



# St Anne's Weekly Newsletter

## **Mission Statement**

At St. Anne's, we aim to be a caring, Christian school, within the community, where everyone is respected and valued.

To be a school where all individuals are encouraged to build on their strengths and aspire to be the best they can.

**Friday 26th January 2024**


## **This week's news:**

- **Attendance and punctuality**
- **Parking**
- **Forest School Dates**
- **The week in photographs**
- **Church News and events**
- **Weekly Awards**
- **House points**
- **Contact Us**

## **Vision**

Our vision has the promise by Jesus of '**life in all its fullness**' at its heart. At St Anne's, we believe:

- in our children and each other,
- we are uniquely created in the image of God,
- we were made to be awesome,
- that together we are family,
- we were created to live in community,
- in equipping the St Anne's family to be the best we can be,
- in our individual talents and abilities, and
- we can make a difference.



**'... let your light  
Shine** before others,  
that they may see your  
good deeds and glorify  
your Father in heaven.'

**Matthew 5:16**

‘I thank you  
because I am  
**awesomely**  
made...’.

***Psalm 139:14***

‘...I come that  
they may have  
life, and have it  
**to the full.**’

***John 10:10***

### **Our Values**

At **St Anne’s CE Primary School** the following core values underpin all that we do. They are reflected in the daily life of the school and our relationships with others.

- Respect
- Thankfulness
- Hope
- Forgiveness
- Love
- Faithfulness

It's almost hard to believe that this is the last newsletter for January 2024!

We've had a really productive week in school this week. Children have been working hard on their learning and in particular their writing. This is an area we are focusing on improving this year to ensure our children achieve the best outcomes they can.

Staff met with our local cluster schools this week for a reflective training session on 'The Art of Being Brilliant' and how to feel your 'best self' more often.

Our children have experienced plenty of curriculum enrichment this week: Year 5 Viking visitor for a day, Year 3 outdoor learning walk linked to Science, reception stay 'n' play, a wide range of extra curricular clubs and swimming. Please see below for forest school dates for classes.

Our Friends volunteers are meeting this afternoon to plan the next fundraisers. This is in church with a cuppa; all are welcome to come along.

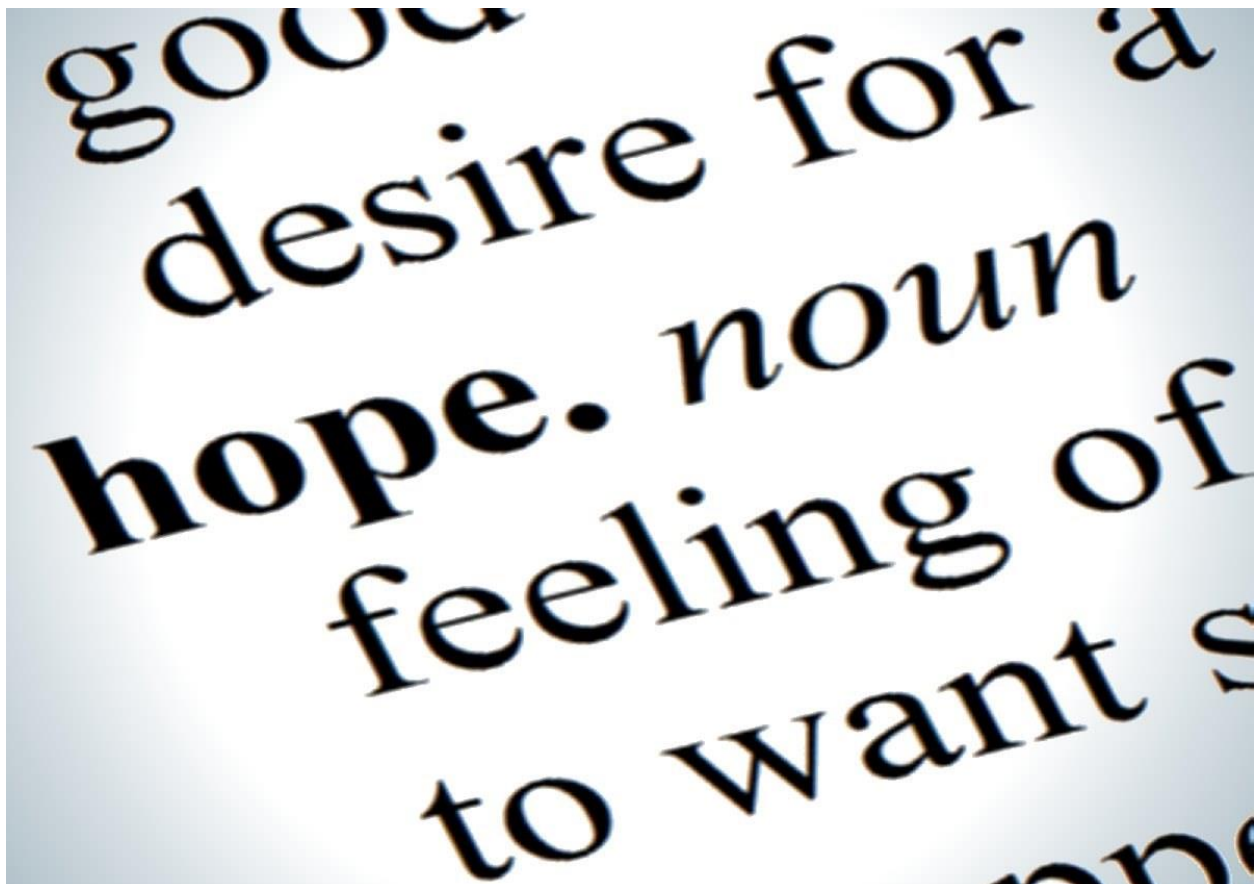
Thank you for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs J Webb

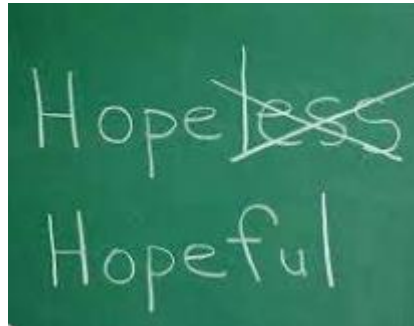
Headteacher

[Christian Value](#)



This half term's Christian value which we are focussing on is 'Hope'.

In worship this week, children heard the story of Jesus healing a man with leprosy and how a hopeless situation was turned into a hopeful one.



Ethos group met to prepare to deliver a presentation to our governing board in a couple of weeks on what their role is in school and how they enhance our school's Christian distinctiveness.



## Attendance and Punctuality

Our whole school aim is for classes to achieve at least **96% or above** each week to ensure all children are progressing in their learning.

We do understand that children are sometimes absent due to illness. Please continue to communicate with the school office regarding absences.

**Reception: 95%**

**Year 1: 98.5%**

**Year 2: 96.3%**

**Year 3: 96.6%**

**Year 4: 98.6%**

**Year 5: 98.7%**

Year 6: 98.5%

Number of lates: 19

Whole School attendance: 97.5%

### House Group Attendance

Bravery: 98.6%

Courage: 96.3%

Loyalty: 96.3%

Trust: 98.8%

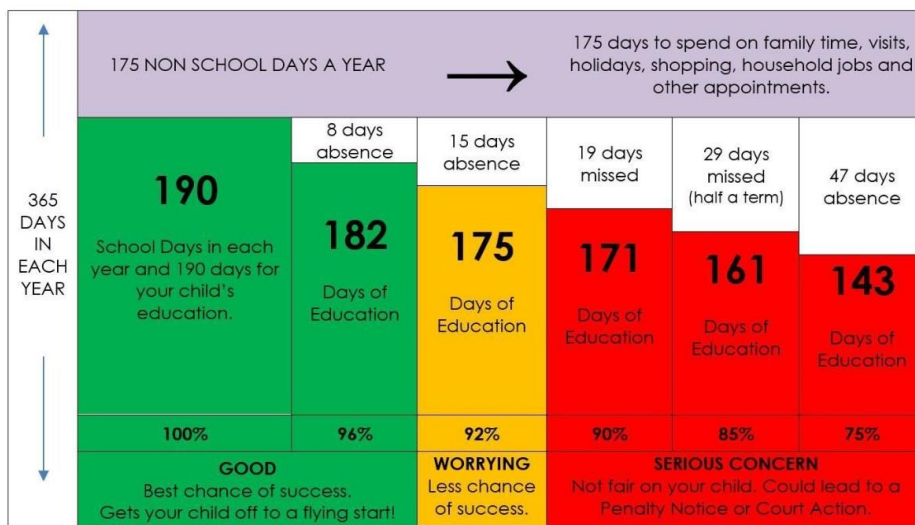
### Punctuality

Please ensure your child is in school and ready to learn **by 9:00 am**.

Our school gates are open at **8:45 am** for your child to arrive and settle into their class routines for learning to begin at 9:00 am. School gates will be locked promptly. **This is an important part of the school day and it can cause unnecessary upset when a child arrives part way through a lesson.** A 'late mark' also contributes to your child's overall attendance figure.

Breakfast club is available from 7:45 am.

See below for the impact of absence and lateness has on a pupil.



Please use the absence request form on the website or from the school office to request absences from school during term time.

<https://stannesceprimary.school/school-holidays/>

## Parking

St Anne's expects that pupils can arrive and leave school safely without the danger of an accident due to car parking.

To help keep our pupils safe, please can I politely ask you:

- not to park on the yellow safety lines around school,
- not to turn around in the road and reverse near pavements,
- not to park on the pavements near school where children are walking
- not to double park near the pull in laybys.

## This week in photographs

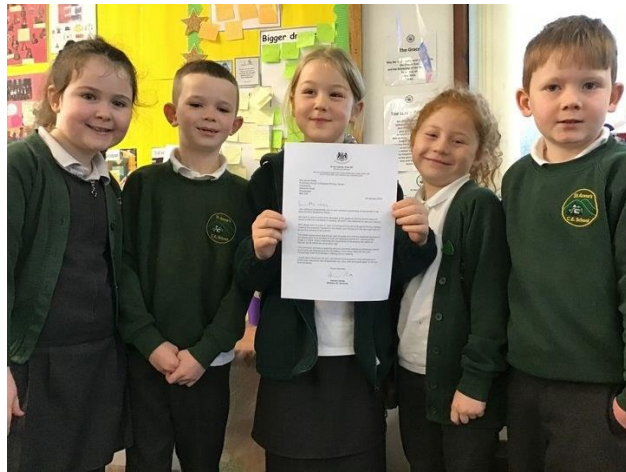


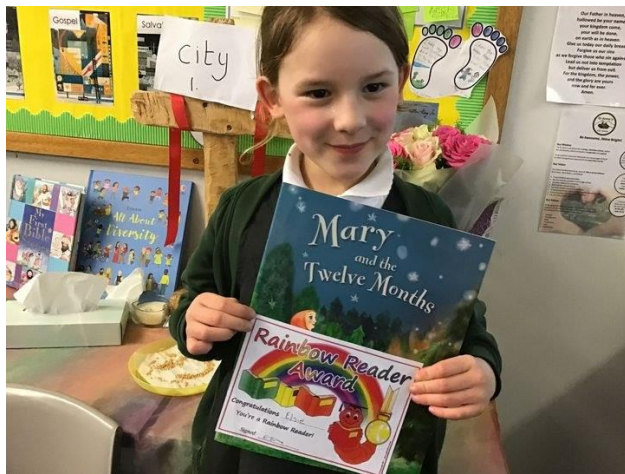
















## Forest School Dates



- Year 4 31st January and 7th February 2024
- Year 5 21st and 28th February 2024
- Year 6 6th March 2024
- Year 2 13th March 2024
- Reception and Nursery 20th and 27th March 2024

Please ensure your child has a change of clothes they can get wet and muddy outdoors along with wellies or walking boots. A waterproof outer layer is always helpful with our unpredictable weather.

## Friends of St Anne's



# Friends of St Anne's



**Friends** is a friendly group of parents and staff who meet regularly to plan events for our children to raise funds. The funds help to enhance the school curriculum. We believe extra experiences enrich our children's experiences throughout their time at St Anne's and give them lifelong memories.

Some examples of the events we hold are: discos, Christmas and summer fairs, quiz nights, raffles.

**YOU WOULD BE MADE MOST WELCOME**



# What's On!

FRIENDS OF ST. ANNE'S

FEB	VALENTINE DISCO	8TH
MAR	EASTER RAFFLE	28TH
MAY	DISCO	9TH
MAY	CRAZY HAIR DAY <small>BOTTLE TOMBOLA DONATIONS</small>	24TH
JUN	NON-UNIFORM DAY <small>SUMMER HOLIDAY THEMED PANDA SLATE DONATIONS</small>	7TH
JUN	SUMMER FAIR	28TH
JUL	END OF YEAR DISCO	11TH

FRIENDS OF ST ANNE'S

## Valentine's DISCO

JOIN US FOR A VERY SPECIAL VALENTINE'S DAY CELEBRATION

**FEB 8<sup>TH</sup> 6:00<sup>PM</sup>**

TICKETS £3 (including drink & hot dog)

FACE PAINTING/GLITTER TATTOS  
TUCK SHOP

FRIENDS  
OF ST. ANNE'S

# COFFEE AFTERNOON

JOIN US ON THE LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH  
FOR A BREW AND A CHAT

1:30 UNTIL CELEBRATION WORSHIP



EVERYONE WELCOME

## Community and Family Information





The Maden Family Hub



# ONE STOP SHOP

Drop in and find out how we can support you.



Support with Funded Childcare for 2, 3 and 4 year olds.

Extra money available. Come and check if you're eligible.

One Stop Shop is available for you to drop in between 10am and 12 noon every Thursday at The Maden Family Hub, Rochdale Road, Bacup OL13 9NZ.

Maden Family Hub – 01706 237 780

[lancashire.gov.uk](http://lancashire.gov.uk)



A FUN + FREE MONTHLY EVENT FOR AGES 4-11  
GAMES, SONGS, REACH PUPPETS... WITH A SNACK + DRINK INCLUDED!

## VISION KIDS CLUB

**SATURDAY 3 FEBRUARY**  
**10:00-11:30AM**

VISION, TENTERFIELD STREET, WATERFOOT  
FIRST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH - PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR DATES

FOR MORE INFO PLEASE VISIT [VISIONKIDS.ORG.UK](http://VISIONKIDS.ORG.UK)

(VISION) KIDS  [www.facebook.com/visionschools](https://www.facebook.com/visionschools)

<https://stannesceprimary.school/early-help-offer/>

## Diary dates



Wednesday 28th February 2024

Nursery Stay N Play 9:00am

Thursday 1st February 2024

Year 3 themed day 'Stone Age'

Monday 5th February 2024

Online Safety Week

Tuesday 6th February 2024

Young Voices Concert in Manchester

Thursday 8th February 2024

House Group Reward afternoon

**Friday 9th February 2024**

**School Closes for Half Term**

**Monday 19th February 2024**

**School Opens**

Thursday 29th February 2024

Dance Competition

Thursday 7th March 2024

World Book Day

## St Anne's Church

Welcome to St Anne's Church Edgeside



**St Anne's Church** is made up of an active group of people who love God and want to serve our Community. Our services are modern and informal and we love to get everyone involved.

All ages have a part to play at **St Anne's Church** and there are groups and activities for everyone, and because Church is not just about Sunday, there are lots of activities going on throughout the week. **Why not join us and get involved?**

Please see St Anne's church website for all the latest events and information.

<https://stannedgeside.co.uk/>



**MESSY CHURCH  
IS BACK**

JOIN US FOR AT ST ANNE'S  
CHURCH, EDGESIDE  
ON  
**SUNDAY 4 FEBRUARY**

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BREAKFAST SERVED FROM 10:30AM  
SERVICE STARTS AT 11:00AM WITH  
A STORY FROM THE BIBLE,  
WORSHIP AND CRAFT

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL, E MAIL  
[MESSYCHURCH@STANNESIDGESIDE.CO.UK](mailto:MESSYCHURCH@STANNESIDGESIDE.CO.UK)

## Weekly Awards



Class captains: Roman, Scarlett, Eliza Louise, Alivia, Finley, Lottie, Eli

Top Table: Roman, Brooklyn, Elliott, Presley, Marshall, Emily, Missy

OPAL awards: Rowan, Kayden

Breakfast Club: Lyla Mae

After School Club: Evie B

## House Points



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Loyalty: 1995

Courage: 2885

Trust: 2810

Bravery: 2475



## Contact Us



There are various ways you can contact us in school and keep up to date with school life.

- Please use our school email address [office@st-anne-edgeside.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:office@st-anne-edgeside.lancs.sch.uk)
- You can call us on: 01706 214081
- Speak to your child's class teacher at drop off or hand over times
- Our school Facebook page has events and photographs of our children:  
<https://www.facebook.com/stannescofeprimaryschool>
- And please visit our school,website for more information about out school:  
<https://stannesceprimary.school/>