



AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER 21st OCTOBER



Activities week beginning 24th October



Monday

Flute lesson Y6
Dance Y3 & 4 3:30-4:30pm

Tuesday

Guitar lessons throughout the morning.
Ukuleles 9:00 – 10:00am
Final Art Club 3:30-5:15pm
Parents' Evening 3:45 – 5:00pm

Wednesday

Chess Club 3:30 – 5:00/6:00pm

Thursday

Y5 Forest School 1:30 pm
Gardening Club Y2 3:30 – 4:15pm
Parents' Evening 4:30 – 7:00 pm



Friday

Swimming lesson Y4 9:15 – 10:45am
Football 3:30 – 4:30
Film Night 3:30 – 5:30



Half term Break

We will be finishing on Friday 28th October for our half term holiday. School will re-open on Tuesday 8th November.

Team Points

Congratulations to London who were this week's Team Point winners.



Celebration Worship

Everyone is invited to join us on Friday at 2:50 pm for Celebration Worship. We will be sharing the photographs from Winmarleigh during this Worship.



Pearl of Africa Choir



The Pearl of Africa Choir will be visiting our school on Thursday 10th November. There will be a concert for parents at 3:00 pm on this day. Their last visit was fabulous and our children got such a lot from it.

Small gifts will be available to purchase at the end of the day, all proceeds made will go to the Pearl of Africa Charity.

Year 6 Parents

Applications for secondary school places must be made via www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools by **October 31st**. Failure to submit your application may result in you not getting a school of your choice. If it is your intention to send your child to private school you are still advised to apply for a place at a local school.



Poppy Appeal

The Year 6 children will be bringing Poppies around next week for children to purchase (minimum donation of 50p please). We have also been sent some additional Poppy memorabilia this year which I know will appeal to the children. There are Friendship bracelets (minimum donation of £1), Slap Rulers (minimum donation of £1), Wristbands (minimum donation of 50p), Reflectors (minimum donation of 50p), LED Torch (minimum donation of £1). All monies raised goes to The Poppy Appeal.

Shoe Box Appeal

The School Council are organising this year's Shoebox Appeal (old shoeboxes filled with small toys, toiletries, sweets etc). Leaflets will be sent home on Monday with further details. Completed shoe boxes will need to be in school by Friday 11th November.

Thank you

Canvas Bags

The children have all drawn /painted a self - portrait with a view to them being printed on a canvas bag. These portraits will be on display during Parents' Evenings along with a sample bag. The child's portrait will be printed on one side and the school badge on the other. For families with more than one child in school, the sibling portraits will be printed together on one bag.

The cost of the bags is £10, with a profit going back to school towards our fundraising drive to raise money to purchase new books. An order form will be sent home with your child early next week. Please ensure all orders are returned by Friday 28th October. Sorry, but no late orders can be accepted.

Thank you



School Disco- we raised a total of £621 - a fabulous achievement. Thank you to everyone who helped at the event and for the support shown.

PTA Calendar - photographs will be taken on Thursday 27th October for the PTA calendar. If you **DO NOT** want your child to be photographed for the calendar please let Mrs Golding know.

PTA Meeting: Monday 24th October 2:30pm. Everyone welcome!

Non-Uniform day Friday 25th November (tombola gifts)

Christmas Fair Friday 2nd December 3:45 - 7:00 (help is required on Wednesday 30th November, Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd December, as Santa's elves need to prepare his special space!).

Non-Uniform Day Friday 16th December (Secrets' Room)

ALL MONIES RAISED ARE GOING TOWARDS THE PURCHASE OF NEW BOOKS FOR OUR CHILDREN