



# St Anne's Catholic Primary School

*Living and working as Jesus taught us!*

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Headteacher: Mr. L Anderson

**Friday  
28th Junio  
2024**

## St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

### Highlights of the Week



Some of our children took part in the Archdiocese of Liverpool Schools singing Programme on Thursday. They joined 25 other schools to make up the Good Shepherd Choir 2024 to sing at Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral. Well done to those involved!



Our Nursery and Reception staff have been busy making home visits this week, welcoming new children to St Anne's Catholic Primary School. They have also been holding Stay and Play sessions and meeting both new and current families. We look forward to having your lovely children with us on a daily basis from September!



Today Year 6 attended a Physics showcase as part of The Ogden Trust. A group of students demonstrated their knowledge of physics.

### Attendance

#### Weekly Attendance 17th June -21st June 2024

Scotland - Miss Harrison/Miss Barton	99.1%
Wales - Mrs Henesy	99.2%
Bumblebees - Mrs Feeney	96.7%
Dragonflies - Mrs Daniels	92.1%
Ladybirds - Miss Frodsham	99.3%
Year 3 - Miss Mathias	94%
Year 4/3 - Mrs Fogg/Miss Winstanley	96%
Year 4 - Miss Williams	97.3%
Year 5 - Mrs Flood	98%
Year 6/5 - Mrs Reale - Smith	88.6%
Year 6 - Miss Hodgkiss	98.7%

Our school target is  
**97%**

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

Our overall school percentage this week is:  
**96.3%**



Well done to **Ladybirds** who are this week's attendance winners with 99.3%

Which class will get 100% attendance next week?

### Extra—Curricular Activities

Spanish Club must be booked and paid for directly with providers.

Day	Club	Year Group	Time
<b>Monday</b>	Tennis	UKS2	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Dance	Year 6	3.10pm - 4.00pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	Girls Football	KS1 & Year 3 & Year 4	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Judo	Key Stage 1	3:10—4pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Running Bugs (Please book on the app)	Adult and Child Sessions come along	3.10pm—4.10pm
	KS1 Cricket	KS1	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Gaelic Football	UKS2 and Y4s	3:10pm—4:10pm
<b>Thursday</b>	Parent & Child Yoga	All welcome	4:30pm—5:20pm
	Art Club <i>Cancelled 04.07.2024</i>	Year 4	3:10pm—4:10pm
	Football	Reception	3:10pm—4:10pm
<b>Friday</b>	KS2 Athletics	Year 3-6	3.10pm - 4.10pm
	Spanish Club with LLA <i>(continued from last term)</i>	Reception — Year 6	3.10pm—4.00pm

## Notices

### KABS - Kids Activities and Bootcamps

#### Lower KS2

Year 3, Year 4/3 and Year 4 will be spending time on Friday 12th July with KABS. KABS are coming into to school to deliver bespoke physical activity together with emotional health and wellbeing programmes/activities to our children.

The programmes are aimed to develop them physically, socially, emotionally, mentally and intellectually. During the time with KABS, they will develop transferable life skills, such as teamwork, communication, problem solving and resilience as well as some fun on inflatables. This is aimed to be a fun session which children have thoroughly enjoyed in the past!

A charge of £5.00 can be made via Parent Pay and this is immediately available, payment is due Friday 5th July .

Please also give authorisation via the app so that your child can participate.

### Year 6 Leavers Mass

Our Year 6 Leavers Mass will be on Monday 15th July at 1:30pm. Weather permitting, this will be held at St Agnes & St Aidan's Church; should we have wet weather this will be held in our school hall. Parents and carers are welcome to attend and join us in celebration of our wonderful Year 6 children who moving on to pastures new and entering the next chapter of their school life.

## **St Anne's Bake Off**



UEFA  
**EURO2024**  
GERMANY

**1<sup>st</sup> July 2024**



This year our Bake Off will be 'Euro 2024' themed.

Children who wish to take part should bake using a recipe from one of the countries taking part in this year's Euro's tournament.

Bring your 'bake' into school on 1<sup>st</sup> July to enter the competition. Winners will be announced on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July once votes have been counted.  
Good Luck!



### School Nurse

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

[0-25 Service in Knowsley - Request for support - Wirral Community Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust \(wchc.nhs.uk\)](https://www.wchc.nhs.uk)

### School Dinners

**Monday 1st July will be WEEK 3 which you can view on our web site and app.**

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



The PTA will collect for Foodbank on the last Friday of every month. Thank you in advance for any donations. Next collection is: AT THE SUMMER FAIR 13th July

## Notices

### Parking Responsibly and Safely

Can we please ask you to be considerate to our neighbours and park safely, should you drive to school.

While out in the community we treat everyone how we wish to be treated.

Parents are concerned for their children's safety as families are having to walk in the road to navigate around parked cars.

People are also parking across our neighbours driveways or parking in such a way that this is affecting the flow of traffic during drop off/collection time.

We want our children to feel safe outside school so due care is needed at all times while driving or parking in the area.

Your support with this matter is greatly appreciated.

### Do you know of a media contact?

At St Anne's Catholic Primary School we are looking to work in partnership with somebody to help us create a media clip to advertise our wonderful school to new parents. We have so much to show and offer, from our wonderful children, staff and our beautiful grounds. If this is something you could help us with, please drop into the school office/ call on 0151 477 8260 or alternatively email us: [stanne@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:stanne@knowsley.gov.uk)

### AVAILABLE : Nursery place September 2024

We currently have one free place available in nursery starting September 2024, should you require further information please contact the school office 0151 477 8260.

**One full time 30 hour position OR two 15 hour positions.**

### Sports Day results

Year 6 - St Patrick and St David Joint winners  
Year 6/5 - St Andrew  
Year 5 - St Patrick  
Year 4 - St George  
Year 4/3—St Patrick  
Year 3 - St David  
Ladybirds - St David  
Dragonflies - St David  
Bumblebees - St Andrew  
Wales—All Winners  
Scotland - All Winners  
Nursery - All winners

Oscar D demonstrated amazing sportsmanship even when all teams had stopped and it was his turn he continued—fantastic Oscar!

## Notices

### Classes next year

We wanted to take the opportunity to address some of the common questions we receive regarding class arrangements at school. It is important to note that, like many schools, we have mixed-age classes in our school. Specifically, we have Dragonflies (Years 1 and 2), Years 3 and 4, and Years 5 and 6. This approach has been carefully considered and implemented to ensure the best possible educational experience for our students.

We can assure you that children perform equally well in these mixed-age classes. Our experienced teachers have spent considerable time reviewing the class compositions, taking into account a variety of factors to ensure that each child is placed in an environment that will support their individual needs and foster their academic and social development.

While it is understandable that some children may be separated from their friends, we believe that the benefits of mixed-age classes outweigh this potential challenge as during break and lunch times, the children have ample opportunities to interact, chat, and play with their peers. Additionally, we make a concerted effort to bring the entire cohort together for various activities, such as music lessons and school trips, to maintain a strong sense of community. I hope this provides some clarity and reassurance regarding our classes. Transition will be at the end of term which is weeks away and lots of learning and fun will take place before then.

### KS1 - end of year assembly

KS1 will holding an assembly for the children to celebrate all the wonderful work they have done this year. This will be a short collection of songs and a narration - 2 tickets per family.

Friday 12th July

Year 1 Cohort - 9.30am

Year 2 Cohort - 2.30pm



### Euro 2024 Sweepstake

Prizes include: extra play or film afternoons!

Class	Team Names
Nursery	England & Netherlands
Reception Scotland	Scotland & Poland
Reception Wales	Denmark & Portugal
Year 1	Georgia & Italy
Year 2/1	Spain & Hungary
Year 3	Slovakia & Czechia
Year 4/3	Germany & Albania
Year 4	Romania & Serbia
Year 5	Austria & Belgium
Year 6/5	Switzerland & Slovenia
Year 6	Turkey & Ukraine



### Myerscough College



Myerscough College are working in partnership with St Anne's Catholic Primary School and local restaurant businesses in Huyton Village to promote growing and healthy eating to local residents.

Utilising the garden area at St Anne's Catholic Primary School; parents, teachers and pupils will be able gain the skills to grow vegetables, salads and herbs. Planters will be placed outside restaurants in Huyton Village so that local businesses can use the plants that we have grown.

Sessions will take place every Friday afternoon for children of KS2 and KS1 and EYFS Parents, grandparents and members of the community with links to the school are more than welcome to join the session from 3:10pm or before (available from 2.10pm).

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



### Prayer and Liturgy

Our Prayer and Liturgy focus next week is: Giving

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

**Saturday 29th June 2024:**

5:30pm Mass

**Sunday 30th June 2024:**

9:30am Mass, 11:00am Mass



If anyone in Key Stage 2 would like to serve on the altar please contact the Parish Office.

Our RE Topic is: Universal Church—World

Our St Anne's Catholic Primary School child focus for next week is:  
Resilience

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

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# SUMMER FAIR

Could you spare a couple of hours to help at our Summer Fair?

**Saturday 13th July**  
**12-3pm**

IF YOU CAN PLEASE CONTACT EMMA  
07743008532

## Dates for Your Diary

	What's On
<b>Monday 1st July 2024</b>	St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Bake Off
<b>Tuesday 2nd July 2024</b>	Nursery Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 1
<b>Wednesday 3rd July 2024</b>	Nursery Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 2
<b>Thursday 4th July 2024</b>	Nursery Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 3
<b>Thursday 4th July 2024</b>	Farmer Teds Trip KS1
<b>Friday 5th July 2024</b>	Year 3 Swimming (pm)
<b>Tuesday 9th July 2024</b>	Reception Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 1
<b>Wednesday 10th July 2024</b>	Reception Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 2
<b>Thursday 11th July 2024</b>	Reception Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 3
<b>Friday 12th July 2024</b>	Kids Activities and Bootcamps Year 3, Year 4/3 and Year 4
<b>Friday 12th July 2024</b>	Year 1 Cohort 9.30am
<b>Friday 12th July 2024</b>	Year 2 Cohort 2.30pm
<b>Saturday 13th July 2024</b>	Summer Fair 12—3pm
<b>Monday 15th July 2024</b>	Year 6 Leavers Mass 1.30pm St Agnes Church (weather permitting)
<b>Monday 15th July 2024</b>	Nursery Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 1
<b>Tuesday 16th July 2024</b>	Nursery Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 2
<b>Wednesday 17th July 2024</b>	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 1.30 - 2.30pm
<b>Wednesday 17th July 2024</b>	Nursery Stay and Play (September 24 intake) Session 3
<b>Tuesday 3rd September 2024</b>	INSET DAY for staff
<b>Wednesday 4th September 2024</b>	School term starts 2024/2025
<b>Wednesday 13th November 2024</b>	Open Evening (Possible new Reception Parents) 4.00—5.00pm

# Musical Mondays

St Edmund Arrowsmith Catholic Academy,

Cumber Lane, Whiston, L35 2XG

Free to attend instrumental groups with free loan of instrument to take home!

## Tutti

For beginners aged 8 and over on any instrument

Mondays 4:00pm – 5:00pm during school term time



## Forte

For Orchestral Instruments Grade 1 standard and above

Mondays 5:30pm – 7:00pm during school term time



To register your interest or for more information, please contact Phil Nicholas by email [phil.nicholas@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:phil.nicholas@knowsley.gov.uk) or telephone 07815 722291

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