St Andrew's Newsletter



Summer Term 12 13th July 2018

Last Saturday was the St. Andrew's Summer Fayre. Sally and The Friends worked relentlessly to set up all the stalls and activities and to prepare all the food and drink and games. The weather was absolutely glorious and it was a fantastic event. Thank you so much to everyone who helped to run a stall, put up gazebos, clean the barbecue, serve food, empty the shed, repack the shed and so much more! We could not have had such a wonderful event without all the brilliant support from parents and The Friends. Thank you to everyone who attended and supported the school. Thank you to John Jones and Nicola Owen and the children who took part in the amazing Judo and Gymnastics routines. Thank you so much to Sally for all her hard work and commitment to the school. I know that as soon as she has the final figure, she will let us all know how much money the Fayre raised.



Friday Picnic

On Friday we will be having a picnic on the school field. A separate email and Dojo message has been sent.

Please remember that school finishes at 2:30pm on Friday, so there will be no After School Club on this day.

Important Dates

Monday 16th July – Junior Production at 1.45pm Junior Production at 7.30pm Tuesday 17th July – Orchestra Assembly to All Parents Tuesday 17th July – Junior Production at 7.30pm Thursday 19th July – Leavers' Disco at 7pm Friday 20th July – Leavers' Assembly 1.15pm Monday 3rd September – Staff Training Day Tuesday 4th September – Children return to school

Athletics

Year 6 attended an athletics event at Oak Farm School on Wednesday. They competed alongside 3 other schools in various different athletics events. There were several top three finishes and a gold medal as well.

All the athletes showed great determination, togetherness and respect. Well done. Thank you to Mr McElwee and Mr Withams for organising and accompanying the children.



Merit Awards

- Nursery Sophie, Rosie, Jasper, Royce
 - Reception Arthur, Gwilym, Nyah
 - Year 1 The Whole Class
 - Year 2 Domas, Isaac
 - Year 3 Austin, Gabrielle
 - Year 4 Lucy, Mia, Jia Onn
 - Year 5 Asi, Emily
 - Year 6 The Whole Class
 - Well done to all!

Breakfast Club and After School Club

Book online at <u>https://www.schoolfriendclub.com/our-clubs-</u> <u>1/st-andrews-c-of-e-primary-school/</u>

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Incidents in School

Please can I remind all parents that if your child comes home from school and says that there has been some sort of problem in school, that you contact the class teacher either in person or via Class Dojo and allow them to follow up, find out what happened and deal with any consequences. Please do not approach other parents and attempt to resolve issues directly. Many thanks.

Water Bottles

Please make sure that children bring their water bottles to school every day. In this heat it is so important that they drink water regularly. We do not have the facilities or the staffing to be able to keep supplying cups of water all day. There are a number of water fountains with specially designed spouts so that children can refill their bottles as and when needed. Thank you for your support.

Year 1 and 2 Trips

This week Year 1 visited the Science Museum and Year 2 visited the Natural History Museum. Both classes had a wonderful time and I know that lots of photos have been shared on Dojo. The children were all superbly behaved. Thank you to all the parents and helpers who accompanied the classes on these trips.

Raffle Prizes

There are a few prizes from last Saturday's Grand Raffle that have not yet been claimed. Some of the ticket stubs are quite difficult to read, but here are the details as best as we can read them. Please see the office if you believe you have

> won a prize. D. Dussea Inga c/o Ruby Y6 Eli Sangila (?) Tasha Petar Y1 Susan Turfrey Pat Warner Jaoa (?) Harry Y3 A. Blake Congratulations to all winners!