



ST. AMBROSE PREPARATORY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER MARCH 25th 2022

Dear parents and carers...

This week saw all things Mother's Day! Our early years put on a beautiful Mother's day assembly for their families, even presenting their mummies with a daffodil each! The PTFA also ran a Mother's Day secret sale in which the children had the chance to pick something special for their mum as a gift to give her on Sunday. This was a really successful event and one we hope all our mums will enjoy on Sunday!

We also held our first open day, with our second tomorrow. Thursday was a huge success, with many new prospective families coming through to see our amazing facilities. We are so grateful to all our children for being amazing examples of what St Ambrose Prep pupils are.

Next week will be parents evening week, so please make sure you have signed up with your child's class teacher on class dojo to secure an appointment. You will have the choice of a zoom or a face to face meeting. This will be a great chance to discuss your child's recent assessment and report.

Thank you as usual for all your support.

Kind regards,

Miss S. Aldridge
Acting Headteacher

PTFA NEWS!

Following the success of the secret Mother's day sale this week we have one final fun event before Easter.

This is our Easter Bingo extravaganza on Friday 8th April at 12pm until 1pm. We have lots of activities for the children including face painting, games and a special animal bingo. Consent and tickets are now available on ParentMail. Tickets are £5 each including a drink and snack. Donations of Easter eggs would be very much appreciated. These can be dropped off with Miss Kashti in the office. As always we are grateful for your support.

Many thanks, St Ambrose PTFA

SPORTS SUCCESS!



This week, prep 2 went to a football tournament at Cheadle and did amazingly! The team won all their games, not conceding a single goal! A really fantastic achievement the whole team should be proud of.

On Friday, our Prep 2 team went out again to play the under 9's Manchester City football tournament –and won! We are so impressed and proud!



STAR OF THE WEEK!



If any children in the following weeks have done something special out of school, they are invited to bring their item to school on Monday or Tuesday to be presented to them by their class teacher at the next Star of the Week assembly. The stars of each week will be treated to a hot chocolate or juice with the Headteacher on a Friday to congratulate them on their fantastic efforts.

NURSERY: Oscar: for always trying his best and making progress on his number recognition.

RECEPTION: Anthony: for a super effort to work independently in maths when adding.

INFANT 1: Arlo: Arlo is making excellent progress in all areas, especially his handwriting. This week he has grasped the concept of column addition.

INFANT 2: Rory: Rory has been working really hard on his maths and always makes sure he uses new strategies to solve problems taught.

PREP 1: Eddie: Eddie is gaining confidence in tricky two step worded problems in maths and has worked so hard this week! Brilliant work!

PREP 2: William: William always goes the extra mile to present his work with lots of careful detail and attention. This was particularly evident with the care given to his project to make a Tudor house.

PREP 3: Omkar: Omkar is an able mathematician but he has been prone to making careless errors. It is pleasing to see his is now taking more care and the mistakes have lessened. Well done.

PREP 4: Ollie: Ollie has shown a superb, mature attitude towards all aspects of school life this week. Well done Ollie, keep up the excellent work.

SINGING LESSONS AVAILABLE!

We are pleased to announce that we will be offering private singing lessons, starting after the half term.

If you would like to enquire about your child having singing lessons, please contact Mr Bond on davidbond84@gmail.com or Mrs Green.

This week's recipient of our 'Edmund's Footsteps Award', nominated for by his peers, is Cillian in Prep 3. Cillian has received this award for holding the doors open for his peers and being a smiley member of our school!
Well done Cillian!

WE ARE LOOKING FOR A CARETAKER!

St Ambrose Prep is looking to employ a part-time caretaker on a temporary basis.

Please contact Miss Kashti on secretary@stambroseprep.co.uk to enquire about details.



This week, the Judo star is: **Calvin!**

Well done on a great achievement!

If you would like your child to take part in Judo club after school on Thursdays, please email Rob Barraclough on rjbarracclough@icloud.com.

WHATS ON?

What	When	Who	Notes
Parents' evening week	w/b 28th March	All years	Arrange with class teachers on Dojo
Easter Assembly	6th April	I1+I2 Parents	
Children's Easter Bingo Bonanza	8th April at midday	All years	PTFA event - optional - one hour - sign up via parentmail shortly
Staircase House	29th April	Infant 2	
P4 Waxworks	29th April at 2pm	Prep 4 parents	in school hall.
Robinwood	4-6th May	Prep 4	Residential - payment via

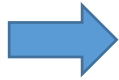
HOUSE POINTS!

This week in 1st place are **Tatton** with 381 points, **Ashley** are in 2nd place with 368 followed by **Stamford** in 3rd with 359 and **Dunham** in 4th with 334 points.

Well done to all the children! Keep up the hard work!

SCIENCE WEEK CHALLENGE WINNERS!

The Juniors were challenged to build an elastic band car. The winner of the competition of whose car could travel the farthest was William in Prep 3! Well done!



The Infants were challenged to create a poster about 'Growth'. The winner of this competition was Harrison in Infant 2! Well done!

