



St Anne's Newsletter March and April 2018



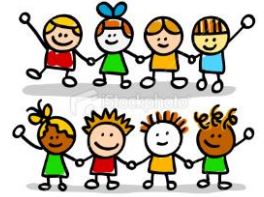
Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

We hope you enjoy reading about all the wonderful events that have taken place over the past few weeks.

School Value

Our value this half term is **Confidence**.

St. Anne's school places great importance in building confidence in all our children so that they can flourish and achieve their potential.



“Therefore do not throw away your confidence which has a great reward.” Hebrews 10:35

World Book Day 1st March

All the children looked fantastic and enjoyed the day, sharing their books in class. Each class also enjoyed workshops with the Altru Drama Group, based on their favourite Roald Dahl Book.

We were also lucky to have a visiting artist, Sarah Marshall, joined us in school and worked with children across both key stages. The children enjoyed the work immensely and produced some outstanding pieces of work, including some 3D work. All of the work is now displayed in the classroom.



Nursery Asda Visit

Nursery children were excited to visit Asda. They all prepared their own shopping lists to buy snacks which they prepared and enjoyed back at school.

Y1B - Family Assembly

Year 1 children shared with us their love of reading in a very special assembly. We were treated to a wonderful video of the children and were able to watch them reading their favourite books in various locations around the school. Well done, Y1B, very impressive!

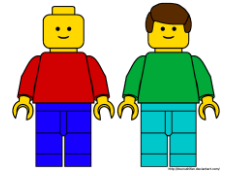
Y1 Sign Language Assembly

Helping Hand came in to perform a special assembly with Year 1 and their parents.

Children were taught how to sign the names of their favourite things and also to sign some of their favourite songs. A very special skill indeed!

Y2N Family Assembly

Year 2N shared a very important message in this fantastic assembly about having the right attitude in life and never to hold back on your dreams! They show-cased their talents by choreographing their own dance, and composing their own rap to present this positive message on life and learning. Brilliant! Well done Y2N!



Easter Bonnet Parade

We had some wonderful, colourful and original entries for our Easter Bonnet Parade. Well done to everyone - a lot of hard work and a wonderful effort!

Easter Services

It was lovely to see so many parents and governors in church to join Year 1 and Year 2 for their beautiful Easter service. The children sang beautifully, with songs interspersed with readings and drama - all telling the events of Holy Week and Easter Day. The fabulous song 'He is Alive' concluded the story in a joyful way. The children truly did create a wonderful Easter celebration!

Y2F Family Assembly

Y2F presented a wonderful assembly on recycling called *Re-use, Reduce, Recycle*. The speaking was clear, with some fantastic singing and was enjoyed by all! A very thought-provoking and important message, which has encouraged us all to recycle more. Well done.

Y4 Philharmonic Visit

Year 4 had the opportunity to visit the prestigious Philharmonic Hall to learn about music appreciation using all five senses. They were able to understand how different music appeals to different senses. A unique experience at a world famous venue!

Mothers Day Sale

We had a beautiful display of gifts for sale for Mother's Day. As always, a big thank-you to the PTA for their time and effort in making such a wonderful range of gifts available for our children to buy for this very special day.

Spring Instrumental Concert

We were treated to a wonderful display of musical talent in our Spring concert.



The Samba group demonstrated their skills, as did Y4 children with their guitars. Instrumentalists showed how hard they have been working and played a beautiful range of musical pieces. A big thank you to all who took part and especially to Mr Lucas and Mr Storey for all their hard work.



Gillmoss Recycling Centre Y6

Year 6 visited the recycling centre at Gillmoss to support their geography topic '*How are we damaging our world?*' They enjoyed a very informative and enjoyable experience looking at issues and dilemmas such as recycling, sustainability, how to look after our planet and how to reduce plastics.

Governors Awards

We want to congratulate all children who have won this term's *Governors' Awards* for their class. During Praise Assembly, awards have been presented to one child from each class in recognition of their behaviour, work, manners, attitude etc. Well done!

Attendance

Mr Jago holds a special attendance assembly each Monday to celebrate and reward the class with the best weekly attendance. The winning class is rewarded with a special treat such as extra play-time, a movie, popcorn. Well done to recent winners.

Attendance and punctuality is extremely important in achieving success at school.

Sports News

UV Dodgeball

We are extremely proud of our Y4 and Y5/6 teams who both won their respective final matches in the Liverpool Tournament. Well done to all of you! Fantastic effort!



Football

Y5/6 Team

Y5/6 team won our quarter-final match against Knotty Ash (5-2).

Brilliant effort by all concerned!

They have also won against Wellsbourne (9-2) in the Broadgreen Football League.

Another fantastic result!

Future Events

Highway Cup Final

The final of the Highway Cup is being held on 10th May versus St Mary's. Kick-off is at Camp Hill Playing Fields at 5.15pm. All support is welcome!

Angry Bird Egg Cup

The team is playing at Goodson Park on Monday 7th May.

Liverpool FC Foundation Tournament

Details to follow.

New Football League

Y3/Y4 football starts Tuesday 8th May.

Sports Day

Details of school Sports Day will be announced soon. Check the website for details.

Tennis

KS1 are improving their tennis skills through specialist coaching from Wavertree Tennis Centre. A fantastic opportunity to participate in this popular sport.

Swimming

Year 5 swimming lessons continue this term. Everyone is currently working on their 25m or beyond. Well Done!

Liverpool Fustal

This popular activity is enjoyed every Friday by Y1, Y2 and Y3, who continue to improve their co-ordination and skills in a very enjoyable way.

Choir News

School choirs will be playing for Everton FC in the Community and St Martin's Nursing Home in Broadgreen, during the final half term. Details to follow.

Music Exams

Six Year 6 pupils will be sitting Grade 1 and 2 exams on guitar and clarinets. These pupils have worked very hard to achieve such a high standard on their instruments and we wish them every success!