

St Anthony's Newsletter

Welcome Back

The children have come back to school full of excitement and enthusiasm which has been lovely to see. Fr Gerry celebrated a lovely Mass on Wednesday on the theme of Friendship.

Bassistry returned again to St Anthony's today and delivered wonderful music workshops for each class.

Years 3-6 must all bring their swimming kit to school on Monday please.

SS Patrick and Thomas classes will join the parishioners for Mass at St Thomas More at 9:30 on Tuesday. Parents are welcome to join their children's class.



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House Points

The School Council have renamed the Houses for this year as:

LION

JAGUAR

PANTHER

TIGER

I was very pleased to receive this lovely email this week:

“Without further ado, may I say how delighted we are to inform you that this year **St Anthony's RC Primary School** has achieved **Gold** for their 2015 – 2016 School Travel Plan.



Well done for all your hard work and effort in completing your School Travel Plan for this year.



This accreditation is a result of your school's commitment and passion towards making travelling to school safe and sustainable.

You will retain your Gold level accreditation for 3 years, at which point your School Travel Plan's level of accreditation will be quality assured by Southwark and TfL again.

Completing your School Travel Plan at Gold level is a considerable achievement!

Your school should be proud that you are amongst the few across London and nationwide who have shown such a dedicated approach to encouraging active travel in a safe environment amongst pupils, parents, and staff.”

Well done to everyone for their hard work and commitment in achieving this, especially Mrs Meaden and Miss Martlew.

Attendance and punctuality

Well done to everyone who has been on time this week, it's been a great start so please keep it up.



Congratulations to:

Head Boy– Christopher
Head Girl– Erhun
Deputy Head Boy– Owain
Deputy Head Girl– Darcy

Lion House Prefect– Jeremiah
Jaguar House Prefect– Nabi
Panther House Prefect– Rebecca
Tiger House Prefect– Bella

Prefects will begin to be selected from next week.

Sr Stella

Sr Stella visited St Anthony's on the last week of term and was presented with a cheque from our sponsored walk for over £4000. She wrote us a letter over the holidays saying how much she had enjoyed meeting all the children and how appreciative they all are for the fundraising we do for the children's home in Zambia. We are remembered in their prayers.

Welcome

A warm welcome to our new children and their families (Betty, Nathan, Josef, Rosie, Dermot and Elizabeth)
I hope you will be very happy at St Anthony's.

Mrs Herrera

Mrs Herrera leaves us today to start her maternity leave and so the children presented cards and gifts to her at assembly. We look forward to her coming to visit us with her baby in a little while.

CARE

Well done to all the children for trying really hard to keep the school CARE values

Headteacher awards will resume next week.

Consideration, Achievement, Respect, Effort

Brownies

The Brownie Pack is in urgent need of a deputy leader on Mondays 5:15-7:15 term time only. This is a voluntary role but extremely rewarding. training will be given including first aid training and a DBS will be carried out.

Unless someone steps forward, the Brownie Pack will be unable to operate and will close down.

Please take time to seriously consider offering your help.



Contact Brown Owl
ashley.meagher@yahoo.co.uk
for more information.

Curriculum evenings

Years 5&6—Tues 20th Sept 6-8pm
Years 3&4—Wed 21st Sept 6-7pm
Years 1&2—Mon 26th Sept 6-7pm
Nursery & Reception—Tues 27th Sept 6-7pm

Please ensure you attend the curriculum evenings as important information will be given about how you can help your child.

RIP

Please remember in your prayers Miss Shipton whose father died, Mrs Bibbon whose grandmother died and Mr Crouch (brass teacher) whose wife has died (there will be no brass lesson for a couple of weeks).

May they rest in peace

Term date cards

These cards were issued on the last day of the summer term. Please pick up a second one from myself, Mrs MacDonald or Mr Croft when you see us before or after school.

These are credit card-sized so are ideal to keep in your purse, ensuring that you always have term dates to hand when booking holidays.

