

**Newsletter
Term 6
Friday 24th June 2022**

Dear parents and carers,

Bonjour! Today was French day across our sites and the children have had a wonderful end to their week. It was also lovely to welcome our new 2022 Reception parents this week as we held the first new parents' evenings for two years. We were so proud to show off our lovely school and to welcome the newest members of the St Anne's family.

Our school community is very important to us and we are always very keen to bring the whole community together. In the coming weeks we have two big community events to enjoy -our Summer Fair and Race for life. We hope that as many of our families and the wider community can join us for these events. If you would like to help out, please speak to school. Please see below for more information.

Have a lovely weekend.

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FRENCH DAY

Today we have enjoyed a fun French day across the sites. The children have dressed in the colours of the French flag and taken part in workshops all day. They had the opportunity to build on all the French vocabulary they have been learning this year. They have sung French songs, played French games, counted in French, eaten French food, learnt about the geography of France and much more. This has been a wonderful day for all the children who have been working in mixed year groups all day. We finished off the day, with a big French sing along in the hall. A huge thank you to Mrs Treasure who has organised this wonderful day for all the children and staff.



PTFA SUMMER FAIR



The fair will take place on **Saturday 9th July from 11am to 2pm** at West Wick. Our small band of PTFA members are already busy organising this well-loved event, particularly in respect of gathering wonderful raffle prizes. If you or someone you know owns a business and would be willing to donate a raffle prize, please get in touch with them at stannesptfa@gmail.com or bring the prize into the school office marked for PTFA.

In order for these events to happen, we rely on volunteers to help. Please offer your support to keep these whole school community events running. If you would like to support the PTFA, please let us know. By emailing stannesptfa@gmail.com or by popping in to the school office to express your willingness to help. Thank you for your support.

There will be a non-uniform day on Wednesday 6th July in exchange for a tombola prize – please see the PTFA newsletter attached with this email. Children can wear their own clothes in exchange for a tombola and raffle prize.

SAD GOODBYE

Today we say goodbye to Mrs Elvin, who has worked on our Hewish site for six years supporting children. She is moving on to a position at Churchill Secondary so some of our pupils will be lucky enough to see her there. Mrs Elvin has been a wonderful member of the St Anne's team and will be sorely missed. We want to thank her for all her hard work and we wish her lots of good luck as she moves on to new adventures.

NORTH SOMERSET SEND IMPROVEMENT

Please see this message from the North Somerset SEND improvement team:

Much has changed in terms of SEND Improvement in North Somerset over recent months and they want to acknowledge the hard work that goes on in every school to note the progress that we are undoubtedly making. It is important that we gather data about what the experiences are of the parents and carers of children with SEND, as often we have visibility of only the things that aren't working well, and we know that this doesn't reflect the light and shade of everyday experiences of the system across the whole cohort. We would therefore be grateful, if you are a parent of SEND students, would you fill out a short survey (link below). Parents of children with SEND – survey closing date 15 July.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfhHOK4n2QxsfH7tb9v9C9yWGFKdo2kJp-uRHMxj1CuebVw/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0>

This will help to understand the current thinking amongst families as a baseline measure to evidence future progress.

RACE FOR LIFE

We are holding our very own Race for life event at West Wick on **Friday 1st July**. Please join us for this wonderful charity community event. Miss Bradley is working very hard to ensure this event is fun for all. Fingers crossed for good weather!



We are running our very own Race for Life community event for all of our SACA families and friends.

How to get involved:

1. Collect sponsorship
2. Turn up to the event
3. Run/walk/skip 3K with your family and friends
4. Pick up your medal
5. Donate your sponsorship to our just giving page.



**Friday 1st July
@ West Wick**

**EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2
Start 3.30pm**

**Years 5 & 6
Start 4.30pm**

**Years 3 & 4
Start 5.00pm**

Contact Miss Bradley for more information.



We have set up a just giving page to raise funds for this very important charity.

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/st-annes-church-academy>

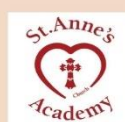
COMMUNICATING WITH SCHOOL STAFF

Can we ask that any emails to school staff be sent via the school mailbox please rather than individual staff emails. The email address for all communication is Mailbox@saca.theplt.org.uk

This mailbox is checked regularly during working hours and messages for individual staff will be forwarded as appropriate. School staff will respond to messages as soon as they can. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

SPACES FOR SEPTEMBER RECEPTION PLACES

We have a few remaining places at our Hewish campus for September 2022 starters. If you know someone looking for a school place, please share. Please spread the word about our wonderful Hewish site. The closing date for third round allocations is 24th June. Visits are very welcome.



SCHOOL STARTERS SEPTEMBER 2022



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Have you
seen our
Hewish
campus?

NAMED UNIFORM

Please ensure **all** uniform is named including water bottles and lunchboxes. As the weather is now warmer, children take items of clothing off and they get left on the field and playground. If they are named, they can be easily returned. Unclaimed unnamed items will be added to our preloved collection if not collected.

SAFEGUARDING

Safeguarding is the most important role that we all have and it is important that everyone knows where to go for support or to share any concerns. The Designated Safeguarding lead at our school is our principal, **Emma Hardy Smith**. Deputy Safeguarding Leads are Diane Martin (SENCo), Cat Hockey and Rachel Few (Learning mentors) **If you have any concerns, please share them with any of the safeguarding team.** Our safeguarding governor is Kate Sargent Kate.sargent@saca.theplt.org.uk

Our school website has lots of safeguarding information and many links to other helpful sites.

The North Somerset safeguarding partnership has lots of useful information for parents and carers available. Please click on the link below for additional support.

<https://www.nsscp.co.uk/resources-parents-carers>

DIARY DATES

Monday 27th June – Y1 Family Worship @WW 2.15pm & @H 2.30pm

Friday 1st July – Race for Life event after school

Monday 4th July – Class photos @ WW from 8.30am

Tuesday 5th July – Class photos @H from 8.30am

Wednesday 6th July – Reports out for parents and carers

Wednesday 6th July – non-uniform day in return for tombola prize

Saturday 9th July – PTFA School Summer Fete

Monday 11th July – Y2 Family Worship @WW 2.15pm & @H 2.30pm

Wednesday 13th July – Y6@H production 6.30pm Hall at West Wick

Thursday 14th July - Y6@WW production 6.30pm Hall at West Wick

Wednesday 20th July – Last day for pupils

Monday 5th September – Start of term for children – term 1