

# St Anthony's Newsletter

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## Love your neighbour



There has been a theme of giving this week. On Wednesday, the children and staff went on a sponsored walk to raise funds for the children's home and school in Mongu, Zambia. We have been associated with the school for many years and one of the teachers there, Sr Stella, usually visits us when she is in the UK. All sponsor money should be sent to the school office.

In addition to this, the children in Key Stage 2 had a special assembly to make them aware of the importance of adults giving blood and bone marrow to save lives. It was prepared by the local charity, Team Margo, with the aim of raising awareness of this important act of giving. For more information, visit <http://givingtohelpothers.org/>

Finally, two of St Anthony's children have taken it upon themselves to raise money for other causes. We are very grateful to them for doing this. Kit raised money for Cystic Fibrosis by doing a charity run through Dulwich Park and Freya raised money for children with cancer by organising a fund raiser at a family wedding.



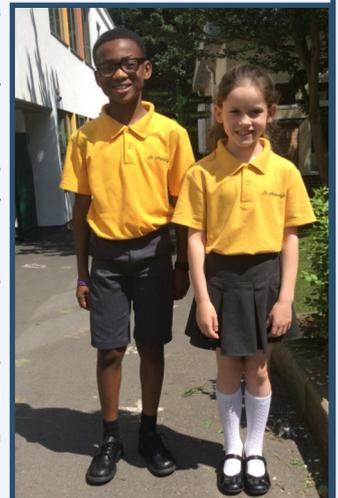
## Open Evening—Please come!

On Wednesday 13th June there will be an evening of celebration, recognising the successes of our school over these two terms of transition. Mrs Gallagher and I will be joined by Mrs Hawthorne, the incoming headteacher of St Anthony's, and the governing body. There will be a brief address by us but most of the evening will be from the children. There will be a short film they have made about school life, some musical performances and dance. The chef will be preparing food and there will be displays of art and crafts. The atmosphere will be relaxed and you will be able to meet and mingle during the event.

**You are warmly invited to attend** (from 6pm until 7.30pm). It will be a great opportunity for you to meet the new head and the governors in a relaxed atmosphere.

## Look smart

With the warm weather comes the desire to loosen a button, take off a jumper and generally feel more comfortable. This is, of course, absolutely fine and is the reason we have a summer uniform. Children should still, however, look smart so please take note of our uniform list, which is on the website. Here is a picture of Katie and Daniel looking particularly smart in their summer outfits.



## Summer Fairs

**8th Camberwell Scout Group / 15th East Dulwich Brownie Pack**

Our 27th Annual Summer Fair will be held on **Saturday 16th June** in the grounds behind St. Thomas More Church from 1.00pm to 4.00pm. Bring along the family, there will be something for all to take part in.

Also includes model Steam and Electric Train rides!

Note: the **School Summer Fair** will be **Saturday 7th July**

## Faith Life

◆ St Patrick's Class led the school assembly today; it was on the theme of The Good Shepherd

◆ Next Wednesday (13th June) is our Patronal Feast Day (St Anthony of Padua)

◆ St Paul and St George classes will be joining the parish for Mass at St Thomas More Church on Tuesday next week

◆ Next Friday the assembly will be at 2.30pm because our French Penpals will be visiting

◆ **Chaplaincy Team's** thought for the week:

*Do not let the past disturb you, just leave everything in the Sacred Heart and begin again with joy.*

(St. Teresa of Calcutta)

Today is the feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

## It's a girl!

Congratulations to Noah in Nursery on the birth of his baby sister. No name yet but I understand Noah has a few ideas.

## Young artists

Year 5 visited Dulwich Picture Gallery this week, where they learned printing techniques. The work will be displayed in the gallery this summer.



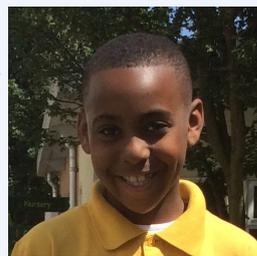
## Headteacher Award Winners

Congratulations to the following pupils for good manners and hard work this week:

Our Lady's Nursery:	Vwede and Eden
St Julie's:	Fern and Nicole
St Joseph's:	Sadie and Julia
St Francis':	Daniel and Eleanor
St Thérèse:	Ifunanya and Michael
St Anne's:	Oliver John and Anna
St Agnes':	Raffi and Sarah
St Bernadette's	Freya and Moses
St Peter's:	Cameron and Nicolle
St George's:	Dominic and Anna
St Patrick's:	Rebecca and Annie
St Clare's:	Mia and Sofia
St John's:	Danielle and Neve
St Paul's:	Janus and Evan
St Thomas':	Aurora and Gabriel

## Just my cup of tea!

On Wednesday, Year 3 became apprentice tea tasters by appointment of the Royal Family. We smelt and tasted a variety of teas including: jasmine, peppermint, chamomile, breakfast and spicy ginger. We wrote down our tasting notes to describe the aromas and flavours. This is one of our descriptions: "With a strong blast of honey and a spicy minty flavour, it will be sure to refresh your mind."



Thanks to Joseph in Year 3 for writing this report. The children have just started reading *Cloud Tea Monkeys* by Mal Peet and Elspeth Graham. The tea tasting was to get them in the mood!

## The Croydon Avengers

This show, aimed at young people aged 8-14 and their families, will be at the Oval House Theatre Tues 19– Sat 23 June. Flyers are available at the school office.

## Last Weeks Solutions and Winners

9,240



Congratulations Paulo and Sophia who are last week's winners.

## Maths Problems

### Early Years

There are 10 cats on the wall. Half of them are male. How many are female?



### Lower School

You are packing a first aid kit. Ice packs weigh 2kg, fresh water bottles weigh 5kg and bandages weigh 1kg. The kit can't weigh more than 10kg. What items could you include?

### Upper School

George leaves band practice at the time shown on the clock. His practice lasts 1 hour and 50 minutes. At what time does his practice start?

