



*AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL*  
*NEWSLETTER 11<sup>th</sup> MAY 2018*

Our Christian Value for this half term is Creativity



Activities week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> May



Monday

Ukuleles (Y5 & 6) – throughout the afternoon  
Cricket & Rounders (Y4 & 5) 3:30 – 4:30  
Choir 3:30 – 4:30

Tuesday

No Guitars due to SATs week

Thursday

No Forest School  
Chess Club 3:30 – 5:00/ 6:00  
Gardening Club 3:30 – 4:15  
Survival Club 3:30 – 4:30

Friday

Tennis 8:00 – 8:45

Royal Wedding Celebrations

On Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May we will be celebrating the forthcoming Royal Wedding. We would like the children to come to school wearing a combination of red, white and blue (no football shirts please). In the afternoon we are hoping to have a tea party (weather permitting). We ask that all children make a donation of 50p for the food. Please send the money into school next week. Thank you.

Team Points

Congratulations to Edinburgh who were this week's team point winners.



Well Done

Well done to our Y4 Gymnastic team who came second in the local area's Key Steps Gymnastics Competition. Not only did our team get Silver medals but a lot of our team achieved individual medals too. Well done.

Celebration Worship

Everyone is invited to attend Celebration Worship on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 3:10 pm. This is a short Celebration Worship and therefore only internal certificates will be presented.

## Vision Screening - Reception Children

Vision Screening will be taking place in school on 22<sup>nd</sup> May for the children in Reception. Please ensure you return your letter of consent. Thank you

## PTA

The PTA, along with a few generous donors, have recently paid for our ICT suite to be updated. The computers have all been given new processors and a few new computers have been purchased. All children will benefit from this. Thank you to everyone, as you have all played a part in allowing this to happen.

Russ Collinson, on behalf of the PTA is currently organising a raffle, the main prize being an 8-course meal at Moor Hall (a prize I know many of us would like to win). Tickets are £1 each. Please could we urge parents to sell as many tickets as possible, so we can raise as much money as possible! Thank you.

School currently has nobody leading the PTA which means we are relying on individuals to come forward with fund raising ideas which they then organise. We really need somebody to take on the role of PTA chair so that the events can be co-ordinated and big events can then happen. Whilst we appreciate that this may sound a scary task there will be lots of people who will support the Chair in their role. If you are able to give up some time and support our school in this way, please come and chat with Mrs Cottam. Thank you.

### Ormskirk Tennis Club Open Day

Ormskirk Tennis Club are holding an Open Day on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May (10-4pm). Everyone is welcome to attend. Coaches will be on hand and you will be given the opportunity try out the 5 artificial clay courts.

Ormskirk Tennis Club has recently been awarded Lancashire's Club of the Year. We are fortunate to have such an excellent facility on our doorstep.

### Ormskirk Tennis Club May Half Term Camps

Monday 28/05 - Friday 01/05 1pm to 4:30pm

£25 per week (£6 per day) for members £50 per week (£12 per day) for non-members.

To book a place for your child/children on any of the summer camps please email: [coach@ormskirktennisclub.co.uk](mailto:coach@ormskirktennisclub.co.uk) with their name, age and a contact telephone number.



### Children's University Passports

Children in Y2 and Y6 have until **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> May** to send their Children's University Passports into school. All credits need to be added to the system by this date.

The Gradation Ceremony for Y2 and Y6 children will be on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June 9:30 am at Edge Hill University (more details to follow).



### Big Sing Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June St Laurence's Church Chorley

Any families wishing to attend the Big Sing at St Laurence's Chorley, are advised to reserve their tickets as soon as possible. Please return your slips to school asap. This event will be an hour of high energy singing and is promised to be an uplifting event.

