



# St Antony's Catholic Primary School

## Newsletter

Monday 24th April, 2017



### Important School Dates:

### Current Events: Summer Term 1- 2017

24 <sup>th</sup> Mon	School Resumes after Easter Break
24-28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SATS REVISION WEEK</b>
26 <sup>th</sup> Wed.	Phonics Check ....Mock Primary/Secondary English Initiative
27 <sup>th</sup> Thurs	<b>Whole School Mass 10am</b> <b>Yr. 2 Parents SATS meeting 9am&amp;3:30</b> <b>Full Governing Body meeting 6:30</b>
1st May	<b>Bank Holiday-School Closed</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> May	<b>School Resumes for all</b> <b>Humanities Week</b>
5 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Pine Class Assembly</b>
8 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>SATS WEEK FOR YEAR 6</b>
19 May	<b>Peach Class Assembly</b>
19 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD FOR</b> <b>YR. 6 candidates in Brentwood</b>
22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Yr. 2 SATS
22-25	<b>Whole School Assessment</b> <b>Week Viridis to Yr 5</b>
25 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter Story Drama & Music 1:30pm in Church all are welcome to attend.
26 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Staff and Governors Inset Day</b> <b>No School for children</b>
29 <sup>th</sup> May- June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>HALF TERM BREAK</b>
<b>School resumes</b> <b>Monday</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>School Resumes For All Staff and Pupils With Performing Arts Week &amp; St Antony's Feast Day 9<sup>th</sup> June</b>

### Achievement: Star Speller Lemar

7 Year Old Lemar Matthew Of St Antony's –Yr. 2 Wins Spelling Bee Competition 2017 in Red Bridge



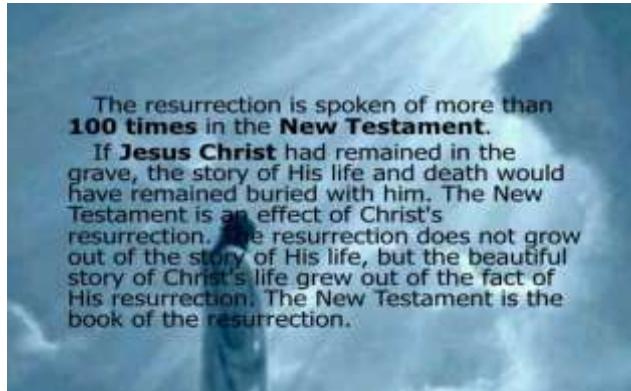
### From The Head Teacher's Desk

Our Virtue/ Value/ FOCUS for this week is:

### JESUS' JUSTICE IN THE RESURRECTION

#### Thought for the week:

"Jesus died to atone for the sins of **all** in the world-Gentile and Jew, servant and master, women and men, boys and girls, believers and those who choose not to believe. **In his resurrection, He triumphed over death and opened the gates to Everlasting Life for all...Salvation is still an open invitation to all !**" Serenity



The resurrection is spoken of more than **100 times** in the **New Testament**.

If **Jesus Christ** had remained in the grave, the story of His life and death would have remained buried with him. The New Testament is an effect of Christ's resurrection. The resurrection does not grow out of the story of His life, but the beautiful story of Christ's life grew out of the fact of His resurrection. The New Testament is the book of the resurrection.

#### Reflections on: JUSTICE

Legal justice is largely based on 'Mosaic Law' detailed in the Bible in the books of : Exodus, Leviticus and Deuteronomy. Here, generally the stance is one of justice as being from: '**An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth**' philosophy. This thinking stands in stark contrast to what we have established as **Jesus' Justice** in the **New Testament (Sermon on the Mount)** which teaches us to: '**Love those who hate us and pray for those who persecute and seek to harm us**'. The staff and pupils were asked today to consider the impact of both **Man's Justice** and **Jesus' Justice** on our world today and to asses which would be more effective at establishing true peace and harmony. Let us all seek to practise Jesus' Justice by generously sharing **love and forgiveness**.

A. Moore.



## After School Clubs & Out Of Hours Learning

### Parents Who Arrive Late To Collect their Children

Parents who arrive late to collect their children after school and for after school clubs would have been notified already by Mr Khan(PE and OOHL Lead) as well as by Mrs De Sousa/ Mrs K (MAE Managers) that their late children will always be welcomed and safeguarded in our MAE programme run from 3: 30pm to 6pm daily. This is however, at the same cost (£5 per hour) as those who have officially signed up for this service. If you do not wish to incur charges –be early.



### Golden Book Achievers For Week Ending :7/4/17

Class	Pupils	
Cherry	Rhian	Japheth
Peach	Isabella	Martina
Beech	Shanika	Beatrice
Pine	Daniella	Dylan
Olive	Kanyinsola	Zoya
Palm	Precious	Lemar
Aspen	Jan	Beyonce
Cedar	Josephine	Jessica
Sycamore	Kyrel	Kady
Willow	Jedidiah	Zeruiah
Chestnut	Lawrence	Zurell
Hazelnut	David-Christian	Fatima
Almond	Temidola	Chidera
Walnut	Alexa	Megan

## SATS BOOSTER CLASSES FOR YEAR 6

Continues all the weeks leading up to SATS

\*Parents of Year 5 Pupils are now being asked to consider beginning the transition for their children to year 6 by sending them to booster classes at 8am as of Summer 2 -June 5th, 2017

### CONGRATULATIONS!

To all 12 members of staff who attended the 3 Day First Aid Training April 11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> –you all passed your exams and will receive your certificates soon!



## Attendance and Punctuality

(All attendance and punctuality is strictly monitored by the school & Newham)  
Week ending 7/4/17

Class	% Attendance	Class	% Attendance
Peach	98.0	Cherry	95.0
Beech	96.0	Pine	99.0
Olive	98.0	Palm	96.0
Aspen	98.0	Cedar	99.0
Sycamore	99.0	Willow	98.0
Chestnut	96.0	Hazelnut	99.0
Almond	95.0	Walnut	99.0
School overall attendance		98.0	

Congratulations to Sycamore, Cedar ,Pine, Hazelnut and Walnut -securing 99.0% attendance last week of school –Spring 2 -Well Done Parents! We have lots of classes attendance in the high 90's...Lets have more classes with 100% this term!

### Lining Up Winners for week ending 7/4/17:

KS1: Beech Yr. 1/ KS1: Chestnut- Yr5 ...keep it up!

### House points : 7/4/17

House	Points	Position
St John Bosco	679	5th
St Bernadette	793	4th
St Francis	849	3rd
St Vincent	957	2nd
St. Josephine	968	1st

Congratulations to St Josephine House...

Champions again this week !

## THE PARENTS TEACHERS & FRIENDS OF ST. ANTONY'S (PTFA) NEWS

The PTFA Executive Committee would like to THANK ALL THE PARENTS WHO ATTENDED

The meeting in April

## THE MEETING WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL!

Plans for St Antony's Feast Day Celebration in June have now started –we expect full Participation from all our wonderful parents on St. Antony's Day 9/6/ 2017.



### Interesting Facts & Events To Explore For This Half Term



### YOUTH ALIVE@ST ANTONY'S

### THE SEASON OF EASTER GOES UNTIL PENTECOS



In direct response to our recent Steward of the Gospel Church Community Survey where parishioners overwhelmingly indicated that they would like more done for the youth... this new initiative is one answer in response to your request. The target audience for the programme are Years 6, 7,8 and 9 students of St. Antony's, St Bon's, St. Angela's and the young people of the Parish Community at large. Come join in as there will be FOOD, FRIENDS, FELOWSHIP and rich sharing of FAITH!



