



AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER 14th SEPTEMBER 2018

Our Christian Value for this half term is Resilience

Activities for week beginning 17th September

Tuesday

Guitar lessons 12:00 – 1:00pm

Wednesday

Field Games Y3,4 3:30 -4:30pm



Thursday

Gardening Club 3:30 – 4:15

Chess Club 3:30 – 5:00/ 6:00

Friday

Swimming 1:30- 3:00pm

Tennis 8:00 – 8:45am



Primary & Secondary School Admissions

If you have a child in current Year 6 or whose 4th birthday is between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019 then you **MUST** apply for a school place for your child (even if you have older children at the school).

Applications can be made online via: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

Applications for Secondary places **MUST** be made by **31st October 2018**. Failure to do so may result in your child not being offered a place at your chosen school.

Open Days for local high schools are:

St Bedes High School Tuesday 25th September

Ormskirk School Thursday 27th September

Burscough Priory Science College 4th October

Primary applications must be made by **15th January 2019**.

Flu Vaccines

Please return consent forms for the Flu Vaccination indicating your decision. Vaccinations will take place on 6th November.

Forthcoming Dates for the Diary

Friday 21st September – Individual Photographs

Harvest Festival Friday 5th October 9:00 am at St Michael's Church (For parents new to school, the children meet at Church. Once the service is finished we all walk back to school – help is required for this!).

Macmillan Coffee Morning Friday 5th October (once we have returned to school from Church)

Parents' Evening – Tuesday 30th October 3:45 – 7:30



We will be holding a PTA meeting on Monday 17th September at 2:45 in school to discuss forthcoming ideas. It would be lovely to have lots of parents at this meeting – everybody is welcome. If you would like to attend but are not able to due to working commitments, please email me at head@aughton-st-michaels.lancs.sch.uk as this may determine the time of future meetings.

Education Sunday

St Michael's Church will be holding a special service dedicated to our school on Sunday 16th September at 10:30. We would really love staff, parents and children to join us at church on this day to give thanks for our school.



Celebration Worship

Our first long Celebration Worship will take place on Friday 21st September at 2:50 pm. External certificates/ awards will be presented during this worship. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Measles, Chicken Pox & Shingles

In addition to last week's appeal to inform school of any child who has chicken pox and shingles, please also inform school if your child has measles, as this too can create serious health issues for one of our children. Thank you.



Parentalk The Primary Years

Cottage Lane Mission are offering parents an opportunity to attend Parentalk – a course that covers essential topics for parents of Primary school age.

Tuesday 2nd October – It's just not me

Tuesday 9th October - Love them and let them know

Tuesday 16th October - It's good to talk

Tuesday 30th October - Boundaries and Battles

Tuesday 6th November - Parenting with elastic

Tuesday 13th November - Creating a sense of belonging.

Sessions are free and a creche is available.

Cottage Lane Mission 10:00-12:00

For more information please contact kylie@clmchurchormskirk.ork.uk

New School Website

We have a new school website! Please follow the link www.aughtonstmichaels.co.uk to have a look around. Whilst there are still some pages under construction we are hopeful that you will find it very useful. We will be updating this on a regular basis, so please keep checking it.

Messy Church

Cottage Lane Mission are holding a Messy Church session on Sunday 16th September 3:30 – 5:30 pm. All children are welcome to attend.