

# St Andrew's CE VC Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

Summer Term No 5

website: [www.st-andrewscofe.essex.sch.uk](http://www.st-andrewscofe.essex.sch.uk)

18<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Next week Summer Menu Week 3

### DIARY DATES

May	Tomorrow	FoStAPS Disco EYFS & KS1: 5.30-6.30pm KS1: 6.40-7.50pm
	Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Messy Church 3-5.30pm Email to book: <a href="mailto:messychurch@marksteychurch.org.uk">messychurch@marksteychurch.org.uk</a>
<b>NEW!</b>	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Sid's Half Price Plant Sale after school— <i>mixed perennials, hanging basket plants and rose bushes</i>
	Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> -Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Half Term
June	w/c Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	FoStAPS Father's Day Gifts on sale at lunchtime priced £1 to £2 each
	Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Church Service in School Hall 11am - All welcome
July	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Key Stage 1 Sports Afternoon 1.30pm
	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Key Stage 2 Sports Afternoon 1.30pm
	Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup>	FoStAPS Summer Fayre
	Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Open Evening to discuss reports (Details to follow)
	Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Leavers' Church Service 1.30pm
	Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Last School Day of Summer Term. Children return Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September



**Allergy Awareness: Please try to avoid products containing nuts and seeds.**



### ASSEMBLIES THIS TERM - 10.15am in the School Hall

Year 3 - 8<sup>th</sup> June    Year 5 - 15<sup>th</sup> June    Year 2 - 22<sup>nd</sup> June    Year 1 - Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June  
 EYFS - 29<sup>th</sup> June    Year 4 - 6<sup>th</sup> July    Year 6 Leavers - **Thursday** 20<sup>th</sup> July **10.00am**

### Sun Safety during the summer term



The warmer weather will hopefully soon be with us and it is advisable that parents apply a lotion or sun-block that will last throughout the day. If your child needs to apply a cream during the day they should be able to do it themselves. It is also advisable to wear a hat as a form of sun protection and to ensure your child has a full bottle of drinking water daily.

**Reminder: There will be no parent consultations after half term so next week is the last opportunity to speak to teachers regarding children's progress before Open Evening.**

### St Andrew's Summer Fayre 2017 News

Following last year's Summer Fayre, we are delighted to invite **Sid's Plant Stall** back to St Andrew's on 15<sup>th</sup> July. Sid will have a selection of rose bushes, hebes, and annual perennials to help you stock up your garden and pots. Hugely discounted prices, approximately **50% off** the price you will pay in a nursery. **BUT** if you can't wait till then, Sid will also be selling plants outside the office after school on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May and Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Sid will kindly be making a donation from the plant sales to the School to help refurbish the library.

### Village Football Club

Training sessions for girls and boys in Years 2 to 6 are held at the Jubilee Playing Fields in the village on Saturdays from 9-10am (arrive 8.45am). We have a group of Year 6 players who are keen to form a team to enter the Colchester Youth League 2017-18 and Year 5 children can also play in the team. If there is enough interest we may be able to form teams for Year 6, Year 5 and other additional age groups. We would like to invite all interested boys and girls and parents along to one of our Saturday sessions, which are run by a FA Qualified Coach and Referee (Coaches are DBS checked through the FA). These sessions are free and aim to bring children of the community together in a fun, friendly environment where they can learn new skills and meet new friends.



For further information or to register your child please email: [secretarymarksteyfc@outlook.com](mailto:secretarymarksteyfc@outlook.com)

### Come and celebrate St Andrew's Messy Church's 3<sup>rd</sup> Birthday...

...this Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May. We are going to explore Samtsirhc - the special day which Christians celebrate at this time of year. You will be able to look at Ascension to Pentecost and join in with lots of fun, craft and messy activities, Bible Story and a Party Tea. Book your family's place by email:

[messychurch@marksteychurch.org.uk](mailto:messychurch@marksteychurch.org.uk)



*Dear God, Thank you for giving us ears so that we can show respect by listening to each other. Help us to think about people who can't hear and to be patient and helpful to them. Help us to always listen well so that we don't miss out on things and so that we can learn and stay safe. Amen. By Lilly and Finlay (Year 4)*

