



AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER 16th DECEMBER



Activities week beginning 19th December



Monday

Flutes - pm

Tuesday

No Guitar or Ukulele lessons

Wednesday



Forest School Y3 1:30 – 3:15 pm (please remember warm clothing)
Messy Church 3:30 – 4:15 (Y2 upwards)



Team Points

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

Unwanted Children's Clothes

We are doing a collection of unwanted children's clothes for children at Litherland Moss. If your child has any clothing that no longer fits please send it into school by Wednesday 11th January. Thank you.

Dinner Money and Milk Money

Dinner Money (£55) for next half term is now due. (Plus any outstanding from this half term)
Milk Money (£15) for next term is also now due.
Please ensure any other outstanding payments are settled before we finish for Christmas.

Unwanted swimming costumes

A former pupil is currently working as a volunteer in Mwanza (Tanzania) teaching children to swim. The children in this region are in need of swimming costumes as very few actually own one. If you have any old children's swimwear that you no longer use please could you be kind enough to pass it into school? Thank you.

Christmas Holiday

We finish on Thursday 22nd December at 3:00 pm. There will be no After School Club.



Secrets' Room - if you would like your child to participate in the Secrets' Room they will need £1.50 On Wednesday 21st December. The children will get an opportunity to purchase a gift which will then be gift wrapped. Help is required wrapping presents at 9:00 am on this day.

Children's Disco - Wednesday 21st December EYFS & KS1 6:15 - 7:15 KS2 7:30 - 8:30
HELP IS REQUIRED ON THE EVENING PLEASE.

Thank you for all your support

Aughton St. Michael's CE School Christmas Service Thursday 22nd December



Children will need to be dropped at Church no earlier than **8:45** and before **9:00 am**. Once the service is finished we will walk the children back to school, lots of accompanying adults will be required! For those accompanying adults we will be serving coffee and mince pies upon our return to school. If you are able to help please let Mrs Golding know. If it helps, we will be able to offer parents lifts back to Church to collect cars once we have returned to school.

Breakfast Club - any child who will be attending Breakfast Club on Thursday 22nd December will need to be dropped off by **8:15 am**. This will allow us time to get ourselves and the children down to Church.

Team Tree



Team Tree are collecting used Christmas Trees on 7th January 2017 for a £10 donation. All funds raised will go to Radiology at Alder Hey.

To book a tree collection please visit : www.teamtree.co.uk or phone Rosie Bell 07734 800022 or email rosie@teamtree.co.uk. If you have an artificial tree but would like to make a financial donation then please do so via the Teamtree website. Thank you.

Rosie Bell has organised a Winter Wonderland Charity Ball on Saturday 28th January 2017 at 7:00 pm. Tickets are £35 a head or alternatively tables of 10 can be purchased for £320 and all money raised will be split between Teamtree and #4AVA. Tickets are available from Rosie Bell.

Messy Church

There will be a Messy Church session on Wednesday 21st December 3:30 - 4:15 for any child in Y2 upwards. If your child would like to attend please complete the slip below and return it to school or alternatively let Mrs Golding or Mrs Cottam know.

My child _____ would like to attend Messy Church on Wednesday 21st December.



Thank you

Thank you for your generous donations following this week's performances. We will be using the money to make donations to teamtree and #4AVA.

Christmas Parties

Monday 19th December pm - EYFS & KS1

Tuesday 20th December - Y3 & Y4

Wednesday 21st December - Y5 & Y6

School Uniform

We have a vast selection of good quality second-hand uniform. If you would like any please come into school and help yourself.
Thank you

Celebrating Christmas at St Michael's Church Aughton

Sunday 18th December

10.30am Christingle

An opportunity to raise funds for the Children's Society, while lighting our Christingles to remind us of Christ bringing his light into the world. If you have a Christmas Jumper, you are welcome to wear it!

Sunday 18th December

4pm Lessons and Carols

We sing traditional carols while listening to the story of Christmas told by bible readings.

Christmas Eve at 4pm

Crib Service

A wonderful service for children of all ages. Make this service part of your family tradition before returning home to hang the stockings!

Christmas Eve at 11.30pm

Midnight Communion

A mystical time when we welcome the Christ child and Christmas begins.

Christmas Day

8.15am Holy Communion

10.30am Family Communion

The most anticipated of days, we celebrate by singing carols. Children are invited to bring one of their new toys to show everyone.