



St Antony's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

31st October 2016



Important School Dates:

Dates	Events for Autumn Term 2016
1 st -2 nd Sept	Staff & Governor's Inset- BACK TO BASICS - 'Policy is Practise!'
5 th Sept.	School Resumes for all staff and pupils
5 th Sept.	Breakfast Club, Viridis & MAE all start
8 th Sept.	Year 6 Parents Meeting 5:30pm-Hall
12 th Sept	Yr6 Boosters & After School Clubs begin
13 th Sept.	Literacy Day-Roald Dahl 100th Focus
14 Sept.	Parents Information Evening for EYFS & KS1 at 5:30 pm- School Hall
15 th Sept	Whole School Mass 10am-all welcome
15 th Sept.	Parents Information Evening for KS2 (years 3-5) 5:30 pm –School Hall
24 th Sept.	Governors' Strategic Planning Day 2pm-6 pm at the school-Conference Room
26 th Sept	ICT WEEK-with Children & Parents Workshops on E-Safety
29 th Sept	Full Governor's meeting 6:30pm
30 th Sept	Willow Class Assembly 9:15am
3rd Oct.	Black History Month Launch Assembly
12 th Oct.	Parents History Workshop
14 th Oct	Almond Class Assembly-BHM Theme
18 th Oct.	Parents Consultation Evening 3:30-6pm
19 th Oct.	BHM Choral Performance Poetry FS/KS1
20th Oct.	Parents Consultation Evening 3:30-6pm
21st Oct.	Olive Class Assembly 2:30pm-Parents in
Last Day Of Half Term	BHM Inter –Class Performance Poetry Competition KS2 9:15am -Hall
31st Oct.	Staff & Governor Inset Day-No School for children

Next Half Term Dates To Remember: SCHOOL RESUMES FOR CHILDREN 1st Nov. 2016

1 st Nov	School Resumes for all
3rd Nov	Thursday 10am- School Mass/Harvest Launch
10 th Nov	Full Governor's Meeting 6:30pm
11 th Nov	National Remembrance Day-Poppy Sale
14 th Nov	Literacy Week
18 th Nov	Aspen Class Assembly 9:15am
21 st Nov	English & SPAG Parents' Workshop 9am&3pm
24 th Nov	Phonics Parents Workshop for EYFS/KS1 9am
25 th Nov	Hazelnut Class Assembly 9:15am
28 rd Nov	ASSESSMENT Week 2 for all classes
6 th Dec	NURSERY Christmas Concert
8 ^h Dec	RECEPTION CHRISTMAS CONCERT 10AM
13&14 Dec	YEAR 1 and YEAR 2 CHRISTMAS CONCERTS
15 th Dec	KS2 (Yrs. 3-6) CHRISTMAS CONCERTS in the Church at 1:30pm

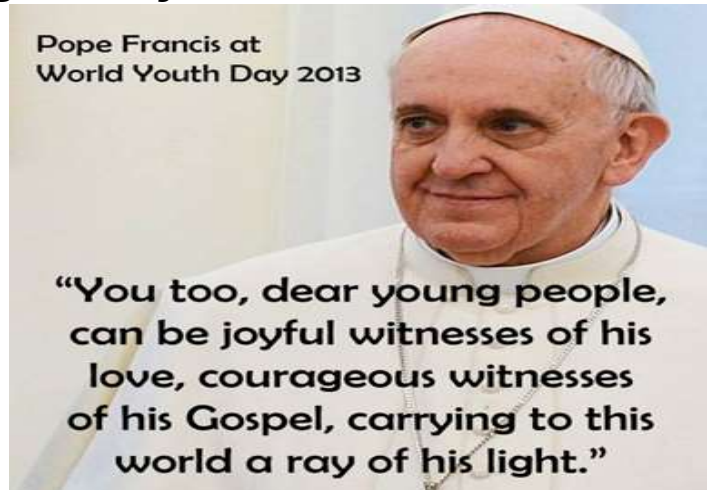
End of Term -20th December 1:30pm for children



From The Head Teacher's Desk

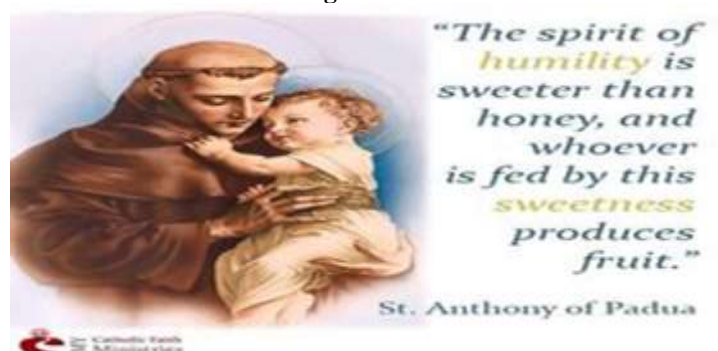
This week we celebrate the Virtues and Values
Of: **ALL SAINTS**

"Saints are ordinary people who perform extraordinary acts of mercy and generosity towards others" Mother Theresa



Welcome Back! Today is All Saints' Day - a solemn holy day of the Catholic Church celebrated annually on November 1. The day is dedicated to honouring all the Holy Saints of the Church. All Souls' Day is observed on November 2 and is dedicated to all the faithful who have died with the hope of heaven. All Saints' Day observances tend to focus on known saints such as St. Francis, St. Vincent De Paul, St. Josephine and St. Mary the Blessed Mother of Jesus who are recognized in the Canon of the Saints by the Catholic Church. This week all our pupils are encouraged to explore the life of our school's Patron –Saint Anthony of Padua to examine why he was made a saint.

Angela Moore



School Clubs Timetable



After School Clubs

OUR AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS ARE FULLY UP AND RUNNING. WE ASK THAT CHILDREN OBSERVE THE SAME GOLDEN RULES WHICH ARE IN PLACE ALL ACROSS THE SCHOOL.

THESE ARE:

1. I will respect everybody and everything at all times
2. I will keep myself and others safe at all times.
3. I will follow instructions immediately at all times.
4. I will do my best at all times.

All our children are asked to be in full compliance with these rules in all clubs as by doing so they keep themselves and others safe. Children who do not respectfully observe these rules will be asked NOT to return to clubs by staff leading in our Out of Hours School Programmes as **self-discipline** is required of all.

*Children left late after clubs habitually will be placed in our MAE programme and parents charged for their supervision at the same rate (£5)- paid by our parents signed up for this service. So....please be prompt with pick ups after clubs each day.



Attendance and Punctuality

(All attendance and punctuality is strictly monitored by the school & Newham)
For Week Ending 21/10/16

Class	% Attendance	Class	% Attendance
Beech	95.7	Pine	98.7
Olive	99.7	Palm	97.9
Aspen	95	Cedar	96.6
Sycamore	96.3	Willow	99.4
Chestnut	99.3	Hazelnut	100
Almond	99.7	Walnut	95.5
School overall attendance		97.9	

Well done to all classes with great attendance last week-especially Hazelnut with 100%! Most classes also managed very high attendance percentages (95%+ on average) and punctuality was high –Keep it up parents!

Lining Up and House Points

Winners for week ending 21/10/16:

KS2 Chestnut Class – Year 4 KS1 Palm ClassYear 1
House Points Champion :

Congratulations to St Bernadette House!



Golden Book Achievers 21/10/16

Class	Pupils	
Beech	Amber	David
Pine	Esther	Eric
Olive	Leah	Maya
Palm	Kiara	Tyvany
Aspen	Miley	Jan
Cedar	Kiara	Samuel
Sycamore	Phenial	Keiran
Willow	Alana	Cheimakah
Chestnut	David	Nana
Hazelnut	Elijah	Ellissa
Almond	Angela	Daniella
Walnut	Adonia	Junior

Applications FOR RECEPTION PLACES:

Applications for Reception Places @
St Antony's Catholic Primary School



For children to start in
September 2017

Children must be born between:
01/09/2012 to 31/08/2013

Closing date for applications is:
15th January 2017

Collect application packs from the office



The new PTFA President

Sunita Boyce wishes to thank all the parents, staff and friends of St. Antony's who turned out to support the process of electing the new officers for the PTFA executive for the academic year 2016-17. The AGM was a great success and work for the future starts now.

Our School Nurse Tinu

comes in every Thursday between 1:30pm and 3:30pm for drop in, group or class sessions and can be contacted at: 02082507346

Mobile:07908454037 or
atinukeanogbai@elft.nhs.uk



Here to help you!

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT FUND

We thank all the parents who have paid their £25 but we are encouraging those who have not yet done so to do so promptly. A reminder letter will be sent out this week.

Pupil Premium

All parents are asked to log on to the following website and register for Pupil Premium this year-pps.lgfl.org.uk

Yr. 6 Applications for Secondary School
All year 6 applications for secondary school should have been done online, posted in to the borough's Children's Services Department (by registered or recorded mail) or hand delivered to the Dockside Office by the latest 31st of October 2016. Please send in reference numbers to the school's office.