St. Ann's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Thursday 5th June 2026

Upcoming Events…

Monday 15th June (8:50am)	Y3/4 Assembly on Water Safety
Friday 19th June	Non-Uniform Day
Friday 26th June	Y5/6 Catholic Cup
Saturday 27th June (12-4pm)	St Ann's School Summer Gala
Monday 29th June	Piano Recital (Information to follow)
Tuesday 30th June	Whole School Transition Day
Wednesday 1st July (8:50am)	Mass Feast of St Peter & St Paul
Thursday 2nd July (8:50am)	Y2 Celebration of the Word: Dialogue and Encounter
Tuesday 7th July	Reports sent home
Wednesday 8th July	NSPCC Pants Day
Wednesday 8th July (6pm)	Y5/6 Production of Jonah and the Whale (tickets on sale shortly)
Thursday 9th July (6pm)	Y5/6 Production of Jonah and the Whale (tickets on sale shortly)
Friday 10th July	Whole School Trip to Hornsea Seaside (Information to follow)

After School Club Cancellations…

Occasionally, staff training or school events may conflict with our club schedule. To stay informed about planned cancellations, please check this section of our weekly newsletter, where we aim to list known clashes a half-term in advance. In the event of an unavoidable last-minute cancellation (such as staff illness), we will notify you directly via email.

Cancelled After School Clubs – Summer 2 half term:	Teacher	Date:
Funky Phonics	Mrs Brotherton	Wednesday 24th June
Funky Phonics	Mrs Brotherton	Wednesday 1st July
TT Rock Stars	Mrs Marshall	Thursday 2nd July
Funky Phonics	Mrs Brotherton	Monday 22nd June

There will be no After School Clubs running during our last week of School (13th – 17th July)

Proud to be Me… *GOD'S KINGDOM: "The kingdom is hidden within you; it is found in your own soul." St Isaac of Nineveh We can help God's kingdom of peace and healing to grow within and around us through the little things that we do and say. Each of you choose one way in which you can help the kingdom of God to grow. Perhaps you can: be more helpful around the house; share more; support a child, family or project at school where help is needed. Why not get involved with a charity that helps the poorest in the world (e.g. visit Cafod.org.uk or Missio.org.uk)?*

Reception	Dollie	Well done to Dollie for your fantastic flamenco dancing as part of our World Cup Around the World journey! Dollie showed great confidence, enthusiasm, and energy, and her movements and bright smile helped bring the dance to life. Dollie represented Spain wonderfully and should be very proud of her amazing performance. Well done, Dollie!
Year 1	Whole of Y1	A huge well done to all of Year 1 for your superb attitude, determination, and hard work during your Phonics Quiz this week. You showed fantastic resilience, confidence, and a real willingness to do your best. We are incredibly proud of all that you have achieved and the progress you have made. Keep up the amazing work, Year 1!
Year 2	Olivia	This week, Olivia has truly impressed us with her enthusiasm and dedication during our World Cup Around the World topic! Using the Chromebook, she independently researched countries and flags, chose her winning team, and designed her own football shirt inspired by her favourite player. Olivia has shown great enthusiasm, independence and creativity in her learning. We are very proud of her efforts.

Proud to be Me Continued…

Year 3	Dougie	Dougie has had a great week! He demonstrated real determination and enthusiasm with his skipping. He was a fabulous representative of St Ann's school at the skipping competition. In class, Dougie has been a wonderful learning partner, helping his friends and sharing his amazing ideas!
Year 4	Henry R	Henry has worked really hard on his underwater danger artwork. He thought carefully about how he could illustrate the danger and worked diligently in blending his watercolours to create a beautiful scene.
Year 5	Vincent	Vincent researched and produced a great information document on the nutrients in different fruit and vegetables as part of our mission Move/Healthy Eating focus this week. Well done.
Year 6	Hermione	Hermione has shown great resilience this week, taking part in several challenging activities that took her out of her comfort zone. She persevered and showed determination to keep going. Well done Hermione, we are really proud of you!

PE: Dollie showed great perseverance to learn how to do a kick-up in football. After a bit of help and some practice she did a brilliant job. Rory R has a great competitive spirit and works really hard in lesson. Learnt our skills really quickly today. Bea mastered the dragback and is doing a great job of remembering all of the information the class is learning. Avayah has been fantastic this week. Whether it is skipping or football Mr Pritchard has been super impressed with her determination and enthusiasm. Aleston has just simply been amazing. Trying his best at skipping with a massive smile on his face. Then his footballing skills just have to be seen to be believed. Thank you Aleston! Gerard's positioning and persistence goes mostly unnoticed. It isn't just about goals but working as a team and Gerard certainly does that. Esme - I seem to be more and more impressed with Esme in PE lessons. Esme is a keen learner and leader. Organising the team efficiently and also working hard in goal.

Sheffield Skipping Festival Awards: GOLD: Avayah – Pretzel Girl SILVER – Henry R – Double Bounce Boy BRONZE – Henry H – side swing boy BRONZE – Heidi G – Cross Over Girl DETERMINATION – Ava SELF BELIEF - Aleston TEAM WORK – Darla

Spanish: Romee tried really hard remembering the colours in Spanish this week and helping others to remember them too. Rory tried really hard this week pronouncing the new words in Spanish and adding actions. Well done Rory. Jacob W always tries hard with his work and pronunciation in Spanish. He is very creative. Lucy always shows wonderful enthusiasm in Spanish and this week was no different. She is a pleasure to teach and always produces lovely work. Oliver H always works really hard in Spanish, trying really hard with pronunciation and this week completing all the sentences about going to the seaside.

Music: Kathaleana for her super effort this week in our Spanish themed s music and dance lesson. Isreal for showing such enthusiasm for our Spanish themed dance and music lesson. Aida for great work this week in our lesson matching graphic notation to instrument sounds. Tinashe for trying really hard this week in our xylophone ensemble lesson.

Attendance: Year 1 with 100% **Happy Birthday** Louie

Bronze Awards go to: Paisley for earning 100 Monster Effort points – Well done!

Gold Awards go to: Adam, Milo, Athena, Charlotte, Nico, Rory and Sara for earning 300 Monster Effort points – Well done!

Platinum Awards go to: Romee for earning 400 Monster Effort points – Well done!

Plugs for Parents…

Y3/4 Assembly on Water Safety 15.06.26: Family and Friends are invited to join us for this assembly. Drowning Prevention Week is a major annual water safety campaign led by the Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK). Timed just before the summer school holidays, it runs next week and aims to equip children and families with crucial water safety skills to prevent accidental drownings. Further information and resources can be found on the RLSS website, and there is useful information on their website to share with your Parents/carers.

Non-Uniform Day 19.06.26: Children are invited to come to School in their own clothes and as a forfeit bring something for St Ann's Summer Gala, specifically tombola prizes. This might be gift sets, smellies, bottles of anything (edible or otherwise), new games, chocolates, candles etc (anything that would make a good prize). We do politely ask that all prizes are new and not second hand.

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Whole School Transition Day 30.06.26: On this day, each class will be moving up a year in readiness for September. For some children only their peers will change, as they will have the same teacher and classroom. For other children this will be a good opportunity to be in their new classroom with their new teacher. Please collect at 3pm from the usual place.

Mass Feast of St Peter & St Paul 01.07.26 Family and friends are warmly invited to join us for this Mass.

Y2 Celebration of the Word: Dialogue and Encounter 02.07.26: Family and friends are warmly invited to join us for this Celebration of the Word

NSPCC Talk PANTS 08.07.26: On this day, children will be discussing the NSPCC's Talk PANTS rules in our PSHE lessons. During these discussions we will aim to teach our children important safety skills without giving explicit information or telling scary stories. Please see the attached documents for full information. Please also watch this short video that the children will be watching.

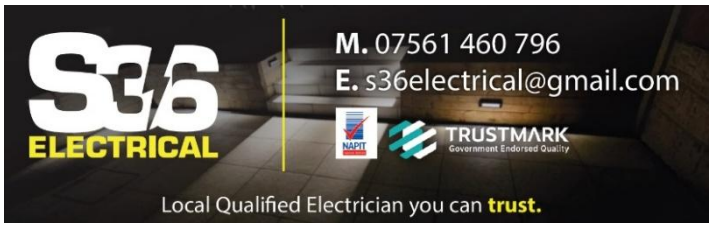
St Ann's Summer Gala 27.06.26: SAFFA are asking for help with the Gala on Saturday 27th June.

- Help beforehand would be much appreciated, so if you can give any time, please turn up between 9am and 11am. Help afterwards (many hand make light work). email Ashleigh at saffapta@gmail.com if you can help in any way.
- SAFFA are also asking for baking donations for the cake stall – email Ashleigh at saffapta@gmail.com if you can donate baked goods.
- Good quality second hand toys – for the toy and bric-a-brac stall (nothing broken or incomplete please) Bring donations to School any time.

Thank you in advance for your support.

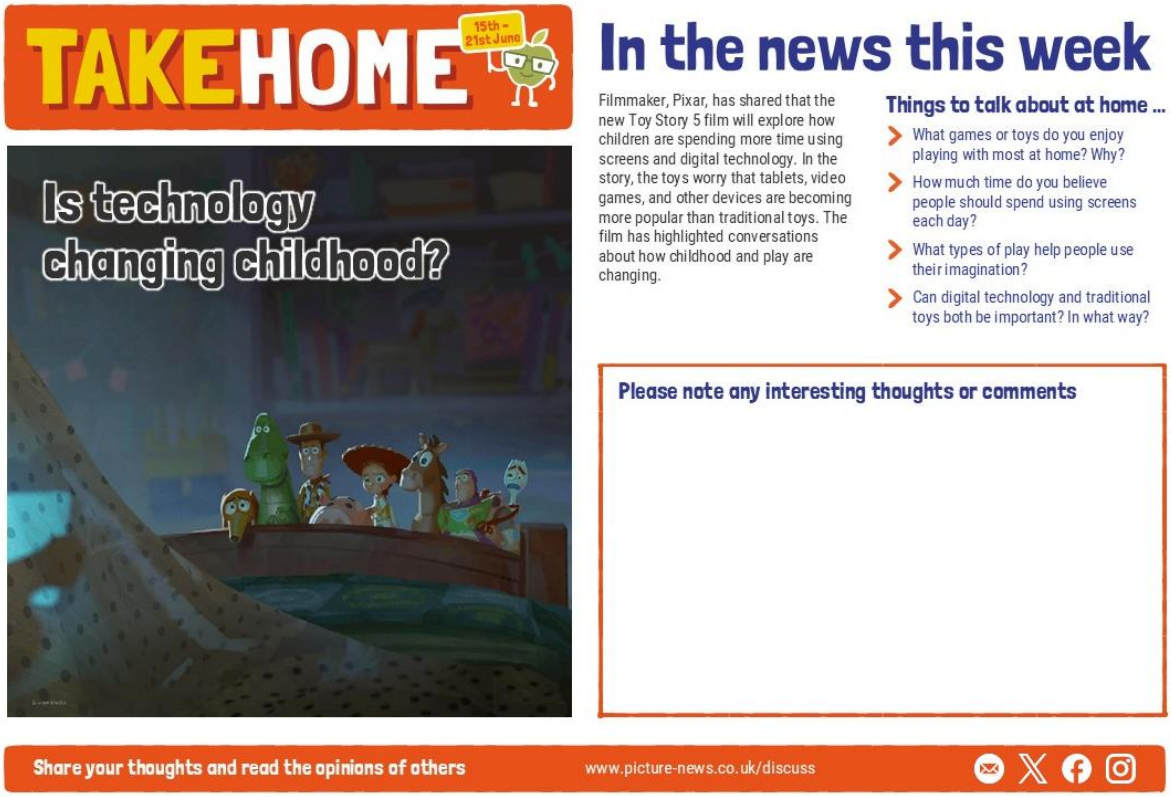
Save the date! Saturday 27th June 2026
St Ann's School Summer Gala

A huge thank you to our local partner, S36 Electrical who are proud sponsors of St Ann's School Summer Gala



Picture News…

This is the question that we will be deliberating…



Links and Attachments…

- National Online Safety – What Parents & Educators Need to Know about Echo Chambers
- Ten:Ten Parent Newsletter
- Wednesday Word
- St Ann's School Grown Out of It page (Please use to sell and buy pre-loved St Ann's uniform)
- St Ann's Church and St Mary's Church Newsletter
- SAFFA School Lottery – Your School Lottery
- Sheffield Mini and Junior Run - 27th September 2026 | Run For All | Run For All
- St Ann's Church Family Quiz Night Poster
- Sheffield Youth Folk Festival Poster
- Children's Commissioner's Survey
- Stocksbridge Community Leisure Centre Summer Fayre
- NSPCC Talk Pants