



St. Anne's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

STAFFING NEWS

Sadly, Mrs Evans has taken the decision to retire this summer. She has been a valued member of the St. Anne's team for many years, first as a class teacher, then running the Before and After School Club and most recently as one of our Teaching Assistants. Mrs Evans will be missed greatly by us all but we all wish her a very long and happy retirement.

Looking ahead to September, here is the staffing news you have been eagerly awaiting!

Class	Teacher
YN	Mrs Lakin
YR	Mrs Hodgkinson (Early years Leader & Senior Leadership Team)
Y1	Miss Botham
Y2	Mrs Hampton (Key Stage One Leader)
Y3	Mrs Silvester
Y4	Miss Bryan (Assistant Headteacher, Key Stage Two Leader, Senior Leadership Team)
Y5	Mrs Spendelow (Deputy Headteacher, Senior Leadership Team) Mrs Peter will teach the class on Tuesday afternoons & Wednesday mornings.
Y6	Mr Cooper

The staff are looking forward to getting to know their new classes in the coming weeks and will ensure information is passed on to new teachers during transition visits and meetings.

School Games Mark

In recognition of the huge amount of work the school does to promote sport in school, we have been awarded a Silver School Games Mark! This is a great achievement for the school. Last academic year we were awarded a Bronze Award. We are therefore delighted to have been awarded the Silver Award this year! A huge thank you to Mr Cooper for all his hard work organising and training so many teams this year. I'm sure you won't be surprised to hear that we have our sights set on a Gold Award for next year! It's not just the children who are competitive at St. Anne's!

Family Mass & Strawberry Fair

Don't forget it's a busy day for St. Anne's on Sunday! Family Mass starts at 11.15am in church, please come along and join in with our last Family Mass of the school year.

The Wild West Strawberry Fair is also on Sunday 12.30 - 2.30pm. A great deal of hard work goes into organising this fantastic event. Many thanks to you all for your donations of bottles, cups, cakes, clothes and toys in the last few weeks. Please come along and support it. There will be plenty of food on sale and it promises to be lots of fun for all the family. Bring along your neighbours, friends and family too!

Extra volunteers are very welcome to help set up from 9am, help out on stalls and to help clear away afterwards. Many hands make light work!

Health and Safety

The school playground is very busy before and after school each day when parents pick up and drop off. To ensure the safety of everyone in our community, can I please remind parents that bikes, scooters and balls are NOT allowed at these times. I have also noticed a number of children climbing on the railings after school. Please do not allow your child to climb on the walls or fencing. It is not safe for them and also risks damaging school property. The children know that they are not allowed to climb on them during the school day. Please remind your child that they are not allowed to do it before or after school either. Many thanks for your co-operation in this matter.

Parental Questionnaire

Thank you to those parents who have already returned their questionnaire. If you have not yet returned yours, please complete and return it to the school office by 7th July. We are keen to listen to the thoughts and opinions of you, the parents as we plan for the year ahead.

Sports Day

We have our fingers crossed for good weather on Tuesday 4th July so that we can enjoy our annual School Sports Day. Please come along and cheer the children on. The PTFA have kindly offered to sell refreshments again for parents. I believe the sausage sandwiches were fantastic last year... I'm hoping someone's going to save me one this time!

Please ensure your child has their correct PE kit in school - the correct house colour t-shirt, black PE shorts, pumps and trainers. All children need a bottle of water that they can take outside with them and if the weather is good, please ensure they have a sun hat and plenty of sun cream applied before school.

YN, YR, Y1 & Y2 races start at 9.30am
Y3 - Y6 races start at 1.30pm

Yours sincerely,
Mrs. N.J. Hannett