

## St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Living and working as Jesus taught us!

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Headteacher: Mr. L Anderson

Wednesday 19th Julio 2023

St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

#### Highlights of the Week

For our last week of term.....

- We had a fantastic day at our Summer Fair on Saturday. Thank you to the PTA for organising
  and to all those who helped out to make it such a special, fun day. A big thank you to you all
  for your efforts and ongoing support it is much appreciated and for the colour run yesterday.
- KS1 enjoyed a visit from Ark 2 Ewe Animal Farm.
- We said farewell to our Year 6 children with their leavers assembly and Mass. Thank you to Parents for attending and to Fr. Anton for a wonderful Mass. We wish all our Year 6 children every success in your new schools, we will miss you all.
- We said goodbye to Mrs McCrystal, Mrs Guinness and Mr Gregson who have all been wonderful staff members and role models to our whole school community. We wish to thank Mrs McCrystal for her dedication to the role over the years and she has been a pleasure for us all to know and to work with. We wish Mrs Guinness the very best of luck too as she embarks on the start of her teaching career we all know you will be fantastic! Mr Gregson will also start his teacher training in September and we thank him and wish him every success on the next stage in his career—we know the future will be very bright for him too. We hope you will all keep them in your thought and prayers.
- Mrs McCrystal officially planted the McCrystal pear tree with Reception to celebrate her early retirement. Wishing a wonderful future Mrs McCrystal from all at St Anne's Catholic Primary School.







- Reports were sent home on Monday night.
- Central Area Award Winners last week—well done Sammy U, Roisin M, Mae R, Jamie L, Jude D—you were all fantastic and sat so well throughout the ceremony in which children from our school performed so well in the Knowsley Catholic Children's Choir.
- A big thank you to all the gifts that staff received there is certainly no need. We do appreciate all the gifts, cards and thank yous.
- Well done to all the children across the school for their performances: Keys Stage 1 songs, Pirate Songs from Early Years and our Leavers Assembly and Mass from our Year 6 children.

#### A Message from Mr Anderson

Dear families,

I cannot believe how quickly this academic year has passed and now we are preparing for September. To work in our school is a privilege and sometimes it is easy to forget what we all do daily: it is so wonderful to see our children thrive in our environment and develop into well mannered thoughtful individuals. Yesterday, we said goodbye to our amazing Year 6 children and we know that they will all be fantastic in whatever they do—thank you for all your hard work over the years and good luck.

A big thank you to all our families for their support over the last year too you have been amazing.

I also have to thank our staff for their hard work and dedication throughout the year and they too should enjoy a well earned break.

Finally, a big thank you to our staff who are moving on to pastures new or retiring— good luck to you all: Mrs McCrystal, Mrs Guinness and Mr Gregson we shall miss you.

Please look out for the letter on the timings of the school day from September.

On behalf of all the staff and our Governing Body I would like to wish you a safe and restful summer break.

Mr L Anderson

Head Teacher

#### A Message from a Year 6 Pupil

The following is a beautiful message from Holly, one of our Year 6 children.





#### Attendance

Weekly Attendance	
Wales - Mrs Henesy	93.9%
Scotland - Mrs Feeney	95.7%
Bumblebees - Miss Doran	90.2%
Dragonflies - Miss Williams	90.5%
Ladybirds - Miss Frodsham	87.7%
Year 3 - Miss Mathias	82.8%
Year 4/3 - Mrs Fogg	91.1%
Year 4 - Mrs Bannister	87.4%
Year 5 - Mrs Williams	89.3%
Year 6/5 - Mrs Reale - Smith	94.4%
Year 6 - Miss Hodgkiss	100%

#### Our school target is 97%

Green met the target or exceeded, Yellow just below, Red below.

Our overall school percentage this week is:





Well done to Year 6 who are this weeks attendance winners with 100%

#### Holidays Activities Fund (HAF)

During the holidays we have secured some funding for children who are eligible for benefited related Free School Meals (not Infant Free School Meals) to take part in North West Community Sports activities for 4 half days per week (4 hours per day = 16 hours per week 8:45am-12:45pm). This will take place at our school: 31st July until 25th August. North West Community Sports are also giving the option to parents/families to pay an additional £6 per day to remain for the extra 2 and a half hours per day which would mean finishing at 3:15pm. Please note if you are eligible through the above a packed lunch is also provided. Please book through info@NWCSports.co.uk



#### SUMMER OF SPORT CAMPS 2023

FOR CHILDREN AGED 4 – 12 YEARS & CURRENTLY ATTENDING ST ANNE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL ONLY









orts this Summer holiday with plenty of games to mpetitions, awards & prizes to be won every day.

**WEEK 1: Monday 31st July until Friday 4th August WEEK 2: Monday 7th until Friday 11th August WEEK 3: Monday 14th until Friday 18th August WEEK 4: Monday 21st until Friday 25th August** 

> **Taking Place At** St Anne's Catholic Primary School Marina Crescent, Huyton L36 5XL

Ran by DBS / CRB checked, peadiatric first aid trained, child protection certified & fully qualified coaches

CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ARE NOT ACCEPTED AS PAYMENT











#### JOIN US FOR A SUMMER OF SPORT

DAILY COMPETITIONS • FUN GAMES • MEET FRIENDS • CHALLENGES • AWARD

***BOOK & PAY BEFORE FRIDAY 21ST JULY FOR THE BEST OFFERS***		
SUMMER 2023	BEFORE JULY 21ST	AFTER JULY 21ST IF SPACES REMAIN
DAILY RATE	£12	£15
WEEKLY RATE	£45	£60
MIX YOUR WEEKS BOOK FOR MORE THAN 1 FULL WEEK	£35 PER WEEK	NOT AVAILABLE

#### CONTACT INFORMATION



NWCommunitySports.wordpress.com [ /NWCommunitySports info@NWCSports.co.uk



#### Uniform

Year 4 were very creative when asked to present the correct uniform to the school – they took photos of each other as if it was a photographic shoot for a magazine; some did a fashion show using video whilst others created a mini book. All in 20 minutes! The results are on Seesaw but here are a few highlights







Isla is wearing the correct uniform a red cardigan, grey socks,grey and red tie,white shirt and a grey dress.



Isla's hair is tied up neatly and the bobble is not to fancy.

Grey pants or shorts white top tie jumper black shoes grey or black socks winter boys











Nothing can get tugged on and they



Black shoes! wont get cold

The school uniform can get boring and you can get fed up but the school do it for saftey

If you are going on a school trip you will be recognized! Like before, purposes nothing can get stuck on things if you are wearing correct uniform



This is correct and safe uniform but uou can always wear a pinafore

This is also correct and safe uniform for school



You are now able to purchase our school coats and fleeces from Lisa's Schoolwear www.lisasschoolwear.co.uk 275 East Prescott Road, Liverpool along with the rest of our uniform. Our school uniform policy is now on our school website.

We do however still have a small number of coats in stock in school - if you wish to purchase one of these please call/email the school office. You are no longer able to pay for coats and fleeces via the App, so payment must be made in cash. Coats are £26, fleeces are £15. Once the stock has gone, you will have to purchase all uniform from Lisa's Schoolwear.

Please also note that unclaimed uniform was laid out outside the hall yesterday for anyone who wished to reclaim this. All lost property will now be donated to local charities.

#### Classes for 2023 -2024

Nursery (England) - Miss Kewn

Reception (Wales) - Mrs Henesy

Reception (Scotland) - Miss Harrison/Miss Barton

Bumblebees (Ireland) - Mrs Feeney

Dragonflies (Spain) - Miss Doran

Ladybirds (France) - Miss Frodsham

Y3 (Canada) - Miss Mathias

Y4/3 (Brazil) - Mrs Fogg

Y4 (USA) - Miss Williams

Y5 (South Africa) - Mrs Flood

Y6/5 (China) - Mrs Reale-Smith

Y6 (India) - Miss Hodgkiss

Most of our families are aware that we have mixed age classes Y2/1 (Dragonflies), Y4/3 and Y6/5 in school, we would like to assure you that the children in each class are taught the same curriculum. Over the last number of years our staff have worked extremely closely during their Planning Preparation and Assessment (PPA) time to work together to ensure consistency. Children perform equally well in mixed classes. The children get together in cohorts for various activities: singing, Collective Worships, trips, assemblies and everyday at break and lunchtimes.

Please be assured that classes are discussed at great length by the teachers and staff who work with our children daily in the classroom environment. Lots of factors are taken into account when classes are decided and it is always made clear when new parents/carers come to our school that we are a mixed age group school and children may or may not be in these classes. We currently have our Dragonflies, Y4/3 and Y6/5 mixed classes. Having cohorts with up to 45 children, the children cannot fit into one classroom grouping and this is why we have our split. Please note that our curriculum is planned to meet the various needs within our school. Although children may be apart during lesson time our children mix at breaktimes and lunchtimes.

I hope this clarifies any questions that anyone is unsure of in regards to mixed aged classes and any misconceptions.

#### Support Staff Next Year

EYFS: Mrs Monaghan, Miss Balmer, Mrs Leather

Key Stage 1 and Lower Key Stage 2: Mrs Woods, Mrs Keiller, Mrs McClean, Mrs Gregson, Mrs Peters/Mrs Roberts, Mrs Lee

Upper Key Stage 2: Miss Nelson, Miss Rider, Mrs Jones

#### St Anne's Catholic Primary School in the Parish

#### Mass times at St Agnes and St Aidan's Church this weekend

Saturday 22nd July 2023: 5:30pm Mass

Sunday 23rd July 2023: 9:30am Mass 11:00am Mass



#### Knowsley Flower Show

Ready, set, grow.... We encourage young people and novices to enter this year's Knowsley Flower Show and see their work in a giant marquee. The show held on Sun  $6^{th}$  August at Court Hey Park between 11am-5pm houses a huge floral and veg marquee and there are lots of children's classes to enter, please see link to the website for further details <a href="https://www.knowsleyflowershow.com">www.knowsleyflowershow.com</a> or call Carla Simkin on 0151 443 5353.

#### Reading Plus

#### Top Readers:

Paige D - 246,399 Mae R - 212,830 Freddie F - 185,352



#### 50,000 Words Plus

Name	Class
George H	4
Joshua G	4/3
Evie M	4/3
Brody R	4/3
Lucy T	4/3
Darcey H	5
Barney M	5
Brandon P	5
Zack R	5
Xander S	5
Neve T	5
James W	5
Nina A	6/5
Alfie E	6/5
Harrison E	6/5
Sean G	6/5
Charlie H	6/5
Rosa J	6/5
Darcey K	6/5
Holly M	6/5
Siobhan M	6/5

Name	Class
Archie P	6/5
Sophie R	6/5
Elliott S	6/5
Louie S	6/5
Jessica W	6/5
Noah A	6
Kiera C	6
Paige D	6
Erin H	6
Jazmine H	6
Layla H	6
Phoebe H	6
Sasha H	6
Roisin M	6
Charlie R	6
Katie R	6
Mae R	6
Frankie S	6
Harry S	6
Zach S	6
Sammy U	6
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#### 100,000 Words Plus

Name	Class
Kiera C	6
Freddie F	6
Katie R	6
Zach S	6
Harry S	6
Nina A	6/5
Harrison E	6/5
Sean G	6/5
Darcey K	6/5
Siobhan M	6/5
Sasha W	6/5
Jessica W	6/5
Oliver L	5
Barney M	5
Zack R	5
Joshua G	4/3
Evie M	4/3
George H	4
Brody R	4

#### Effort and Progress Awards

Year 6 Sasha H

Year 6/5 Hollie L



Year 4 Evie K and Macy M

Year 4/3 Bobby M and Sophia H

Year 3 Charlotte K and James F

Year 5 Jacob B and Freya P

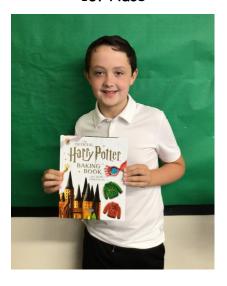
# Mathletics

Top Students	Total Points
Noah H	50275
Zack R	44736
Brody R	40858
Leo K	34928
Jacob G	34688
Austin M	34385
Sean G	33780
Jacob G	31474
Eliza A	30469
Harrison E	28330

The children above and many more (week upon week) receive regular certificates in assembly and put so much effort into improving their mathematics skills—well done on all your wonderful efforts.

#### Bake Off Winners

1st Place



2nd Place



3rd Place



## Head Teacher's Awards

Year	Head Teacher's Award	Class Teacher's Award	Golden Cushion
6	India C and Roisin M For amazing progress throughout Year 6.	Phoebe H For wonderful work in Maths.	Joseph G
6/5	Hollie L For her excellent progress across the curriculum, she has worked so very hard and we are so proud!	Rosa J For her wonderful writing, creating an excellent piece of narrative this week.	Luke S
5	Xander S For his fantastic progress in Maths this year!	Zack R For always giving 100% effort in all areas of the curriculum.	James J
4	Gio D For great effort, good behaviour and lovely manners.	Hallie U For her hard work and dedication in all subjects.	Robyn D
4/3	Hattie W For her efforts and commitment to doing well in her times tables.	Luke M For his positive and friend- ly attitude towards others.	Joshua G
3	Harry M For being hardworking and focused.	Noel H For always being Ready and Respectful.	Seb J
L/B	Lennon W For being an outstanding Ladybird all year. Well done superstar!	All Ladybirds For their amazing effort and hard work all year. We are really proud of you and all your achievements.	Evelyn M
D/F	Daniel M For being such a sensible and brave Dragonfly in our class performance. You amazed your teachers with your brilliant singing and wonderful actions. Well done Daniel!	Izabelle H For being so brave and confident in our class performance. You showed your family and teachers that you can do it! Keep it up Izabelle!	Penelope S
ВВ	Cooper L For his excellent concentration and ideas when making a puppet in DT.	To all of the Bumblebees For such a fantastic year. You have been a pleasure to teach and we are so proud of you all.	Hugo M

### Dates for Your Diary

	What's On
July 2023	
Wednesday 19th July	School Closes for Summer Holidays @ 1.30pm
September 2023	
Friday 1st September	INSET Day for Staff
Monday 4th September	School Opens for Autumn Term @ 8.40am and collection 3:10pm
October 2023	
Thursday 12th October	School Portrait Photo book on the app if you want your child to have one
November 2023	
Monday 13th November	Kindness Week
December 2023	
Friday 8th December	KS1 Panto—Sleeping Beauty Brindley Theatre Runcorn 10am
Tuesday 12th December	KS2 Panto—Sleeping Beauty Brindley Theatre Runcorn 10am





# **SUMMER FAIR**

We would like to say a big MASSIVE Thank you to everyone for coming and supporting this years Summer Fair!!!

An extra special thank you to all of the parents, teachers, grandparents, aunties, uncles & everyone else who all gave up their time so generously and made Saturday such a great success.

From meeting all of the super cute animals, bouncing on the bouncy castles, getting faces painted, glitter tattoos, playing lots of fun games, to being able to go in the fire engine & police van & spend pocket money at all the fun stalls - our children had so much fun!

As well as all of the super fun that was had by all, we also managed to raise a fantastic

£2592.48

We have been able to do so much with the money we have raised this year, to name a few - we have helped buy new playground equipment for Early Years, provided a coach for year 6's PGL trip & this Wednesday's Colour Run, as well as saving towards our future big playground improvements.

We would also like to say an extra special Thank You to our fabulous pupils who manned stalls & ran games at the fair James F, Amber, Willow, Hattie, Harry, Ida, Harper, Emilia, Evie, Emilio, Zack, Brody, Ada, Sadie, Izabelle, Noel, Romee, Riva, Lydia, Sophia, Tallulah, James J, Joseph, Callum, Ruby & Abigail And to anyone else who helped or donated to our Raffle.

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We would like to say a huge thank you to all the parents who have helped out in the PTA this year with the various events. You put so much effort into making the events so special for the children and raising lots of funds for the school. We appreciate all you do.

#### ST ANNE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

#### **Club Assistant**

#### St Anne's Breakfast and Wraparound Clubs

Level 1 – GRADE B, SCP 1-2

£20,258 - £20,441 (£10.82 - £10.91 per hour, pay award pending)

Required from 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023 or as soon as possible

The Governing Body of St Anne's Primary School wish to appoint a keen and enthusiastic Level 1 Assistant to work in our school's Wraparound Care provision.

We are looking for someone who is:

- Able to work well as part of a team
- An excellent communicator
- · Comfortable using their own initiative
- Motivated and proactive
- Enjoys working with children

For further information or to express an interest in the position please contact the school office on 0151 477 8260 or via email at <a href="mailto:stanne@knowsley.gov.uk">stanne@knowsley.gov.uk</a>

St Anne's Catholic Primary School is committed to safeguarding, to promoting the welfare of children and adhering to the Equality Act 2010. The successful candidate will be required to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check. To comply with the Asylum and Immigration Act 2006 all prospective employees will be required to supply evidence of eligibility to work in the UK. All employees are expected to abide by St Anne's Primary School Code of Conduct for Employees.

The successful candidate will be expected to sign the CES contract.

Applications <u>MUST</u> be made on the CES application form. Further details and an application pack are available via email from: <u>stanne@knowsley.gov.uk</u> or on the school website at <u>www.stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk</u>

Completed application forms and Recruitment Monitoring Forms should be returned by email to <a href="mailto:stanne@knowsley.gov.uk">stanne@knowsley.gov.uk</a> marked for the attention of the Headteacher.

Closing date: Friday 1st September 2023

















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