

# St Anthony's Newsletter

## Date reminder

Wed 14th Christmas lunch  
Thurs 15th 9.30am and 2.15pm Nativity (Y1&2)  
Fri 16th 9.30am Nursery Songs  
Fri 16th 2.15pm Carol Service in church (Nur-Y6)  
Tues 20th 2pm School closes

Friday 2nd December 2016

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## Eva Schloss (Anne Frank's half sister)

We are welcoming Eva back to St Anthony's again next week. Eva will be talking to Y3 and Y6 about her time in a Jewish concentration camp.

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## House Points

1st place—Jaguar  
2nd place—Panther  
3rd place—Lion  
4th place—Tiger



Well done to all the children who received a house point this week.

All of Year 3 and 4 will join the parishioners for Mass at St Thomas More at 9:30 on Tuesday. Parents are welcome to join their children's class. St Clare's class will lead the assembly next Friday.



## Christmas Fair

Thank you to everyone who supported the fair in some way either by helping run a stall, buying raffle tickets or coming to support on the day. A very impressive £5725 was raised. This money will be used to fund the Life bus next week which every class will attend, pay for TenTen Theatre to return during Lent and a variety of trips and resources



Well done to the Year 6 children who ran the Sister Stella's Superstore at the Fair. We are sending £104.60 to her children's home in Zambia.

A huge thank you to Keziah and Catherine for their tireless work this term resulting in a wonderful Christmas Fair.

## Educational visits

Year 5 visited the Whitgift WW1 exhibition this week and we received a lovely email after their trip: "I think your school knew the most about WW1 of all the ones I've worked with (including the secondary schools) and they were really well behaved." Well done Year 5 for representing the school so well.

There are some half price family ticket vouchers by the office for this exhibition in Croydon which has been described by the Sunday Telegraph as a fascinating and extraordinary exhibition.

## Attendance and punctuality

Well done to St George's class who have been the best class for attendance and punctuality in the school this week.





## Life Bus “Helping Children Make Healthy Choices”

Specially trained Coram Life Education educators are visiting school next week. Each class will visit the mobile classroom for a session linked to our Personal, Social and Health Education programme.

The sessions are fun, engaging and memorable and delivered at an age-appropriate level. Children meet a puppet called Harold the Giraffe and have discussions about healthy eating, friendships and their influence and how choices and behaviours can affect their aspirations.

Fr Gerry has kindly agreed to the Life Bus being parked in his car park again this year but it does mean that we are in need of adults to help walk children across the road. If you are able to help, please speak to your child’s class teacher. Unfortunately, there is not space in the Life Bus for additional adults but you are welcome to visit a nearby café or the library (sessions last for between 30 and 60 minutes depending on the age group).

Thank you to FOSTAS for funding these important workshops again this year.

## Writing Award



Well done to Bussa in St Anne’s  
Please take some time to look at  
some of our wonderful writing.

<http://stanthonyswrites.blogspot.co.uk/>

## Headteacher Awards and Golden Table

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| Our Lady’s –Luke               |           |
| St Joseph –Leticia & Cillian   |           |
| St Julie –Oliver & Dexter      |           |
| St Francis– Isla P & Isla S    | Francesco |
| St Thérèse –Anna & Sebastian   | Julia     |
| St Agnes –Sienna & Taidgh      | Kaycee    |
| St Anne –Rosa & Samuel         | Elizabeth |
| St Bernadette–Madalaine & Judd | Anna      |
| St Peter-Mia & Sandy           | Paolo     |
| St George –Saoirse & Chanelle  | Maud      |
| St Patrick –Asha & Genevieve   | Tia       |
| St Clare –Jane & Callum        | Ethan     |
| St John –Emily & George        | Sasha     |
| St Paul –Esther & Nicholas     | Hermey    |
| St Thomas –Sol & Sirous        | Fintan    |

Well done to these children for keeping the  
school values - CARE  
Consideration, Achievement, Respect, Effort



I have been overwhelmed with suggestions from the children of how we can raise money for The Passage. I have chosen the following two:

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Bring your teddy to school  
(not the favourite going to bed one in case they forget to bring it home that day, needs to be small or medium sized so that it is able to sit on the child’s lap, no batteries, suggest parents label the teddy by tying a ribbon around the neck with a gift tag and your child’s name)

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Wear a Christmassy accessory  
(e.g. Santa hat, tinsel halo, antlers, badge, head boppers etc.)

On each of these days, there will be collection buckets outside for your donations to the homeless shelter.

