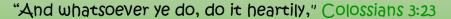


AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 31st March 2023





Our Christian Value: To Do Your Best





Happy Easter!

At this time of year I always like to look at life from two points of view; back at what I am thankful for and forward to new challenges and experiences coming up. For me personally I am thankful to the staff, parents and the whole school community for the support and kindness they have given to me in my new role. In particular, Mrs Golding's support and advice on all the new administration tasks I have faced has been invaluable and I will miss her help and guidance when she leaves at the end of the year. Looking forward to next term, I am excited. I always feel that the Summer term is when the children really grow and develop as they are very settled and confident in their classes and ready to push on to the end of the year. I'm sure this year will be no exception and I look forward to all the successes the children achieve in the next few weeks and months. Have a great Easter break and we look forward to seeing you again on Monday 17th April.

Celebration Worship

The order for Celebration Worship is:

Year 5:	21 st	April
Year 6:	28 th	April
EYFS:	5 th	May
Year 1:	19 th	May
Year 2:	26 th	May
Year 3:	9 th	June
Year 4:	23 rd	June

SCHOOL DINNERS

Week commencing Monday 17th April: Week 3

School dinners for the whole of next half-term (17^{th} April to 26^{th} May) will cost £64.40. Please return new menus as soon as possible, as they start on 24^{th} April.

Reminder: The first week back is the old Menu Week 3. Then the new menu Week 1 will come in.

Please, can those who still owe for this last half term make payment ASAP. Thank You

Bank Account details

Account Number: 21600737 Sort Code: 40-35-29



Team Point Winners

London



Sun Beams on Sunday

Join Reverend Andrew and the Team at 9.30 am on the second Sunday in every month at St. Michael's Church Hall

9th April: Easter Sunday and egg hunt Then 14th May, 11th June, 9th July

All families welcome! Singing, music, bibles stories, craft and stay on for a tea/coffee afterwards.

School Swimming

For swimming the children need:

- Towel
- Swimming cap
- Swimming costume/trunks

Summer Term: Year 4

Breakfast and After School Club

Please can parents ensure that all children are booked onto any breakfast or after school club session that they require as we need to know how many children are attending to organise staffing and resources. If you are having issues with the online booking system please send an email to Mrs Golding to book any sessions. Please can you also ensure that sessions are paid before your child attends – this includes voucher payments.

Easter Church Service

Thank you to all the parents, grandparents and carers that attended our Easter service. It was lovely to see so many of you at church. Also an extra thank you to all the parents who helped walk the children back up the hill - your help was greatly appreciated.



Events week commencing Monday 17th April

Tues Y5/6 Athletics 3:15 - 4:15pm Mr Singleton

Tues KS2 Chess 3:15 - 4:15pm Mrs Vieyra

Tuesday and Wednesday Y4 Trip to York

Wed Y2 Cricket Sports Coaches 3:15 - 4:15pm

Thurs Y3/4 Athletics 3:15 - 4:15pm Mr Quirk

Fri y4 Swimming 1pm

Y5/6 Cricket* Fri

3:15 - 4:15pm Mr Clare *If your child already comes to this club, we have pre-booked a place for this club.



One of our Y5 pupil's - Alfie - is completing a fundraising challenge to raise money for Alder Hey's Children's Charity. If you would like to find out more or sponsor Alfie, please follow this link.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/alfi ehooton



💆 Twitter: @AughtonSM 🕃



Please follow us on Twitter to see what we get up to in school on a day-to-day basis.

This week there are photos and videos from this week's activities

Easter Bonnet Winners

EYFS: Gabriel

Year 1: Elspeth

Year 2: Max

Year 3: Phoebe

Year 4: Mae

Year 5: Lucy

Year 6: Edward



Battery Recycling

To help our environment we have

register for battery recycling. If you have any used batteries, please bring them in to school and we will get them recycled.



Raffle Winner

Thank you to everyone who entered the School Council's raffle which has raised £230 for 2 charities The winner of the big Easter bunny teddy was Bobby (Y3)

The winners of the tickets to Fun Factor were

EYFS: Aodhan
Year 1: Emily C
Year 2: Arthur
Year 3: Esmee
Year 4: Isaac
Year 5: Polly
Year 6: Grace

Easter Fun Day

Thank you to the PTFA for supplying all the eggs and prizes for the Easter Fun Day. Lots of fun was had by all and it was a fantastic way to bring this term to a close.

Easter at St Michael's Church

Join us at St Michael, Aughton as we celebrate Easter.

Palm Sunday: We meet at Hall Farm on Hall Lane in Bickerstaffe at 10.45am to walk behind the donkeys as they lead us to church. The church service starts at 11.00am

Maundy Thursday: Symbolic Passover Meal at Holy Trinity, Bickerstaffe 7.00pm

Good Friday: A Good Friday Service for all at St Michael's Aughton starting

at 10.00am

Easter Sunday: Traditional Holy Communion Service at 8.00am then a Family Easter Celebration with Easter Bonnet Parade at 9.30am. This service will be followed by an Easter Egg Hunt for the children.

