

# AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 13th September



#### Back To It

School has been a lovely, calm, industrious place this week. Walking around the school today - Thursday - all the children and staff were working hard and back to the rhythm of school. All our new starters seem to have settled in well and 4 of our classes have already earnt their reward for 10 Class Point Stars. Excellent work years 2, 3, 4 and 5. I've also seen some fabulous Maths in Y1, writing in EYFS and had a great discussion with Y6 about modern trade links between Africa and the rest of the world! It was also lovely to see so many parents and carers in school on Tuesday to meet the teachers and find out what will be going on this year. The forms for clubs will go live at 9am on Saturday 14th September. Also, the residential deposits payments are open on the school app and need to be completed by Friday 20th September. Have a great weekend.

## Encourage, Support and Guide

#### Worship

Each week in school our worship has a theme for the children to consider and explore. We have a whole school worship on a Monday that introduces the theme and then it is explored further in their class worship. Each week, starting next Friday, we will share the theme and some possible ways to delve into it further at home as a family.

Next Week's Theme: Being Wise in God's Eyes

#### Clubs

Club forms open on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September at 9am. Please ensure that your child can attend and wants to attend before you book the place.

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Day	What	Who	When	Staff	How to get a place
Mon	Book Club	Y5&6	Lunchtime	Ms McCormack	Ms McCormack will come into the classes to explain the club once we have the books from the FBA.
Mon	Art Club	KS2	3:15-4:15pm	Art Teacher	Payment and booking direct with art teacher
Mon	Athletics	Y2	3:15-4:15pm	WLSSP	Survey on School Spider going live at 9am on Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Tues	Running	KS2	12:00-12:25 pm	Mr Clare	Survey on School Spider going live at 9am on Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Wed	Rugby	Y3&4	3:15-4:15pm	Mr Quirk	Survey on School Spider going live at 9am on Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Thurs	Running	KS2	12:00-12:25 pm	Mr Clare	Survey on School Spider going live at 9am on Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Thurs	Football	Y5&6	3:15-4:15pm	Mr Singleton	Survey on School Spider going live at 9am on Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Fri	Choir	KS2	3:15-4:15pm	Miss Jones	Survey on School Spider going live at 9am on Saturday 14th Sept

#### Curriculum Evening: 24th September 5-7pm

Following parent feedback we have amended how our English and Maths workshops will work this year. Instead of two separate evenings we are having one longer evening that parents can drop in and out of. Mr Clare will present some key points about the curriculum as a whole. This will be done at 5pm and then repeated at 6pm so parents can pick which time works best for them. Around this different rooms will be set up with examples of resources and methods along with two members of staff who will be able to explain what there is and answer any questions you have. The rooms will be organised as follows:

Phonics: Mrs Weaver and Mrs Gordon

Writing and Reading: Ms McCormack and Miss Harrison

Maths: Mrs Wood and Mr Quirk
Arts Mark and the Forest: Mrs Zaim and Mrs Preece
Assessment: Mr Clare and Mr Singleton

We look forward to seeing you then.







#### **School Dinners**

Please ensure that you have paid in advance for your child's school dinners.

Next week is **Week 2**.

#### **Open Evenings for Secondary Schools**

**Ormskirk School**, Thursday 19th September 4.30-7.00pm

**Burscough Priory**, Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September **St Bede's**, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 6.00pm

#### **Residential Payments**

Residential deposits can now be made on school spider for years 4, 5 & 6. If your child would like to attend please make sure you pay the £20 deposit by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September.



#### Events week commencing 16th September

Mon	KS2	Art Club	3.15 – 4.15pm	Art Teacher
Mon	Y2	Athletics	3.15 – 4.15pm	Sports Coach
Tues	KS2	Running Club	12.00 – 12.25pm	Mr Clare
Wed	Y3&4	Rugby	3.15 – 4.15pm	Mr Quirk
Thurs	KS2	Running Club	12.00 – 12.25pm	Mr Clare
Thurs	Y5&6	Football	3.15 – 4.15pm	Mr Singleton
Fri	KS2	Choir	3:15 – 4:15pm	Miss Jones

## Celebrate



#### **Team Point Winners**

## Edinburgh

## Citizens of the Week is week our citizens were:

EYFS: Myla

Year 1: Jessica

Year 2: Sonny

Year 3: James

Year 4: Maxwell

Year 5: Harvey

Year 6: Dunamis

