

ST ANNE'S FRIDAY UPDATE 13th February 2026



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Headteacher's Weekly Message

Dear parents and carers, the weather is certainly a lot colder but hopefully we will see some sunshine during the half term holiday. Thank you FOSA for organising the Valentines Disco the hall looked amazing, and the children had such a great time, a wonderful end to a busy half term. Next half term will be just as busy with outings already booked, as Lent continues preparations for Easter, parents' evenings, World Book Day & Book Fair etc. and so much more. We will be sending home an updated list; all events are on our new website calendar. Enjoy your half term break. See you all on 23rd February. Mr Hilton



This week's Headteachers award went to Abubaka in class Yr5

God fill our hearts with goodness, love and courage to help make changes.



Loving God, help us to see when we are doing something that hurts or upsets others. Help us to say sorry and to make a change. Fill our hearts with your love and goodness. Amen.

STARS OF THE WEEK

-Positive Attitude

CLASS

REC	Mylo
1	Kaizer
2	Samuel
3	Diego
4	Maya
5	Eliana
6	Pema

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Whole school attendance

RA	90%	3	96%
1	95%	4	97%
2	96%	5	95%
		6	92%

It is expected that all children reach at least 96% attendance

Best Class Attendance goes to

Yr4 97%



Well done

Please note that all attendance and awards are for the previous week

This year, Lent begins during the half term holiday.

The traditional celebration of Pancakes is on Shrove Tuesday 17th February followed by the receiving of Ashes on Ash Wednesday 18th February.

The season of Lent consists of the 40 days, not including Sundays, before Easter. The word Lent is derived from the Germanic root for long because it is observed in spring when the days get longer. Lent is a time to prepare for the holiest time of the Christian year by fasting, praying, almsgiving, and other acts of penance. Many people give up something for Lent (a food, watching TV, etc.) or do something to bring them closer to God such as daily devotions or charitable donations. The church colour for most of Lent is purple which symbolises repentance as well as royalty. The word alleluia is not used during Lent.

For Lent this year, we will be raising money for CAFOD by doing the Big Lent Walk. Keep a look out for information sent home when we return after the half term holiday.

Thank you to Miss Da Silva for such a well organised Internet Safety Day. So much helpful information for our children and families to help keep us safe on the Internet.

After half term **ALL** children in Year 6 who attend a club can go home on their own (with parent/carer's permission) at 4.45pm as it will be light at home time.



A very big thank you to all the Friends of St Anne's, and of course Jimmy Weekly the DJ for putting all their time and effort into our St. Valentine's Discos. The children had a wonderful time and there was some great dancing.

Unfortunately, there will be no Yoga Classes after the half term break.

We hope to bring these classes back in the summer term. Please register your interest in YOGA using the [YOGA LINK](#)

The week we return after the half term holiday

Tue	Yr1 Visiting Brixton Windmill
Wed	Y4 Young Voices Concert at the O2
Thur	Mbilla Art & Drumming performance & Workshop (R/Yr1) Yr5 Oval Yr3 Swimming
Fri	Afternoon Tea for Pupil Stars of the Week

School re opens on
Monday 23rd February
Have a safe and enjoyable half term break.

Good morning,

During half term, please encourage your child to spend some time working towards The Fourth Plinth art and design competition, which was launched during a whole school assembly a couple of weeks ago. There is a Power Point on the School Website giving all the details and information you will need as well as a link if you have any further questions.

Today, your child will bring home an A3 drawing template and an A3 card template to construct a 3D model for them to choose which one they would like to design. There will also be copies available from myself or the school office.

Although the closing date for the competition is not until Sunday 22nd March, half term would be a great time for your child to get started.

Let us have a winning design from St Anne's!



Kind regards
Miss Flower

Look for the link below on our school website for more information



[Fourth Plinth Competition FINAL Version.pptx](#)

Vauxhall City Farm

Feb Half Term

As well as petting and feeding the animals, you can...

- 🌱 Plant some seeds in our Sustainable Spring Sowing Club - FREE!
- ☕ Have a coffee while the kids watch a movie in our Kids Film Club - FREE!
- 🧠 Complete farm themed activity sheets for fun whilst learning - FREE!
- 🥞 Try delicious pancakes with toppings of your choice! - £various
- 🐰 Meet our small animals in the VIP Cuddle Corner! - £5
- 👣 Follow our super fun Farm Trail - £3

As half term kicks off on Valentines Day 💕 we are also launching our **Tree of Love** where visitors can donate items from our Amazon Wish List.

Head to The Farm between 14th - 22nd Feb (excl. Mon 16th), 10:30am - 4pm.