

Together with God, Making Learning A Life-Long Friend'

ST ANNE'S C.E.

PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Our school website is:-
www.st-annes-browndedge.staffs.sch.uk

Start children off on the way they should go and even when they are old they will not turn from it. (Proverbs 22:6)

VISION

We aspire to be guided in all that we do by our inclusive Christian ethos. We are enthusiastic about life-long learning and share wisdom in serving each other and our world. We encourage all to live lives of hope and aspiration, inspired through acquiring new skills and attributes. Dignity and respect are at the heart of our school.

Our motto and values are built on the pillars of our inclusive Christian ethos and underlying principles of St Anne's

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers, This week I have had the pleasure of accompanying Year 5 children at the Roaches in a outdoor bounds session - bouldering. It was brilliant to see the children overcome their fears and able to achieve feats they never thought they could. The importance of sessions like this are so important for the whole child. Talking of feats, Year 6 will be taking their SATs next week. They will have nothing to worry about and are ready for them. We wish them well - Miss Turner, Mrs Aston and Mrs Sims have prepared them well! It is getting to the time of the year where we start thinking about staffing structure for next year and we hope to release this in early June to parents. School budgets are, as I am sure you are aware from the media, under-funded; therefore we are unable to renew Mrs Aston's contract next year and she has therefore decided to take retirement. We wish Mrs Aston a very happy retirement and thank her for her hard work with Year 6 this year. Thursday 16th May is Census day in schools - Please order those hot dinners - this increases our funding! Kind Regards Mr E. Hobson

PRAYER +

Dear Lord, we thank you that we have the opportunity to come to school and be little heroes and also make new friends and learn along the way. Amen

ATTENDANCE:

W/E: 03.05.2024	Y2	99.13%
W/E: 10.05.2024	EY/Y1	100%

P.E. KITS - We are asking classes to wear P.E. kits on their designated P.E days. Kits should consist of tracksuit bottoms/shorts, trainers, school hoodie or school jumper. P.E. days are as follows:

RECEPTION = Tuesday, Y1 = Friday, Y2 = Friday, Y3 = Monday, Y4 = Monday, Y5 = Thursday, Y6 = Thursday

SAVE THE DATE

THE CIRCUS IS COMING TO TOWN!

FRIDAY JULY 5th 330pm + 430pm

More Information To Follow

NORTH STAFFS MIND FUND-RAISING

A small group of Year 5 pupils have been working on a Social Action project- 'Project Confidence' with SCFC to raise funds for North Staffs MIND mental health charity. The pupils are asking all pupils and staff to wear navy blue and bring a small donation to school to take part in some activities during the afternoon planned by the children.



Ladies Fashion Show AND Pop-up Shop!

SHOP YOUR FAVOURITE HIGH STREET BRANDS AT 50% OFF OR MORE!

Colours.
FUN DRAISING FASHION SHOWS



St. Anne's C.E. (VC) Primary School
"Together with God, Making Learning a Life Long Friend"

Thursday 13th June 2024
St Anne's C. E. Primary School

St Anne's Vale, Brown Edge, Stoke on Trent, ST6 8TA

Doors open 6.30pm, show starts 7pm

Tickets: £6 includes a welcome drink & nibbles
Tickets to be purchased in advance

Raffle: FABULOUS prizes to be won at the show!

For tickets and more information please contact:
Dawn Rosson - 01782 503102 - office@st-annes-browndedge.staffs.sch.uk

BRITISH VALUES SCHOOL VALUES

Liberty
The rule of Law
Democracy
Tolerance
Mutual Respect

PERSEVERANCE
RESPECT
COMMUNITY
KINDNESS
FAITH
HONESTY

KIDS CLUB - When booking your children into Kids' Club, whether it be before or after school, please could you book via School Money or if paying by vouchers notify Kids' Club by the Friday of the previous week what days your child will be attending. Kids Club : 07855 639630



CLUBS

- Mon - Y5/Y6 Drama finish @ 4.30 p.m.
Reading in the library @ 12.30 p.m.
- Tues - Y6 Extended Maths 8.25am FINISHED
KS2 Cross Country Club finish at 4.20 p.m.
- Wed - Y6 Extended Maths 8.25am **LAST ONE WED 15TH MAY**
ECO finish at 4.30 p.m.
Y4/5/6 Rugby Club finish at 4.20p.m. **LAST ONE 8TH MAY**
- Thur - St. Anne's Singers finish at 4.00 p.m.
Y2 - Y4 Pokemon Club finish at 4.00 p.m.



School Council Meetings 2024

Thursday 23rd May 2024

Thursday 6th June 2024

ECO Meetings 2024

Wednesday 22nd May 2024

Wednesday 5th June 2024

Worship Council Meetings 2024

Thursday 23rd May 2024

Thursday 6th June 2024

TESTING DATES

Year 6 SATS- Week commencing 13th May 2024

Year 1 Phonics Test- Week commencing 10th June 2024

Year 4- Weeks commencing 3rd + 10th June 2024

PLEASE NOTE IT IS VITAL THAT YOUR CHILD IS IN SCHOOL DURING THESE DATES.

**Y2 SATS are now optional and will supplement our own assessment during the Summer term.*

TAEKWONDO TASTERS

Last Friday was a busy sporting day for St Anne's. This commenced with a visit from Simon Jones who delivered a Taekwondo session to each class, focusing on the theme of team work. Our thanks go to Simon for this, the feedback from the children suggested they gained a lot from this experience.

Y5/6 GIRLS' FOOTBALL COMPETITION

On the evening of last Friday, our year5/6 girls team, plus Piper, took part in a Burslem Cup competition. The story of the evening was so near but so far. Our B squad finished fourth while our A squad, although undefeated, were unable to boost their goal difference finished third. Good effort by all with the girls acquitting themselves admirably.

HOUSE WORSHIP

Year 6 held a House Worship on Tuesday, 7th May following the theme of Kindness. They told the story of the Good Samaritan and asked children all about kindness and how we can show kindness to each other in school, following the example of the Good Samaritan.

Y5/6 TAG RUGBY COMPETITION

Last Friday afternoon children from year 5 and 6 participated in a regional Tag-Rugby competition. Having seen this group of players take part last year, I can safely say that they have made excellent progress. Out of the 5 games they drew 3 and lost 2 by narrow margins. Well done to all that participated.

ST ANNE'S CHURCH RECEPTION VISIT

On Tuesday Reception visited St Anne's Church. We got to explore the whole church, looking at the a font, the altar, candles, stain glass windows and so much more. They children played eye spy with Reverend Karen and Reverend Tom and learnt about the different parts of the church and why they are important. We learnt that St Anne is Jesus' Granny and the children got to hold a special bible.

SCHOOL CENSUS DAY

Please may we ask that you support us on Thursday 16th May our School Census Day. Our kitchen are providing hot dogs, chips, jelly and ice-cream.

LITTLE HEROES ATTENDANCE

The importance of regular and consistent attendance for pupils cannot be under-estimated. We are pleased to be taking part in Staffordshire's 'Little Heroes' attendance campaign, of which more information can be found on the letters sent home. HERO= Here Every day Ready On time.

POLITE NOTICE We have once again had complaints from local residents and parents regarding inconsiderate parking on the zig zag lines outside school, parking dangerously and blocking driveways. **PLEASE PARK SAFELY**- the safety of our children is paramount at all times. Please support us in registering complaints to www.staffsmoorlands.gov.uk/article/2723/Contact-Us Phone: 0345 605 3010 

DATES

Mon 13th May 2024 - Y5 Play on the Pitch @ Bet 365
Thur 16th May 2024 - School Census Day
Fri 17th May 2024 - Community Breakfast
Fri 17th May 2024 - Mental Health Walks
Mon 20th May 2024 - Y6 Residential to Standon Bowers
Fri 24th May 2024 - Mind Fundraiser Navy Blue
Fri 24th May 2024 - Y6 Return from Standon Bowers
Fri 24th May 2024 - School Closes p.m. for half term
Mon 3rd Jun 2024 - School Closed Inset Day
Tue 4th Jun 2024 - School Opens
Tue 4th Jun 2024 - SCFC Assembly
Wed 5th Jun 2024 - Inclusion Sports Day
Thur 6th Jun 2024 - Sports Day KS2 a.m. and KS1 p.m.
Thur 6th Jun 2024 - Mr Prescott teaching Y6 songs
Fri 7th Jun 2024 - Struggling to Succeed Talk by WM Police w/c
Mon 10th Jun 2024 - Phonics Screen Check
Mon 10th Jun 2024 - Y6 to Lichfield Cathedral
Mon 10th Jun 2024 - Y5 PE Transition at Endon High
Mon 10th Jun 2024 - New Parents Evening
Tue 11th Jun 2024 - Burslem Athletics Field Events

Thur 13th Jun 2024 - Y3/Y4 Y1/Y2 Football v Moor First
Fri 14th Jun 2024 - Fathers Day Breakfast
Fri 14th Jun 2024 - When Books Become Art (poetry)
Fri 14th Jun 2024 - Boys City Football Finals
Mon 17th Jun 2024 - Sky Access All Arts Week
Wed 19th Jun 2024 - SCFC Shoot Out
Wed 19th Jun 2024 - Worship Council @ Tittensor
Thur 20th Jun 2024 - Y6 trip Beatles Story
Tue 25th Jun 2024 - Drama Club Production
Wed 26th Jun 2024 - Burslem Athletics Track Events
Thur 27th Jun 2024 - Y1 Trip to New Brighton Beach
Fri 28th Jun 2024 - Y6 Worship Ambassadors @ Lichfield Cathedral
Mon 1st Jul 2024 - SCFC Presentation
Mon 1st Jul 2024 - Film Night
Thur 4th Jul 2024 - Y3/Y4 Jewish Workshop
Fri 5th Jul 2024 - Circus
Mon 8th Jul 2024 - Y6 Dress Rehearsal
Mon 8th Jul 2024 - Y5/Y6 City Swimming Gala
Mon 8th Jul 2024 - Y6 Performance
Tue 9th Jul 2024 - Y4 Class Worship

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