

# Newsletter

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## First Holy Communion

Year 3 children celebrated their First Holy Communion at St Anne's Church on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June. The occasion went very well indeed – the children looked lovely and the sun shone all day. Thank you for your kind donations towards the cost of the flowers, they looked spectacular!

On Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June Year 3 will lead a Thanksgiving Mass at St Anne's Church at 9.30am, followed by professional photographs and a small party back at school. Please send the children in wearing their special Holy Communion clothes with party clothes in a carrier bag. Those children in Year 3 who did not make their First Communion are welcome to wear their party clothes for the day. Donations towards the party food would be very much appreciated. e.g juice, paper cups, paper plates, biscuits, sweets, fruit, cakes etc. If you have any queries, please contact Mrs James.

## Baby Congratulations!

Congratulations to the Dodd family on the arrival of baby Jamie. Both Gemma and Ellie are delighted to have a new baby brother.

## Reception 2008

Thank you to all our parents who were able to join us for the Parent Induction Meeting last night. Miss Dobell is leaving us for pastures new in September and we have appointed Mrs Moseley as our new Class 1 teacher. New Reception parents had the opportunity to meet Mrs Moseley last night and she will be joining us for the Monday morning visits on 30<sup>th</sup> June. As always, the continuity and care for our children is paramount, and we will ensure a smooth transition between now and September.

If you require any further uniform, please ensure that you place your order as soon as possible in order for us to take delivery before the end of term. Thank you.

Water bottles, ties, book bags and PE bags are available to order from the school office. Please use the order forms in the parent pockets and return with payment in a clearly marked envelope.

## Uniform Resale

Attached to this newsletter is the latest list of items available from Mrs Bibby. Could we also ask those children who will be leaving us shortly in Year 6 to send in any good condition uniform for resale – many thanks.

## Year 1 Visit to the Salt Museum

Year 1 children had a fabulous day out on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June at the Salt Museum at Northwich. They experienced many different aspects of Victorian life including Victorian children at home, families in the workhouse, Victorian costume and Victorian preparation for bedtime. Miss McGonigle would like to send special thanks to Mrs Blake, Mrs Mansfield and Mrs Whelan for joining in the visit and helping to make the day run smoothly.

## Year 1 Assembly

Just a reminder that Year 1 will be holding their class assembly this Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 9.00am. All Year 1 parents / carers are welcome to join us.

## Pirate & Explorer Day

As part of their History topic 'A Famous Person in History – Pirates and Explorers', Year 4 spent Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June acting as pirates or explorers. The children's costumes were fantastic and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day – thank you to Miss Hughes for organising the event!

## Retro Day

*"Year 5 had a wonderful Retro Day on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June. We all dressed up in retro clothes and looked really good. We learnt the art of tie dye and even designed our own fabric. We discussed fashion, mods and rockers and changing trends. After lunch we did research on a particular aspect of Britain since 1948. Some things we researched were homes and home life, science and technology, travel, work life and spending money. We really enjoyed our day and had lots of fun!"*

Imogen Rogers

## Musicthon

On Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> June at 3.50pm some of the children from our school choir will be taking part in the town Musicthon at St Mary's Church, Nantwich. If you can, please come and support us – you will be very welcome.

## Cheshire Constabulary Summer Youth Project

Combined Emergency Services in East Cheshire are planning a series of fishing matches during the summer holidays from 11<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August. The competition will involve the young people in our area and there will be categories for Under 17, Under 15, Under 13 and Under 11. It will take place on local waters under the supervision of local police and support staff, with a grand final at Gawsorth Fisheries in Macclesfield – there are some great prizes so come along and join in the fun! Please contact PCSO Nick Jarvis at Nantwich Police Station on 0845 458 6378.

## Sainsburys Vouchers

Sainsburys ceased giving out their Active Kids vouchers on 4<sup>th</sup> June. Many thanks to all those who sent vouchers in – they are in the process of being counted and we will let you know how we got on in due course. Please send in any vouchers you may still have at home.

## Lost Uniform

As the weather is growing warmer the children are naturally taking off jumpers and cardigans, etc. Please ensure that all uniform items have your child's name in them as we are constantly finding

nameless garments around the school. This will save staff a lot of time trying to reunite uniform with its rightful owners!

## Rounders

A reminder from Miss Georgiou that rounders at Brine Leas this afternoon has unfortunately been cancelled. Brine Leas have rescheduled the event for Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June – a letter will be sent to all concerned.

## Class 3 Assembly

Year 2 children really enjoyed sharing some of their work with everyone on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June in their class assembly. Thank you to all the parents and carers who came to support us.

## Film Cylinders

A special request from Mrs Barnes ! If you have any empty, plastic camera film cylinders could you please send them into school as they will be put to good use !

## Family Fun for Nursery & Reception Parents

You are invited to take part in 4 family fun sessions which will take place in school over the next 4 weeks. The sessions will involve you and your child in a craft/making activity in a fun, friendly and informal atmosphere. Creche facilities are available for younger siblings. Tea and coffee will be provided. There are 12 places available. Please contact Mrs Mooney in Class 1 if you wish to book a place on the course or in the creche. All sessions run from 1.15pm till 3.15pm and the dates are as follows : 17<sup>th</sup> June, 24<sup>th</sup> June, 8<sup>th</sup> July and 15<sup>th</sup> July.

## School Governors

If you would be interested in being a school governor, please forward a pen portrait about yourself, your interests and why you would like to be a governor, for the attention of Mr G Smith c/o St Anne's Catholic Primary School. Your details will then be forwarded to the Diocese of Shrewsbury for consideration. If you require any additional information about the role of the school governor, please contact Mrs Ashbrooke for a '*Prospective Governor*' leaflet.

## Nantwich Triathlon

Thank you to those parents who have registered an interest in taking part in the Triathlon. Please indicate below the discipline(s) in which you would like to participate as we need to enter the team before the end of term. Thank you to Mr Baret who has volunteered to be Team Leader!

Name	Swim	Run	Bike

Please tick as appropriate

## Parent Feedback – June 2008

This month I would be interested in your feedback about this year's Sports Day – Thank You!

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