

**Newsletter
Term 2
Friday 16th December 2022**



Dear parents and carers,

Everyone at St Anne's wishes you a very Merry Christmas. Thank you for all your support and kindness this year. We really appreciate it. Have lovely break and we will see you all in the new year.

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Remember to follow our facebook sites and our Twitter accounts to see lots of school activities.
@StAnnes_EHS

BREAKFAST CLUB

Please see below link to book Breakfast Club for Term 3

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1wtedYM1Vfb0S_sdOurFoQSLuIYv22FvgO9QnavE924M/edit?usp=sharing_eil_se_dm&ts=639c7a41

STAFF CHANGES FOR THE NEW YEAR

As a part of The Priory Learning Trust, we support a number of schools in the local area to grow and develop. This sometimes means that staff from St Anne's and the other primaries in the Trust are required to move to other schools to assist in improving teaching and learning opportunities for all children. This can sometimes happen at very short notice as need arises. With this in mind, we have a few staff changes for January.

Miss Bradley, our West Wick Year three teacher, will be moving to Berrow Church of England school to take on a leadership secondment role. The hope is that the school will join TPLT next year. This is a wonderful leadership opportunity for Miss Bradley and we fully support her in taking this role.

Mrs Cockram, our Hewish year two teacher, has kindly offered to move to West Wick to teach the class full time for the rest of the academic year. Mrs White will continue as the Year 2 teacher at Hewish three days a week and will be joined by a new teacher, Miss Axford, who is very excited to be teaching the Year 2 class on the other two days.

We appreciate that this is very short notice for everyone but we have worked very quickly this week to ensure that we have a strong teaching team across these classes. Both teachers will be around during the first week of January to ensure a thorough handover for both classes. Miss Bradley's official last day will be January 6th, and her secondment will end at the end of August. We know that all three teachers will be excellent in their new roles.

ELF RUN

We were very sad to have to cancel our Elf run in support of Weston Hospice Care last weekend due to the very cold weather and icy conditions. We were hoping to rearrange the run during school hours but the continued icy weather has hampered that. We know that some children have raised sponsorship money and are keen to run. We want to support them with this so if anyone would like to, one suggestion was that children and their families could run during the festive period and then upload and send a video or photo of themselves doing it to the school email mailbox@saca.theplt.org.uk and we could then share on our social media platforms. Sponsorship can be sent to <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stanne-s-church-academy>



DIARY DATES

Tuesday 3rd January – First day of term

Monday 9th January – After school clubs start

Wednesday 11th January – SEND coffee morning @ Hewish 9:30am – 11:30am

Thursday 12th January – Year 3 swimming @ Hewish

SUPPORT SIGNPOSTS

We understand that the cost of living crisis is affecting so many people, and so we have pulled together some links across North Somerset and Somerset, with the aim of signposting available support.

If you become aware of any other support that becomes available please email your school with the details so that we can share with others.

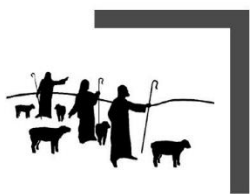
Please scan this QR code to see the links...

Or follow this link <https://stanneschurchacademy.co.uk/parents/support-signposts/>



CHURCH SERVICES AT CHRISTMAS

Church services at St Andrews church at Congresbury



As part of the Crib and Christingle services we would like to invite you to come dressed as a shepherd

We have prizes for the best shepherd costume



BUT WHY THE SHEPHERDS?

St. Andrew's Church Congresbury

Would like to invite you to our crib service
On Saturday 24th December at 3.30pm
Including Christingle

Christmas services @ Locking Castle church

Service Times

18th December:

Carol Service 6pm

24th December:

Christingle 4pm

Midnight Communion 11pm

25th December:

Christmas Day Service 10am

www.lockingcastlechurch.org



LOCKINGCASTLECHURCH

Special Christmas services at St Mark's church

Christmas Eve

4pm - Crib Service

A special service just for primary-aged children.

Together we tell the nativity story and put dolls in the crib, singing Christmas carols as we go.

This is a short service where children are encouraged to take part.

Would your child like to read some of the story or put a doll in the crib scene?

Contact Rev Chris Elms to book a slot (07306 090 055).

9.30pm - Late night communion

Christmas morning

10.30am - Short worship service

