

St. Ann's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 19th April 2024



Upcoming Events...

Tuesday 23 rd April (3:15pm – 5:15pm)	Parents' Evening
Wednesday 24 th April (3:15pm – 5:15pm)	Parents' Evening
Wednesday 24 th April	Y6 SPAG Squad Cancelled due to Parents' Evening
Friday 17 th May (9:00am)	Pentecost Parade
Friday 17 th May	Proud to be Me Cancelled due to Pentecost Parade
Monday 20 th May (8:50am)	Year 5/6 Celebration of the Word: Pentecost / Serving

Proud to be Me: *TRUST: "Put your trust in Jesus. He will fill your plans with meaning and joy. Open your hearts trustfully to Jesus!" St. Pope John Paul II. Each of you say how, in the days ahead, you can show your trust in Jesus. Perhaps, rather than worry, pray and offer any concerns to Jesus. How can we show Jesus, and others, that we are people who they can trust? Perhaps we can always try to: tell the truth; choose to do the right thing; be generous with our God-given gifts of time, talent and money; keep our promises.*

Reception Year 1 Year 2	Beatrix Declan Connie	Beatrix has made a great start to the summer term, contributing her ideas in lots of lessons. Beatrix came up with some excellent vocabulary choices in English to describe the forest, where Eddie has lost his Teddy! Declan has shown strength of character this week and has tackled some tricky maths working on making ten. Declan has also produced some powerful sentences for our Where's my teddy? Story. Connie always works incredibly hard, she has contributed well during our learning this week and has returned to school with a really positive attitude, well done Connie!
Year 3 Year 4	Niamh Imogen	Niamh has blown me away with her maths this week by working out equivalent fractions. Well done Niamh. For returning to school with a fantastic attitude and full of energy. Imogen has really impressed the adults this week by reading clearly and confidently in front of the class.

P.E: Olivia was amazing in PE she was a great team player and supported her team mates who were struggling with the game, giving them encouragement. Rosalie joined in with the Year One children's PE this week and she did so well, showing great team work and looks very ready for Y1 already! Aleston impressed Coach Jake with his effort and determination throughout the whole PE lesson a superstar this week well done Aleston!

Spanish: Louie – super joining in with Spanish this week. Arie shared ideas enthusiastically in Spanish this week. Darla – fabulous Spanish singing and knows the colours really well. Melchi showed great counting in Spanish this week.

Happy Birthday Ruby, Shay, Joshua C, Aleston, Iona, Oliver, Myah G, Zara, Lucy and Tafara.

Attendance: Year 2 with 98.8%

Top Table: Heart

House of the Week St Catherine with 707 points

Gold Award goes to Nancy and Juno for earning 300 Monster Effort Points – Well done!

Plugs for Parents...

Parents' Evenings 23.04.24 & 24.04.24: Parents/Carers who requested a slot will have received an email before the holiday with their allocated time. We aim to make sure that Parents' Evening runs to time so that no one is kept waiting. You can help the teachers to do this by arriving on time and by being mindful of your allocated 10 minutes. Please come to School ahead of your appointment to view your child's work books.

Pentecost Parade 17.05.24: Family and friends are invited to join us for our annual parade down to Fox Valley and back. If you would like to join in, please meet at School ready to set off at 9:00am.

Plugs for Parents...

Year 5/6 Celebration of the Word: Pentecost / Serving 20.05.24: Family and friends are invited to join us for this Celebration of the Word

National Online Safety: While the short-term benefits of energy drinks can be attractive, it's not wise to ignore the potential health risks. Consuming these beverages regularly can have negative effects on the heart and blood pressure, and even cause dependency on these products to keep users' energy at a 'normal' level. Factoring in that it's illegal to sell these drinks to under-16s, the rise in children and young people using energy drinks is a cause for concern. This marked increase in young people using highly caffeinated drinks to supplement their energy has heightened the risk of these health issues arising in children – at a time in their lives where such impacts can have greater, longer-lasting consequences. Our guide addresses these possible hazards, letting you know how to minimise them for children and young people who like the occasional can.

Attached or Linked with this Newsletter...

- National Online Safety – What Parents and Educators Need to Know about Energy Drinks
- St Mary's Church and St Ann's Church Bulletin
- [Wednesday Word](#)
- [Ten:Ten Parent Newsletter](#) – April 2024
- Eat Smart Sheffield FREE Webinar - '10 Top Tips for a Healthier Bank Balance - How to Eat Well AND Save Money'
- [Sheffield Parent Hub Discussion Groups and Seminars](#)
- [Sheffield Parent Hub – What's On?](#)
- Stocksbridge Library - Ian Enters Poetry Event Poster