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Our Mission: Enter to learn, learn to serve.



PROMOTING PEACE

On this, Remembrance week, we think about the brave men and women who gave their lives for us. We also think about peace and how we can play our part, however small. The children were asked to think of small acts of kindness that would bring about peace in our school community, at home and in the wider world. We thought about how us showing peace has a ripple effect and that peace will spread. If we play our little part, we could help to achieve a bigger peace.



ATTENDANCE

There has been a very large dip in attendance this week – please make sure you and your families are keeping well but send your children in if they are not too unwell. Thank you.





PARKING

Unfortunately, I am having to mention parking again. As you know Father Simon very kindly allows parents to use the church car park at drop-off and collection times. This is NOT a public car park – it is a favour to parents. However, despite numerous messages, there are still people who are not being considerate in how and where they park. Parents need to be aware of children and parents walking through the car park to their cars as well as thinking about ONLY PARKING in the MARKED BAYS. There also seems to be an increase in the amount of litter being found in the car park – again please be considerate. Whilst I realise that the majority of parents think carefully about how they park, the small minority are making Father Simon think about whether to close the gates to school parents. This would impact a lot of people – please be more considerate!





SUPERSTARS w/e 6.11.2026

Stars of the week: **Rec:** Advik; **Y1:** Salahuddin; **Y2:** Charlotte D; **Y3:** Summaiyah; **Y5:**Umaima;**Y6:**Elizabeth

BIRTHDAY SHOUTOUTS

Happy Birthday to Hunter, Kirpa-Amber and Benyamin who all celebrate their birthdays this week. We wish you all a very Happy Birthday!!

Our Virtue to Live by: PRAYER

Prayer

I grow in friendship with God through prayer.

"Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you." Jeremiah, 29:12



PTFA

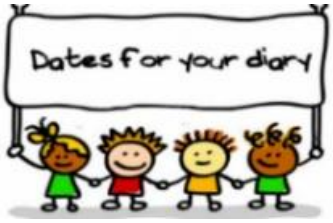
The PTFA are a small hard-working group of parents. If you would like to help raise much needed funds for school, please drop your name at the office and we will pass on your interest. Thank you.

Thursday 26th November – Disco – Tickets on ParentPay

Saturday 28th November – Wreath making activity in the Church Hall (see below)

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Tuesday 17th November AND **Thursday 19th November** – Parents' Evening – details to follow.
Wednesday 18th November – Whole school mass in church 9.30am
Wednesday 25th November – Years 3 and 4 join the parish mass in church 9.30am
Thursday 26th November – Autumn Disco 5-7pm (Years 1-6) – see poster below.
Friday 27th November – Advent Liturgy 2.30pm – Led by Year 3 – parents of Year 3 children welcome.
Wednesday 2nd December – Years 1 and 2 join the parish mass in church 9.30am
Friday 4th December – INSET DAY – school is closed to children.
Tuesday 8th December AND **Wednesday 9th December 2.15pm** – Years 1 and 2 Nativity
Thursday 10th December – Reception class Nativity
Thursday 10th December – Nursery Christmas
Thursday 10th December – Christmas jumper and Christmas dinner day
Saturday 12th December – PTFA and Parish Fayre – 11am – 1pm
Tuesday 15th December – KS2 Carol service 2.30pm – **IN CHURCH**
Thursday 17th December – Children's Christmas parties
Friday 18th December – 3.30pm School finishes for Christmas holidays



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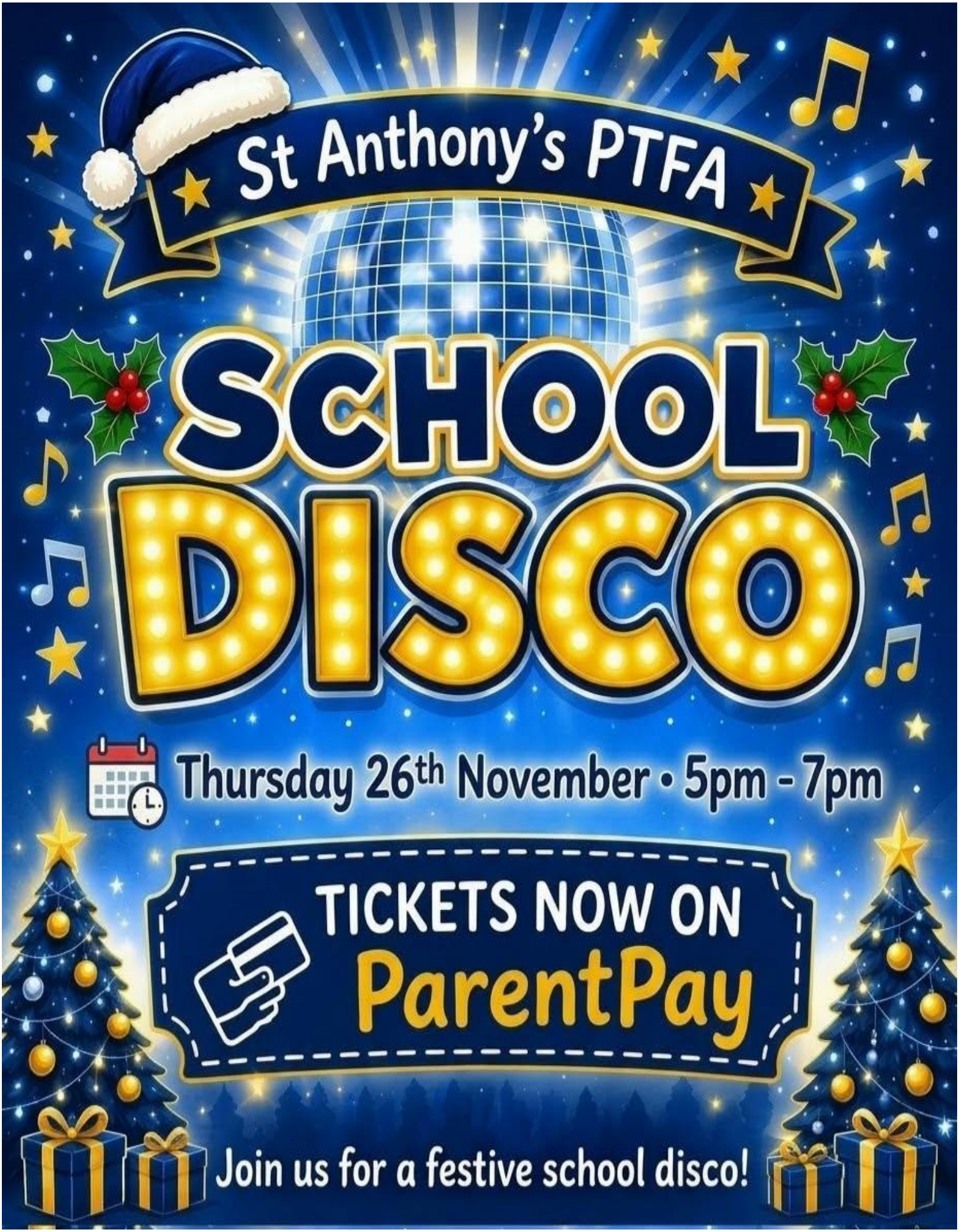
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School Dinners

You can access the school dinner menu for your child through the school website. To do so, please go online on your mobile, tablet or computer and go to
St Anthony's Catholic Primary School - School Meals and follow the instructions.

If you have any concerns or queries, please see your child's class teacher, or contact the school via email: office@stac.bcwcat.co.uk Thank you.

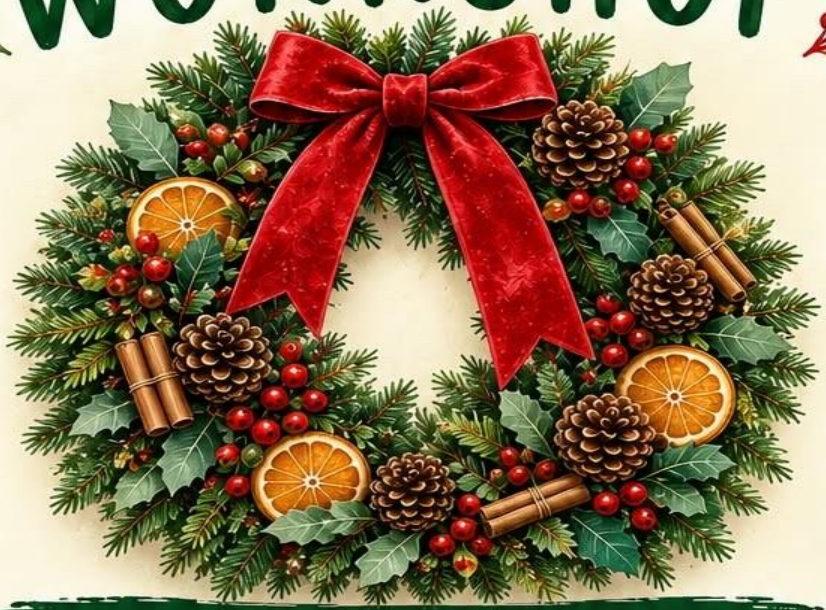
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St Anthony's PTFA
SCHOOL DISCO
Thursday 26th November • 5pm - 7pm
TICKETS NOW ON ParentPay
Join us for a festive school disco!

ST ANTHONY'S PTFA

Wreath Making WORKSHOP

Create your own gorgeous Christmas wreath!



All materials and equipment included – just bring your creativity!

TICKETS £30

INCLUDES EVERYTHING NEEDED FOR MAKING A GORGEOUS CHRISTMAS WREATH

PLEASE PAY £15 DEPOSIT PER TICKET

Ticket includes NIBBLES & DRINKS



DATE
28TH NOVEMBER 2026

VENUE
ST ANTHONY'S CHURCH HALL

CONTACT NATALIE ON
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TIME: 2 TILL 4