



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



## NEWSLETTER

14<sup>th</sup> February

### The Midpoint of the Year

This week marks the halfway point of the school year. It is always good to look back at this point and see how far school and the pupils have come. Everyone is now settled in their new room and Reception are well and truly part of the school and it hard to remember a time when they weren't here! Since September we've been out on lots of trips which have involved tobogganing, watching Sister Act, riding on a steam train, museum visits and much more. We've also gone to Young Voices in Manchester, completed Bikeability, gone to a range of sports events and presented our art, DT and music to parents. Looking forward there is lots more to come with Y5's residential and the dance competition both in the first week back. Thank you for all your support this year, have a great break and come back refreshed, ready for the second half of the year!

### Worship

**This Week's Theme:** Life Leader

Some questions to ponder: Who are the people you follow? What makes them good people to follow? Do people follow you? How do you make sure you are a good person to follow?

**Next Week's Theme:** Fair Trade



Are you looking for a creative way to spend the half term? Then why not enter your child in the Royal Academy of Art's Young Artists Summer Show. Taking inspiration from the [Summer Exhibition](#), the Young Artists' Summer Show is a free, open submission exhibition for young artists aged 4-18 years studying in the UK. All you have to do is complete a piece of work and have a parent/guardian submit it via the following link:

<https://youngartists.royalacademy.org.uk/>

#### How can I enter?

Submitting artwork is completely free and is done online. Each student can submit one artwork and there is no theme. When you enter, we'll ask for an image of the artwork plus some information about the piece such as title, size, and some text written by the artist which can include why they created the work and what it means to them. Our panel of judges will see the artwork and the selected pieces will be shown in our online exhibition. Some of the artworks will also be shown at the Royal Academy of Arts.

**WHAT'S ON**

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FAMILY HUBS NETWORK

Supporting children, young people and families to succeed in Lancashire

### Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March

WORLD BOOK DAY

This year's theme will be Julia Donaldson. The school will transform and all the lessons will be linked to the author! All we ask is that the children come in dressed as their favourite Julia Donaldson character.



### School Dinners

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

We return after half term on **Week 1**.

### Half Term

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February.

### Clubs

Next half terms clubs will go live on school spider on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February at 9:00am.



### Events week commencing 24<sup>th</sup> February

Mon	KS2	Book Club	Lunchtime	Mrs McCormack
Mon	KS2	Art Club	3:15 – 4.30pm	Art Teacher
Mon	Y1	Dance Club	3:15 – 4:15pm	Sports Coach
Tues	KS2	Dance Club	8:00 - 8:40am	Mr Clare
Wed	KS2	Dance Club	8:00 - 8:40am	Mr Clare
Wed	Y5	Tower Wood Residential		
Wed	Y3&4	Chess	3:15 – 4:15pm	Mr Quirk/Mrs Wood
Thurs	Y6	Maths Club	8:00 - 8:40am	Mr Clare/Mr Singleton
Thurs	Y5	Tower Wood Residential		
Thurs	Y6	Maths Club	3:15 – 4:00pm	Mr Singleton
Thurs	Y3/4	Gardening Club	3:15 – 4:00pm	Mrs McCormack
Thurs	Y5/6	Forest School	3:15 – 4:00pm	Mrs Zaim
Fri	Y5	Tower Wood Residential		
Fri	Y4	Swimming		
Fri	KS2	Choir	3:15 – 4:15pm	Miss Jones/Mrs Preece