



St. Anne's Catholic Primary School

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Friday 14th October, 2016

Dear Parents,

It's been a busy half term and the children have all settled really well into their new classes. Just a reminder that school is closed on Friday 21st October as this is a school INSET day (school is also closed on Monday 7th November for INSET). School re-opens on Monday 31st October.

Staffing January 2017

From January 2017, Mrs Spendelow will take on the post of Acting Head Teacher and Mrs Hannett will take on the role of Acting Deputy Head until the Academy Board advertise and appoint permanent positions. Ms Bryan will become Acting Assistant Head Teacher. Mrs Hampton, who already teaches regularly in Year Five, will become the full time Year Five teacher. To facilitate the changes ahead and to prepare for a smooth transition, Mrs Hampton will also be teaching in Year 5 on a Monday morning from now on. Mrs Spendelow and Mrs Hampton will continue to work very closely together to ensure that our high standards of teaching and learning continue.

Car Park

Please could all users of the Church car park be reminded to follow the road signage and use the correct entry and exit to avoid possible collisions.
Your co-operation is appreciated.

Parents' Evening

Just a reminder that next week is Parents' Evening on Tuesday and Wednesday evening. Classrooms will be open for you to view your child's work. A reminder slip has been sent home with your child today.

Mass

Wednesday 2 nd November	Whole School Mass – Holy Souls
Sunday 6 th November	Family Mass led by Y5 & Y2
Wednesday 16 th November	No Mass
Wednesday 30 th November	Mass for YR and their parents
Sunday 4 th December	Family Mass led by Y4 & Y1
Wednesday 14 th December	Christmas Mass and Mass for the Intentions of Mrs Lomas.

Friday Assemblies

Friday 21 st October	INSET Day
Friday 4 th November	Celebration Assembly
Friday 11 th November	Y1 Prayer Assembly
Friday 18 th November	Celebration Assembly
Friday 25 th November	Y5 Topic Assembly
Friday 2 nd December	Dress rehearsals
Friday 16 th December	Carol Service

Dates for your Diary

Monday 31st October	School re-opens
Thursday 3rd November	Shoe Box Appeal starts
Sunday 6th November	Family Mass led by Y5 & Y2
Monday 7th November	Staff training Day – school closed to pupils
Wednesday 9th November	PTFA meeting at the Spittal Brook 7.30pm
Friday 11th November	Own Clothes day for Christmas Bingo
Monday 14th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Tuesday 15th November	Year 5/6 Cross Country Competition
Friday 18th November	PTFA Christmas Bingo
Thursday 24th November	PTFA Festive Fair 6.30-8.30pm in the school hall
Friday 25th November	Parish Barn Dance in the school hall
Tuesday 29th November	Christmas Play Photograph day (costumes must be in school by today!)
Friday 2nd December	Dress rehearsals for school Christmas plays Last day for the Shoe Box appeal
Saturday 3rd December	Parish Christmas Fair
Sunday 4th December	Family Mass led by Year 4 & Year 1
Monday 5th December	Dress rehearsals for school Christmas plays
Tuesday 6th December	Flu immunisation for Y1 – Y3
Wednesday 7th December	Christmas Play – EYFS – Y2 9.30am & KS2 2pm
Thursday 8th December	Christmas Play – EYFS – Y2 2pm & KS2 6.30pm
Friday 9th December	Parish Carol Service at St. Patrick’s Church 6.30pm
Monday 12th December	Reception Class trip to Museum of Cannock Chase
Tuesday 13th December	Christmas Lunch ‘Christmas in Poland’ work shop for Y1 and Y3
Wednesday 14th December	Pantomime in school provided by the PTFA
Wednesday 14th December	Christmas Tree Festival at St Mary’s Church in Stafford. Year Five will be performing from 1.30 to 2pm.
Thursday 15th December	Christmas Disco- own clothes, £1 donation
Friday 16th December	Carol Service 9.10am Charity Christmas Outfit Day for ‘Save the Children’ (small charity donation) and PTFA Raffle Break Up at 3.15pm

Have a good half term break.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J.N.Lomas
Headteacher