

# 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](http://www.st-annes-browndedge.staffs.sch.uk)

#### CLASS AWARDS

On a Friday each teacher nominates two pupils from the class for the 'Star of the Week' award. Each winner is presented with a certificate.

##### Early Years

W/E: 08.03.19

R. Trousdale  
A. Williams

W/E: 15.03.19

Whole Class  
E. Cullen

##### Year 1

W/E: 08.03.19

Z. Gibson  
C. Cawley

W/E: 15.03.19

J. Keeling  
L. Pegg

##### Year 2

W/E: 08.03.19

J. Wood  
T. Darlington

W/E: 15.03.19

P. Dale  
F. Greaves  
K. Sargeant

##### Year 3

W/E: 08.03.19

Whole Class  
Y. Abdullah

W/E: 15.03.19

A. Knott  
A. Richardson

##### Year 4

W/E: 08.03.19

Laches Wood visit

W/E: 15.03.19

I. Keeling  
A. Davenport

##### Year 5

W/E: 08.03.19

A. Martin  
J. Forrester

W/E: 15.03.19

L. Gibbons  
C. Simpson

##### Year 6

W/E: 08.03.19

C. Allen  
Whole Class

W/E: 15.03.19

H. Milward  
E. Tomkinson

## HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents, Our school is extremely busy at the moment and we are having such a super time with all of the events taking place. This week's theme in worship has been charity cumulating in wearing red for Comic Relief. I have been very impressed with the children's sense of community and their charitable understanding not only this week but at St Anne's. We have had Year 4 children on their own initiatives create making things to sell for charity and Year 6 pupils (again off their own initiative) actively campaigning for charities to support and suggesting ideas for fund-raising. This also ties in with our newly formed PTFA, who have many ideas in how to raise money for the school. I must thank not only the PTFA but all parents and carers for their support. It was lovely to see so many of you at St Anne's Has Got Talent. It was a wonderful evening where children could express themselves and show off their talents they possess. This is a great confidence builder for some children as it really takes some determination to stand up in front of 200 adults to perform. Well done to all our competitors! I have been very fortunate to attend several trips and the Y4 residential to Laches Wood last week. We see these enrichment activities vital to children's education and we were all very proud of how all the children conducted themselves following the school values. They were a credit to everyone! Mr Hobson

## ST ANNE'S HAS GOT TALENT

The annual talent show was held this week. The children performed brilliantly and were really brave, getting up in front of such a big audience! The acts varied from singing, dancing jokes and riddles and of course our annual hosts Ant and Dec. Well done to all involved and thank you to the PTFA for their support in providing interval drinks. Scarlett Rushton and Elizabeth Cullen in REC / KS1 were afternoon winners along with Ben Pope and Lilia Pickering from KS2. In the evening Lilia Pickering and Elizabeth Cullen repeated their feats after voting from the audience.

**PTFA MEETING** was held on 13th March and it was great to see so many parents. Events happening so far include an Easter Egg Raffle which will run week commencing 8th April. There will be an Easter Bonnet Parade during worship for EY/KS1 children on 10th April. Wednesday Lunch Club and members of the community are invited. Refreshments will be available at the end. Car Boot Sale on the morning of Sunday, 12th May. A date for your diary - **Summer Fair pm Friday, 28th June**. The PTFA will have a half termly newsletter to keep you informed of events.

Dear God, **PRAYER**  
Help us to think  
of others less fortunate than ourselves  
and provide us with the strength to  
support them in hours of need. Amen



## HOUSE CAPTAIN WORSHIP

Year 6 house captains and Head Boy and Girl produced their own assembly this week about playground behaviour and emphasised what good behaviour at lunchtime looked like. They performed a couple of short sketches and promoted fun lunchtimes! Congratulations to them all for being independent in identifying where they think people need support and taking ownership of this.

**P.E. KITS** - Please can all parents ensure that their child / children have their P.E. kits in school **every day of the week**. Indoor kit consists of dark shorts and a plain white t-shirt. Outdoor kit consists of a tracksuit and trainers.

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

## BURSLEM FOOTBALL LEAGUE

On a wet and windy Friday 8th March, St Anne's football team completed the Burslem schools football league fixtures, with a final match against Newford. With a view to preparing for next season, we fielded 3 Year 4 children. The team did well, beating Newford by 2 goals to 1. Although a friendly against Greenways didn't go so well, the team managed to finish 4th in the league. Well done St Anne's.

## PARENT FORUM

On Thursday 11th April at 6:00p.m. Parent Forum will be taking place. A crèche will be on offer that evening in Reception classroom. If you have any suggestions please put them in the suggestion box outside the main office.

## BRITISH VALUES

Individual Liberty  
The rule of Law  
**Democracy**  
Tolerance  
Mutual Respect

## SCHOOL VALUES

PERSEVERANCE KINDNESS  
**RESPECT** FAITH  
COMMUNITY **HONESTY**

**HOUSE POINTS**  
**EARTH 465 FIRE 472**  
**AIR 458 WATER 472**

# CLUBS

<b>Monday</b> Archery Club - 4.30 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 25.02.19</b> <b>Tuesday</b> Y4, Y5 & Y6 Maths in Motion - 4.30 p.m. finish <b>STARTING 15.01.19</b> Y2 & Y3 Craft Club - 4.30 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 05.03.19</b> <b>Wednesday</b> Y1 & Y2 Lego Club - 4.15 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 16.01.2019</b> Y5 & Y6 Tag Rugby - 4.30 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 13.03.19</b>	<b>Thursday</b> Y4 & Y5 Technical Lego - 4.30 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 10.01.19</b> KS2 Colouring club- lunchtimes - <b>STARTING 17.01.19</b> Cross Country - 4.15 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 24.01.19</b> <b>Friday</b> Football - 4.30 p.m. finish - <b>STARTING 18.01.19</b>
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## Y5/6 Liverpool Trip

Last week, Year 5 and 6 went to Liverpool to extend their learning for their trip "Britain's Got Talent". They visited The Beatles Story museum as part of their learning about music and pop culture in the 1960's. They also braved the wind and did a circular ferry trip on the Mersey which they enjoyed. The children's behaviour was absolutely exceptional and we were proud to take them as representatives of St Anne's.

## YEAR 4 @ LACHES WOOD

For three days last week, Y4 took part in a residential visit to Laches Wood Outward bound centre. Activities enjoyed by the children included: problem solving/ team building skills, indoor wall climbing/caving, bush craft skills and archery. The children enjoyed their stay and I believe that they gained a great deal from the whole experience. As a result, they are now more ready for challenges ahead of them. Well done year 4.

ROCKSTEADY presented an assembly to the whole school and it was fantastic to see such enthusiasm and to hear some great singing. So much so that they will be returning back to school to carry out class workshops.

**Apologies** from Mrs. Rosson. Her report on School Business Managers Conference on the last newsletter should of course have referred to our Head Boy Archie (and not his brother Ethan). Sorry again Archie!

## School Council + ECO Meetings 2019

Wednesday 20th March, 1:00pm



## Class Worship Dates this term

**Early Years:** Friday 29th March 9:15am  
(Mothers Day)

**Year 3:** Friday 5th April 9:15am

**Year 4:** Friday 22nd March 9:15am

## EARLY YEARS TRADITIONAL TALES WORKSHOP

On Wednesday 6th March Early Years had the morning learning all about Traditional Tales. We acted The Gingerbread man, Goldilocks and the Three Bears and Jack and the Beanstalk. We had a great morning and thoroughly enjoyed acting them all out.

## Mother's Day Breakfast

On Friday, 29th March from 8.15 am for the price of £6, Linda and her team will be preparing a full English breakfast for an adult along with the usual sausage and bacon baps / fruit selection for a child. All mothers (or carers) accompanying their child / children will also receive a small gift. Please confirm attendance no later than 25th March. Additional adults are welcome at £5 and £2 for children.

## Y1 PHONICS MEETING

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March I held a meeting informing parents about how the Year 1 Phonics Screening is administered and how they can support their child in the test. Parents did a fun phonic activity that I often do with the children, there was a brief power point presentation and then questions were answered. I also provided a phonics pack with alien words, and useful websites to use at home. Thanks to all who attended. Mrs L. Allmark

# DATES

Friday 22nd March - Y4 Class Assembly @ 9.00 a.m.  
Friday 22nd March - Big Bug Presentation  
Friday 29th March - Mothers Day breakfast  
Friday 29th March - EY's Class Assembly @ 2.30 p.m. followed by afternoon tea  
Friday 29th March - Cake stall  
Tuesday 2nd April - Burslem Town Hockey  
Friday 5th April - Y3 Class Assembly  
Friday 5th April - Teachers2Parents Information Session  
Sunday 7th April - St. Anne's Singers with band at Village Hall  
Tuesday 9th April - Teachers2Parents Information Session  
Wednesday 10th April - Easter Bonnet Parade  
Wednesday 10th April - Swimming Gala @ Fenton Manor  
Thursday 11th April - Easter Themed Lunch  
Thursday 11th April - Parent Forum @ 6.00 p.m.  
Friday 12th April - Church service whole school 2.00 p.m.

Friday 12th April - School finishes for Easter  
Monday 29th April - Summer term begins @ 8.50 a.m.  
Tuesday 30th April - Moorlands Tag Rugby @ Leek Rugby Club  
Wednesday 1st May - PTFA Meeting  
Friday 3rd May - Community Breakfast  
Monday 6th May- School closed Bank Holiday  
Tuesday 7th May - School re-opens @ 8.50 a.m.  
Wednesday 8th May - Moorland Y5/Y6 Cross Country @ Moorside  
Sunday 12th May - Car Boot Sale  
Tuesday 14th May - Leek United Y3 Football Tournament @ Leek Town  
Wednesday 15th May - Y3/Y4 Moorlands Cross Country @ Moorside  
Friday 17th May - Y4 Leek United Tournament @ Leek Town  
Thursday 23rd May - Italian Themed Lunch  
During the month of May- Year 2 SATS  
Year 6 SATS- Week commencing 13th May  
Year 3,4,5 Test week- Week commencing 20th May



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