

# ST ANNE'S RC PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

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## HEADTEACHER'S NEWSLETTER

### Year 4's Class Mass for Lent



On Tuesday our wonderful Year 4 pupils led us in a Class Mass for Lent. It was lovely to share Mass with many parents, parishioners and members of our St Anne's Community. Next Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March, Year 3 will be leading the Class Mass at 9:15am in the School Hall. Please do come and join us-you are all very welcome.

### World Down Syndrome Day



Thursday 21 March is World Down Syndrome Day. On 21 March, please choose to wear some socks that are going to get noticed! They might be mismatched socks or your craziest and most colourful socks, whatever takes your fancy!

The idea is to start a conversation, so when people ask you about your socks you can tell them, "I'm wearing them to raise awareness of Down syndrome". And then you can tell them everything you want them to know about Down syndrome.

## **Mother's Day Afternoon Tea**



On Monday afternoon, our wonderful PFA held a Mother's Day Afternoon Tea in the School Hall. The event was extremely well attended and there were lots of happy faces! I would like to thank Mrs Gordon and the parent volunteers for all their hard work in ensuring the event was so successful.

## **Cheerleading Competition**



On Tuesday afternoon our cheerleaders travelled to All Saints Roman Catholic Secondary School to compete in the Tameside Catholic Schools Cheerleading Competition. Mrs Partridge and Mrs Hutchinson accompanied them and were so proud of them during the afternoon. The children won the 'Team Spirit' award due to the way they cheered on the other teams and were so encouraging

and kind. I would also like to thank Mr and Mrs Kennedy for providing the children with their beautiful outfits-we are extremely grateful!

## **Story Seekers**



Year 4 have been busy making their Aboriginal props in preparation for their Story Seekers performance next week. They will be going to St Stephen's Roman Catholic Primary School in Droydsden next week (alongside Year 3) to perform.

## **Extra- Curricular Clubs**

Monday – Multi-Sports for Years 1 & 2

-Rugby for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Tuesday – Cheerleading and Street Dance for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Wednesday – Cheer and Street Dance for Years 1 and 2

-Performing Arts for Rec-Year 6

Thursday – Football for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Friday – Multi-Sports for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

## **Attendance**

Last week our whole school attendance was 97% which is above our whole school target of 96%! We do ask that all children are in school by 9am. If you are late, please accompany your child into the main entrance and sign your child in on the ipad.

Reception	94.67%
Year 1	99.03%
Year 2	99%
Year 3	95.81%
Year 4	99.03%
Year 5	95.71%
Year 6	95.48%

