your support to make this event a success. Please gather sponsorship to raise much needed funds, visit [www.justgiving.com/campaign/cafodchristmasfunrun](http://www.justgiving.com/campaign/cafodchristmasfunrun) to set up your own online sponsor page or contact [liverpoolcafod.org.uk](http://liverpoolcafod.org.uk) for a sponsor form. Can't make it on the day? Don't miss out, **join in virtually** wherever you are!

**MONDAY 27TH DECEMBER**  
**PLEASE REGISTER FROM 10AM FOR AN 11AM RUN!**

**RUN OR WALK**  
**3K OR 5K**

**FINISH**

**CAFOD**  
Catholic Agency for Overseas Development

### New Year New You



On Wednesday 5th January 2022 we will be starting an **adult** running group from our school around the local area (approximately 5k). The aim is to build fitness, community and eventually to run in the better weather with our children and complete a Knowsley parkrun together on a Saturday morning.

The group will be open to our parents, staff and the wider community. This will be led by the Liverpool Running Bugs - we will also be teaming up with Blacklow Brow Primary School, their staff, parents and wider community. The runs will start at 6:30pm - please remember to wear bright colours and lights if you are joining up with us. If running is not for you, at the same time we have Yoga sessions in the school hall on Wednesdays 6:30pm. #newyearnewyou

Heavenly Father,

May our Christmas season be  
A time of reconciliation and  
peace

May the love of Christ be with us  
May His Peace surround us.

May our Christmas be a time  
Of healing, giving and sharing  
May Your spirit be with us  
As we share and care in Jesus'  
blessed birth,  
Amen!



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