

# **St Anne's Catholic Primary School**

Living and working as Jesus taught us!

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Headteacher: Mr. L Anderson

**Friday 17th Noviembre** 2023

St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

#### Highlights of the Week



This week our school took part in the England Rocks competition on TTRockstars.! Well done to all who took part!

We had fun this week wearing odd socks and celebrating how we are all unique #Kindnessweek #AntiBullyingWeek #SacpskPSHE





To mark Kindness week, Wraparound Club made friendship bracelets #SacpskPSHE #sacpskwac

#### Attendance

Weekly Attendance				
Wales - Mrs Henesy	99.17%			
Scotland - Miss Harrison/Miss Barton	94.35%			
Bumblebees - Mrs Feeney	97.67%			
Dragonflies - Mrs Daniels	91%			
Ladybirds - Miss Frodsham	95.71%			
Year 3 - Miss Mathias	96.67%			
Year 4/3 - Mrs Fogg	93.93%			
Year 4 - Miss Williams	97.14%			
Year 5 - Mrs Flood	97.67%			
Year 6/5 - Mrs Reale - Smith	100%			
Year 6 - Miss Hodgkiss	99.33%			

Our school target is 97%

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

Our overall school

Our overall school percentage this week is:

96.6%



Well done to Year 6/5 who are this week's attendance winners with 100% Which class will get 100% attendance next week?

## **Awards**

Well done to all of our 100% attenders for the last half term!

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		<u>Wales</u>		Scoti	<u>Scotland</u>	
		Albert A	Samuel K	Joseph W		
		Harry B	Cohen L	Ida S		
		Ralphie C	Leo McD	Ada R		
		Isla F	Lucia M	Oscar R		
		Mia H	Maryrose P	Finn R		
		Aubree K	Anna S-L	Santiago McK		
		Samuel K Noah W	Ivy T	Millie M		
		Noan w		Cohen C		
				Sadie A		
Buml	olebees	<u>Dragonflies</u>		Ladybirds		
Halle B	Joshua O P	Samuel B		Grace B	Hugo M	
Theo B	Luke R	Lucas C		Lydia D	Sophia N	
Mailah D P	Harriet R	Rex C		Thomas F	Thomas O	
Joshua F	Rory R	Chloe-Rose D		Max H	Sofia P	
Aubrey Latta	Harper R	Penny G		Alex H	Alexia S-L	
Joshua L	Aria T P	Daniella K		Sadie K	Penelope S	
Joseph L		Raf L		Penny K	Theodore S	
Lucas M		Freddy S		Romee L W	Sadie W	
		Sophie W				
Year 3		<u>Year 4/3</u>		<u>Year 4</u>		
Jude D		Marillan B	n-LL 0	O B	F :	
Harry H		William B	Bobby S	Oscar D	Francis L	
Izabelle H		Francis C	Lilly S	Harrison F	Luis L	
Daniel McC		Belle C	Lilly- Mae T	Josslyn F	Nancy M	
Shaye McK		James F	Evie W	Matilda F	Evie M	
Lilly M		Ellis Hynes	Frankie W	Joshua G	Lydia N	
George P		Jenson McK	Erin W	Lily G	Brody R	
Thomas R		Darcy M	Hollie W	Sophia H	Lucy T	
		Joseph N		Charlotte K	Olivia W	
<u>Ye</u>	<u>ear 5</u>	<u>Year 6/5</u>		<u>Year 6</u>		
Evelyn B	Jacob McG	Kaia B	Luke McM	Jacob B	Isla M	
Joseph B	Macy M	Erin B	Brandon P	Harrison E	Scarlett M	
Mollie B	Rosie P	Anabelle B	Lucas R	Sean G	Sophie R	
Emilia C	Zack R	Amaya E	Seraphina S	Darcey H	Jessie S	
Emilio C	Alice T	Jacob G	Harper S	Rosa J	Luke S R	
Isaac H		Jacob G	Hallie U	Billy K	Neve T	
Evie K		Charlie L	Hattie W	Oliver L	Jessica W	
Francis McD		Riva L W		Oscar L		

# **Reading Plus**

Year 6 – Oliver L Year 6/5 – Amber M Year 5 – Oliver M Year 4 – Joshua G Year 4/3 – Bobby S Year 3 – Shaye M

# Spelling Shed

- 1. Year 6 94 million
- 2. Year 4/3 36 million
- 3. Year 6/5 35 million

# Top Spelling Shed Pupils

- 1. Kevin G
- 2. Lilly S
- 3. Eliza A

#### Extra—Curricular Activities

You will have noted that we have a busy schedule below with some new clubs added and possibly one more to follow. We have secured the services of Rebound Dance (Miss Lauren Boote) for a Monday over the next few weeks and on a Friday we will be working with Ms Lesley- Anne Greathead who will be delivering Yoga sessions to Key Stage 2 children with their parent/carer- please book places on the app for this.

Good Grub Club and Spanish Club must be booked and paid for directly with providers (see below).

Day	Club	Year Group	Time
	Football	Year 3 and 4 (LKS2)	3.10pm - 4.10pm
Monday	Dance	Year 6/5	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Basketball/Netball	Years 5 and 6 (UKS2)	3.10pm - 4.10pm
Tuesday	Christmas Choir Club with Miss Frodsham	Years 4, 5 and 6	3.10pm—4.10pm
	Knowsley Catholic Children's Choir (Mr Townley) (Starts Wed 22nd Nov)	St Columba's Space Centre	4-5pm
Wednesday	Running Bugs Free just turn up with your child	Adult and Child Sessions	3.10pm—4.10pm
	Multi Games	K51	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Gaelic Football (Shane Ryan) Starts 29th November	Y6 and Y5 Children	3:10pm -4:10pm
Thursday	Good Grub Club	Year 2 and KS2	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Running Club	Year 3-6	3.10pm - 4.10pm
Friday	Spanish Club with LLA (continued from last term)	Reception — Year 6	3.10pm—4.10pm
	Parent & Child Yoga	Key Stage 2	430pm—530pm



#### **Admissions**

#### New Nursery Intake 2024—2025

For our nursery intake September 2024-2025 it is so important that your child is baptised in the catholic faith and you have evidence of this. This applies to any places becoming available before this intake. We have reviewed the closing date and applications will now close on 10th March 2024. If you have sent a form into school please ensure you have a receipt for this. Please ensure you have sent in a copy of the baptismal certificate with your application before the closing date.

Please note our Current Nursery Class is now full and there is a waiting list for places.

#### School Admissions to Reception Class 2024

If your child is to start Reception Class in September 2024 the online portal is now open to make your application via Knowsley School Admissions (see leaflet below). You must also fill in a Supplementary Information Form which should be handed in to the school office. The closing date is 15th January 2024—this is the form in which you indicate if your child has been baptised in the catholic faith.



# Parents of pre school children It's time to apply for a school reception class place September 2024 Intake

Knowsley residents - Apply online by visiting www.knowsley.gov.uk

#### **CLOSING DATE 15TH JANUARY 2024**

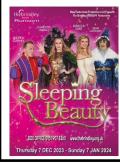
- If your child's date of birth falls on or between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020, now is the time to apply for a reception class place in school for September 2024.
- There is no automatic transfer from nursery everyone must apply between 12 September 2023 and 15 January 2024 by completing the application form of the Local Authority in which you live.
- Knowsley residents should apply by accessing the online application portal via the Knowsley website www.knowsley.gov.uk.
- It is the responsibility of the parent/carer to ensure they have read the admission policy of
  each school they are considering applying for and provided all the information required to
  support their application this may include completing a supplementary information form
  with some individual schools where requested.
- For full information about the application and allocation process and admission policies for individual schools, visit the school admission pages at www.knowsley.gov.uk and access the 'Knowsley Primary Admission Composite Prospectus'.

For further advice, contact Knowsley School Admissions Team
Email: schooladmissions@knowsley.gov.uk

ali: schooladmissions@knowsiey.gov Tel: (0151) 443 5143 / 5142 / 3372



#### **Notices**



#### Christmas Pantomime

Children in KS1 and KS2 will be going to the Brindley Theatre, Runcorn this year to see the Pantomime 'Sleeping Beauty'. KS1 will be going on Friday 8th December, KS2 on Tuesday 12th December. You can make payment for tickets on Parentpay from Monday and the final date for payment is Friday 1st December. Please also submit permission via the school app.

#### UKS2 Amazon Explorer Day

On Friday 24th November UKS2 are having an Amazon explorer day as part of their Geography topic. Children may come to school dressed as an explorer or an animal that lives in the Amazon if they wish.

#### Christmas Story Telling — Nursery & Reception

Nursery and Reception children will take part in a Christmas story telling workshop on Friday 1st December. The workshop will be ran by Jude Lennon a children's author of Little Lamb Tales. The cost of this workshop is £3.00 and this will be available on ParentPay.

#### Reception Parents - Celebrations performance followed by Maths Workshop

#### Wednesday 29th November at 4pm in the school hall

We would like to invite Reception parents to a hands-on maths workshop. The session will highlight keys areas of maths learning in Reception and will offer some practical advice and suggestions on how to support your child's development in maths. Please bring your child along and we will open the session with a short dance performance that we have been working on. This is a teacher led event. Children are invited along with parents and the children will perform a short dance that they have rehearsed before we start. We will give ideas about how to support Maths in Reception - maths all around us. We hope you can make it.

### Victorian Living History Day

The children in Y3, Y4/3 and Y4 will be taking part in a Victorian Living History day on Wednesday 29th November. As part of this, there is a drama company coming into school to deliver workshops around the Victorian era. The children can dress up as a Victorian on this day The cost of the workshop is £3 per child and needs to paid via Parent Pay.

#### School Nurse

If parents have any concerns regarding your child's health you can complete this online parent request for support form.

<u>0-25 Service in Knowsley - Request for support - Wirral Community Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust (wchc.nhs.uk)</u>

The PTA will collect for Foodbank on the last Friday of every month. Thank you in advance for any donations.

# The Big Issue Christmas cover competition

harpen your pencils and assemble your brushes — it's time to enter the annual Christmas cover art competition.

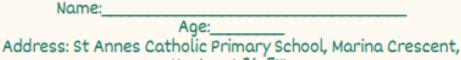
This year's theme is WELCOME.

Think about what that means to you and what it represents, during the festive period and beyond.



Remember to include 'Big Issue' as part of the picture so customers know what magazine they're buying!

Please complete your design and attach this form return to school by 20th November 2023



Email contact: stanne@knowsley.gov.uk







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



#### Prayer and Liturgy

Our Prayer and Liturgy focus from Monday is: Preparation

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

Saturday 18th November 2023: 5:30pm Mass

Sunday 19th November 2023: 9:30am Mass, 11:00am Mass



Our RE Topic is: Loving

Our St Anne's Catholic Primary School child focus for next week is: Individual St Anne pray for us and our Parish—St Agnes pray for us.

- There will be a mass at St Agnes Church for Year 4 on Sunday 3rd December,
   7th January 2024 and 4th February 2024 at 11am-12pm
- Also if anyone in Key Stage 2 would like to serve on the alter please contact the Parish Office.

#### Dear Families,

I hope everyone has had a wonderful week in school and please over the weekend spend the precious time with our families and friends being thankful for all the good that we have in our lives. Our Prayer and Liturgy focus this week was faith and we have had lovely prayer and liturgies across the school. This built on the nice mass that our Y4s and other children attended on Sunday at St Agnes Church—well done to everyone who attended and showed their commitment to receiving the Sacrament of the Eucharist in the Summer Term.

You may have noted that we have tried to include more after school clubs recently, which are free of charge, to see if there is interest moving forward. On Monday we had Dance and today we have had our first Yoga session. We do hope that these create interest and engage our children and families. Our free walking/running/plodding group with the Liverpool Running Bugs has created interest but we would like more parents/children to attend and spend time walking outside. Why not come along on Wednesday and have a go 3:10pm—4:10pm?

Have a lovely weekend

Mr L Anderson

#### School Dinners

When we return to school on **Monday 20th November** we will be on **week 3** of our school dinner menu, which can be viewed on the app or school website:

https://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/about-us/school-meals-menu/



#### Community



#### Gillmoss Recycling Discovery Centre

We have a free event to promote Sustainability this Christmas for the families in your community. Our Sustainable Christmas Market takes place at Gillmoss Recycling Discovery Centre on Saturday 25th November with activities for all ages and even a visit from Santa. Families will be able to come and view the recycling facility and find out how they can celebrate sustainably this year all while doing a bit of Christmas shopping from local stall holders.

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/sustainable-christmas-market-at-gillmoss-recycling-discovery-centre-tickets-728733570727?utm-campaign=social&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-medium=discovery&utm-term=listing&utm-source=cp&aff=ebdsshcopyurl





#### **Kindness Week**

Last week the children, together with 19 schools across Knowsley visited Hope Primary to form a united pupil voice to make a noise about bullying.

## **Dates for Your Diary**

	What's On	
November 2023		
Tuesday 28th November	Parent meeting RSHE (Relationship Sex Health Education) 5.00pm—5.30pm	
Wednesday 29th November	Parents/Carers Reception Maths 4.00pm — 5.00 pm	
Wednesday 29th November	Victorian Living History Day	
Thursday 30th November	St Andrew's Day—wear a splash of blue/navy on your uniform	
December 2023		
Friday 1st December	Own Clothes Day—for Chocolates/Bottles	
Friday 1st December	Christmas Story Telling — Nursery & Reception	
Wednesday 6th December	Christmas Movie Night KS1 3:30—5:15 pm, Bingo KS2 6pm onwards	
Friday 8th December	Year 6 Heaven Sent Live Nativity	
Friday 8th December	Santa Dash—wear your Santa Hat to school	
Friday 8th December	Lower Key Stage 2 Rejoice Assembly 2.45pm parents invited	
Friday 8th December	Key Stage 1 at the Brindley Pantomime Runcorn	
Tuesday 12th December	Key Stage 2 at the Brindley Pantomime Runcorn	
Wednesday 13th December	KS1 Nativity for Year 1 families 2pm	
Wednesday 13th December	After School Grotto with KS2 Carol Concert 6.:30pm	
Wednesday 13th December	Carols around the Crib 6:30pm KS2 Children	
Thursday 14th December	KS1 Nativity for Year 2 families 9:30am	
Thursday 14th December	EYFS Nativity (pm)	
Friday 15th December	EYFS Nativity (am)	
Tuesday 19th December	Christmas Jumper Day/Christmas Dinner/Santa Dash	
Wednesday 20th December	Final Day—Full School Uniform	
Sunday 7th January 2024	Y4 Mass at St Agnes Church 11am	
Tuesday 6th February	Safer Internet Day	

# Year 6 Heaven Sent Live Nativity

On Friday 8th December, Year 6 are going to visit Heaven Sent. This will be an opportunity for the children to learn about the Christmas story. We are asking each child to pay £5.00 to cover the cost of the coach and this is now available on Parent Pay.

SATs week for year 6 will be week beginning 13th May 2024. Children will have plenty of support and preparation before the week arrives. Please ensure your child is in school for this week, as always no holidays will be permitted.

A meeting will be taking place for Parents and Cares on the 28th November to provide you with more information on what is taught in school for RSHE (Relationship Sex Health Education).



# St Anne's Parents Association Dates for your diary

Foodbank Collection Last Friday of every month

Wednesday 25th Oct Halloween Early Years In School Time - Costume welly walk & Party KS1 Disco 4-5pm KS2 Disco 5:15 - 6:15pm

Friday 1st Dec Own clothes for Chocolate & Bottles

Wednesday 6th December Christmas Evening Ks1 3:30 - 5:15 Movie Ks2 6pm - on Bingo

Wednesday 13th December Grotto straight after school with Christmas Market followed by Carol Concert at 6:30pm

Wednesday 7th February- Valentine's Disco KS1 Disco 4-5pm KS2 Disco 5:15 - 6:15pm

Friday 9th Feb Early Years St Valentine's Celebration in school time

Friday 15th March - Own Clothes Day wear Green for Easter Eggs

Wednesday 20th March - Easter Bingo 2 Sessions 3:30pm and 6pm

Saturday 13th July - Summer fair 12pm - 3pm







