

# St Anne's Church Academy @Hewish & @West Wick



## Newsletter Term 6 Friday 8th July 2022

Dear parents and carers,

Thank you so much to all the children and their families who took part in our Race for Life last Friday. So far, the school has raised over £1300 for Cancer research. What a brilliant achievement. What a caring and compassionate school community we have at St Anne's. Thank you everyone.

It was such a lovely event and was very well supported. Hopefully, it will become an annual event for the school.

Next week is our last full week of this term and the school year and it will be a very busy one. We have year 2 family worship and year 6 productions. On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July, the children will meet their new teachers too! The weather is going to be gorgeous and we know it is tempting to take the children out of school for holidays and trips but it



is very important that children attend school right up until the end of term. We do not want them to miss out on any of the lovely activities we have planned.

Have a lovely weekend!
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### **SUMMER FAIR TOMORROW**

The fair is on **tomorrow** from **11am to 2pm** at our West Wick site. Thank you to all the parents and carers who have volunteered to help our PTFA this week. We really appreciate it.

There is still time to purchase raffle tickets – we have some amazing prizes up for grabs, including lots of days out for you and the family to enjoy over the summer. There will be lots of games and stalls for your all to enjoy as well as refreshments, including a bar, and an ice cream van! Please come and enjoy the fun!

#### **HEALTHY SCHOOLS AWARD**

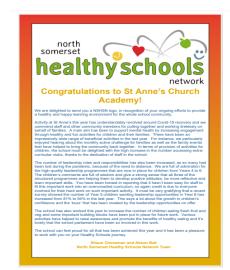
We are very proud to have been awarded a Healthy Schools award. We are one of a very few numbers of schools who took part in this award scheme this year. The whole school worked very hard under the leadership of Mrs Manning to provide a healthy and happy learning environment for the whole school community in order to achieve this award. Well done to all staff and children.

Here are some quotes from the report.

'In terms of provision of activities for children, the school must be delighted with the high increase in the number accessing extracurricular clubs, thanks to the dedication of staff in the school.'

'We are full of admiration for the high-quality leadership programmes that are now in place for children from Years 4 to 6'

'The school can feel proud for all that has been achieved this year and it has been a pleasure to work with you on your Healthy Schools journey'



#### FRIDGE OF FREE STUFF

Did you know that Weston-Super-Mare opened its first Community Fridge project in January? It is located in the Sovereign Centre and is open to the whole community providing free food for those in need. It is part of

an initiative to reduce food waste by redistributing supplies of surplus food from local retailers that would otherwise be thrown away. More information can be found via these links:

https://www.facebook.com/FridgeofFreeStuffWSM/

https://wsm-tc.gov.uk/the-fridge-of-free-stuff-opens-at-the-sovereign-centre/

#### **REPORTS**

You should have received an electronic copy of your child's annual report today. Please check your emails including your spam folders. If you have not received your child's report, please let your child's teacher know on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July and we will arrange for it to be sent out again. Children in year 2 and year 6 will also receive end of Key Stage statutory assessment information which has also been shared with you.

### **COMMUNICATING WITH SCHOOL**

Emails to all school staff should be sent via the school mailbox 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 SEPTEMBR 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.



### **LOST PROPERTY AND UNIFORM**

As we approach the end of year, please check all lost property. At Hewish we have a large number of items in the lost property box. Please ensure **all** uniform is named including water bottles and lunchboxes. 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 <u>Kate.sargent@saca.theplt.org.uk</u>

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**

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July – PTFA School Summer Fete Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Y2 Family Worship @WW 2.15pm & @H 2.30pm Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July – Y6@H production 6.30pm Hall at West Wick Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July - Y6@WW production 6.30pm Hall at West Wick Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Last day for all pupils Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September – Start of term for children – term 1

## **SPORTS CAMPS**



