



AUGHTON ST. MICHAEL'S C. OF E. SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



20th September

Looking Good!

There was a high level of excitement on Monday in school as we had a professional photographer in to take photographs and drone footage of the school. The children were fantastic and went about their day as normal so we have got some fantastic videos and stills of the school in action. We will be able to share some with you on an updated version of the website soon. Y6 set a great example as they went in the forest and outdoor areas with EYFS to help show them how to use the environment and encourage them to investigate what was around them. Further to this I've been especially impressed with the Y6 Citizenship Champions who have risen to the challenge of independently organising a charity event brilliantly – you should have received an email today with further information. Finally, just a reminder that the Curriculum Drop In session is at school on Tuesday from 5-7pm and it would be great to see people then. Have a great weekend.

Encourage, Support and Guide

Worship

This week's theme: **Being Wise**

This week we have discussed what being wise looks like in God's eyes and how our wisdom and values come from God's teachings. If you would like to reflect on this with you children you could ask them 'Who's wise words have you listened to this week?' And 'How are you going to listen to those word and be like the wise builder Matthew 7:24.



Next week's theme: **Wisdom for Life**



Arts Mark

Our Arts Mark survey goes live today please take a few minutes to complete it as we would love our parents to have their say about our vision and commitment to developing the Arts over the next two years.

Dinner Choices and Payment

Please be aware that the booking system and payment for school dinners are separate. Any changes to your child's school dinner pattern or choices should be emailed to Mrs Rimmer bursar@aughton-st-michaels.lancs.sch.uk.

Payment for dinners should be made in advance on school spider.



Polite Reminder: Parking Around School

Please can we reminder you to ensure that cars are parked in a safe and considerate manner during drop off and pick up time. The roads around school are not wide and if people park on both sides it can effectively block the road. Similarly, parking on pavements, or driving on them to get around parked cars, does cause safety issues for pedestrians and those pushing buggies. Please can we also ask that you do not use the staff car park during to pick up and drop off times.



Thank you for your support in this matter.

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.



MacMillan Coffee Morning

We are going to hold a MacMillan Coffee Morning on the 4th of October at Aughton St Michael's CE Primary school at about 10:30am, when we get back from church. We would like to invite all you wonderful parents, grandparents and friends to come and enjoy the cakes. After school we will sell any cakes that are left for a donation.



School Photographer

The school photographer will be in school on Wednesday 2nd October to take individual photographs.

School Dinners

Please ensure that you have paid in advance for your child's school dinners. **Next week is Week 3.**

HELP YOUR LITTLE ONES LEARN TO LOVE THE WATER!

DANNI'S SWIM SCHOOL

We will help your child develop positive and long-lasting experiences in the water. Our friendly, experienced, and patient instructors are qualified to provide swimming lessons for children aged from just 3 months old.

Your child will learn the fundamentals of swimming in a fun and safe manner, matching the structure and approach of the Swim England 'Learn to Swim' course.

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- ✓ Affordable prices!
- ✓ Great teachers!
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Last Day for Residential Payments

If your child would like to attend please make sure you pay the £20 deposit by the end of today.



Events week commencing 23rd September

Mon	Y5&6	Book Club	Lunchtime	Mrs McCormack
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

Who's Captured the Rainbow?



CELEBRATION WORSHIP

Year 3	27 th September
Year 4	11 th October
Year 5	18 th October
Year 6	1 st November
EYFS	8 th November
Year 1	15 th November
Year 2	22 nd November
Year 3	29 th November
Year 4	6 th December

Please note Friday 4th October is Harvest Festival in the Church and will be led by Year 5 pupils.

Citizens of the Week

This week our citizens were:

EYFS: Louis

Year 1: Gianni

Year 2: Darcey

Year 3: Nathaniel

Year 4: Pearl

Year 5: Elsie

Year 6: Rhys



Team Point Winners

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