

St Anthony's Newsletter

First Holy Communion

If you would like your child to make their First Holy Communion in St Thomas More this summer, parents must attend the registration session at school on Saturday 12th November. Parents should be in the hall at 10:30 and the meeting will finish at 12:00

Friday 21st October 2016

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All Saints

We will be celebrating the feast of All Saints in school with Mass at 9:15 on Tuesday 1st November. Parents are welcome to join us.

St John's class will lead the assembly next Friday.



House Points

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



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

Harvest donations

I received a letter from the Manna Centre this week:

“Thank you for St Anthony's gifts to the Manna Centre. The food that we have received will be used throughout the next twelve months to help some of the poorest members of our society. On behalf of them I would like to say a genuine “thank you”.....We are truly grateful to you for your support of our work. Any help you can give, financially or practically (food, men's clothing, towels, mugs etc) throughout the year is appreciated.”

Please contact the Manna Centre directly if you have further donations throughout the year. 7-13 Melior Street, SE1 3QP, 020 7357 9363, mail@mannasociety.org.uk

Online safety

I am sure that many children will have an increased amount of time spent on devices during the school holiday. Please do ensure that children are supervised when they are online and that you have set parental controls. Filters can be a helpful tool in reducing the chances of children coming across something upsetting but it is also important to talk to your children about staying safe online. The UK Safer Internet Centre have come together to produce useful video guides to help you to download and set-up the controls offered by the big internet providers BT, Sky, TalkTalk and Virgin Media. <http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers/parental-controls-offered-your-home-internet-provider>

Attendance and punctuality

Well done to St Agnes who have been the best class for attendance and punctuality.



FOSTAS

Thank you to everyone who has a Pedder Estate Agent Board. FOSTAS receives £15 per board but if you no longer want one please email Sarah at Slewis30@hotmail.co.uk

In the book bags today, you will receive a template and instructions for your children to design a Christmas card. Please return designed template cards to school by Wednesday 2nd November. This would be a fun activity for the holiday break. FOSTAS receives money from the sale of the cards.

There will be a Christmas Fair fundraising meeting on Friday 4th November 9am at the John Paul Centre. If you would like to help with preparation for the fair please come along.



Congratulations to Moses in St Anne's on the birth of his brother, Levi.

Writing Award

Well done to Mateja in St Julie's



Headteacher Awards

Our Lady's—Gabby
St Joseph—Ayse & Malakhi
St Julie—Elior & Neriah
St Francis- Winnie & Jeremie
St Thérèse—Letitia & Fionn
St Agnes—Freya & Jack
St Anne—Siena & Oscar
St Bernadette—Keira & Sebastian
St Peter— Michelle & Emilia
St George—Pia & Patrick
St Patrick—Raya & Jack
St Clare—Sofia & Saulo
St John—Wede & Gavin
St Paul—Mina & Jeremiah
St Thomas —Mia & Lewis

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

Year 4's café

St George and St Patrick classes ran an extremely successful café yesterday and raised £360 for the NSPCC.

The children visited The Bread of Life Café to interview Elaine about best-selling foods, profit margins and popular times and days. They also visited Sainsbury's at Dog Kennel Hill to look at packaging. In class, the children planned the layout of the café, investigated recipes and created a year group cookery book, designed marketing posters and also put their persuasiveness to the test to encourage parents to come in. They also decorated biscuits and made smoothies. Lots of learning took place and resulted in a very popular pop up café.

Thank you to all the families who supported the café.

Think Pink

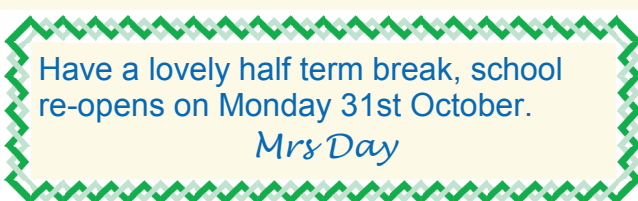
The children looked great in their pink accessories today. Thank you for your support in making masks or providing pink items for them to wear. We raised £296 for Breast Cancer Care, well done .

Parish concert and fireworks

On Friday 4 November St Anthony's choir and the parish choir will be performing a special fundraising concert, followed by refreshments in the John Paul Centre and fireworks in the garden at 7pm.
Tickets £10, concessions £5, primary school age children free. Please come and support.

Uniform reminder

Parents are reminded that all children should return to school after half term in their winter uniform. All children from year one to six must wear a white shirt and school tie.



Have a lovely half term break, school re-opens on Monday 31st October.

Mrs Day