

Newsletter

St. Anselm's Catholic Primary School



25/11/16

Dear Parents

The children have very much enjoyed sharing their work with you over the last couple of weeks, during open class. Many parents commented on the quantity of work that the children have produced, and the pride they felt in their achievements. It was also lovely to see the children showing their parents their classroom environments and pointing out work they had done. Thank you to the teachers for preparing the children so well. A particular highlight was the film made by Y6 who transformed into reporters from the Viking era!



Christmas

As we move into Advent, Christmas seems to be marching towards us! There are a number of events happening before the end of term including the senior citizens' party, productions for reception, KS1 and KS2, Christmas fun afternoon and toy sale, and Christmas parties. Please do check the newsletters and the website for dates, and look out for Parentmail communications which will give you more details.



A date for your diary

I have booked an ICT consultant to come and work with us all day on 26th January, to educate staff, parents and the children about e-safety and the dangers of the internet. There will be a talk for parents at 9:00am which will be repeated at 6pm.



Did you know that whenever you buy anything online, from your weekly shop to your annual holiday, you could be raising a free donation for St Anselm's School through easyfundraising.org.uk? There are over 3,100 well-known shops and sites on board ready to make a donation to St Anselm's School, including Amazon, John Lewis, M&S, Sainsbury's, Expedia and eBay and it doesn't cost you a penny extra!

Please register to support us today.

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The children will be bringing home pupil questionnaires so that we can hear what their views are on school life.

Please help them to complete their questionnaire and send it back to school as soon as possible.



Good luck to the choir who will be taking part in the Beckenham Choir Festival on Saturday. We look forward to hearing how you get on! The choir will also be singing at Mass on Monday, and will be performing at the Mayor's Carol Concert in Putney on 5th December.

Thank you for all your good wishes during my induction Mass last Sunday. I was very touched by all the preparation, and the beautiful singing.

Hattie Elwes
Headteacher

Please join us for Advent Mass on Monday 28th November, at 10:00 in the church.



Please may I remind parents that they are not permitted to park in the school car park when collecting children, including collection from after-school clubs. The car park is for staff only.

Autumn Term Dates

November

28th Advent Mass - whole school event

December

2nd Senior Citizens' party - 2pm
7th KS1 Christmas play - 2:15pm
9th YR nativity - 2:15pm
13th Xmas lunch
15th KS2 Christmas play - 7pm
16th Christmas jumpers and festivities
19th Christmas parties
21st School closes at 2pm

January

3rd INSET day (school closed)
4th Children return to school
17th Y6 parent meetings
19th Y5 parent meetings
23rd Y1 parent meetings
24th Y2 parent meetings
25th Y3 and YR parent meetings
31st Y4 parent meetings



Reception assembly 16th March instead of 15th March
23rd June: New INSET day.