Aughton Christ Church C of E Primary School N E W S L E T T E R— 3rd April 2019

Our school value this half term is "Forgiveness"

'Just the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also forgive others.'

Notices

Happy Easter

Our Spring Term has been another vibrant and busy one in which the children have continued to work hard and excel in all areas of school life. I would like to thank all of the children for their superb contributions in every aspect of school life. They really have made the last term so enjoyable and successful in many ways. As they now finish for a well deserved break, I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to all of our families for your continued support with everything we do. On behalf of everyone at Aughton Christ Church C of E Primary School, I'd like to wish the children a very happy and well deserved break.

Mr. Kennedy

Attendance

Attendance is a crucial part of every child's education. We are delighted that 150 children have achieved 100% attendance this half term and that our overall school attendance is **97.67%**. The children concerned will receive a certificate this week.

Reception Vision Screening—Thursday 4th April

All the information has now been sent home for children in Reception class for NHS Vision Screening. Please note that it is an **opt-out scheme** this year, so please only return the reply slip if you **do not** want your child to take part in the screening. The vision screening will be taking place on Thursday 4th April.

Dance Talent Easter Workshop at St Bede's

The Dance Talent Easter Workshop, which takes place at St. Bede's will include signing, dancing, drama and lots of games. 8th to 12th April, 10.00 a.m.—3.00 p.m. at St Bede's High School. For more information or to book a place for your child **please call Katy on Tel: 07734 394449**.

Drama Club Production 2019

Rehearsals are now under way for our forthcoming production of "The Wizard of Orm". A polite reminder that Drama Club sessions now run until 4.30 p.m. on a Tuesday after school.

This year's production will take place at Christ Church Ministry Centre on Thursday 11th and Friday 12th July at 6.30 p.m. It is essential that parents and carers let Mrs. Chapple know as soon as possible if any children are unable to take part in the production on these evenings.

Forthcoming Events



Dates for your Diary

Please check all our key dates on the school website—a reminder of some key dates is below.

Thursday 4th April—Reception Vision Screening Thursday 25th April—Sponsored Run (see page 3 for details) Monday 29th April—Year 3 Tennis Fun Day

Parent Helpers Association

Sponsored Run

Thursday 25th April will see all children compete in a sponsored run. This event will be held during school hours so parents will not attend. Gift Aid Sponsor forms



will be sent home before the Easter holidays and all sponsor forms and money raised needs to be returned to school by Friday 26th April in a sealed envelope, marked "PHA Sponsored Run". Thank you

to all the parents for supporting us with this event which the children are really looking forward to.

PHA Easter Bingo

The PHA Easter Bingo was a great success. A total of £362.52 was raised from this event.

We would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Daly for all their help. Thank you to everyone who attended, it was a very successful evening!



Year 3 Tennis Fun Day Monday 29th April

Letters with permission slips have now been sent home for this trip. Please note that children will need to be collected from the Tennis Club at either 3.30 p.m. or 4.30 p.m. as per the letter. For those parents who wish their children to attend the additional hour of coaching, a fee of £5.00 will apply (Cheques payable to "Ormskirk Tennis Club".



SUMMER TERM CLUBS 2019

(First Half)

Clubs will start week beginning 23rd April 2019

(Clubs are subject to change)

Day	Club	Time	Teacher
Monday	Benchball	12 - 12.30	Mrs Frackelton (Years 5 & 6)
	Yoga and Mindfulness *	3.30 – 4.15	Mrs Nolan (Year 3)
Tuesday	Drama	3.30 - 4.30	Mrs Chapple (Juniors)
Wednesday	Choir	12.15 -	Miss Geeson (Years 1-6)
		12.45	
Thursday	Spanish	3.30 - 4.15	Miss Fletcher (Year 2)
	Maths Club	12.30 - 1	Ms Jenkins (Year 1)
	Cricket **	3.30 - 4.30	Mr Kennedy (Years 5 & 6)
Friday	Running	12 – 12.30	Mr Kennedy (Juniors)

^{*} Yoga and Mindfulness will run on the following dates: - 13^{th} May, 20^{th} May, 3^{rd} June and 10^{th} June.

^{**}Cricket will be subject to the weather.

PARENT HELPERS ASSOCIATION

Forthcoming Events & Activities

OUR NEXT MAIN EVENT IS:-



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Thursday 25th April will see all children compete in a Sponsored Run. This event will be held during school hours so parents will not attend. Sponsor forms will be sent home before the Easter holidays and all forms and **money raised needs to be returned to school by Friday 26th April**. Thank you.

Christ Church Summer Social

Friday 14th June—3.30 p.m.

In a twist this year, our Summer Fair is to be held on **Friday 14th June from 3:30pm until late**. The focus will be on family fun and there will be our fabulous BBQ, various other food stalls, fun games and refreshments. We would hope everyone could join us for a night of entertainment and a get together with friends, bring a picnic blanket and spend the night with us for a great cause.