Aughton Christ Church C of E Primary School

N E W S L E T T E R— 22nd May 2019

Our school value this half term is " Friendship "

' Encourage one another and build each other up '

Thessalonians 5.11

Notices

Phonics Testing Week—Monday 10th June

Parents of children in Year 1 will be aware that the children have a statutory phonics assessment during the summer term. These will be held in the week commencing Monday 10th June 2019.

Year 4 Camping Trip—Friday 21st June

Children in Year 4 have received a letter today regarding their camping experience next term. There will be an information meeting for parents on **Tuesday 4th June at 3pm**. Please ensure you return the slip to school as soon as possible. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Mr Kennedy.

Cricket Club

Cricket Club will be on as normal this week.

Y5 Rainforest Books

Parents of Y5 children are invited to view rainforest books from previous Y5 classes. These will be on display in Y5 classroom at 8:45am—9am and 3:30pm—3:45pm on Thursday 23rd May.

PSHE Meeting for Parents

As per the letter sent home this week, parents of children in Years 5 & 6 are invited to attend a short meeting in school at 9am on Tuesday 4th June and may view the educational DVD that will be shown to the children.

Reception & Year 6 Heights and Weights

Please note that this in an **opt-out** system so please contact the nursing team on the number provided at the top of the letter you have been given if you would like to withdraw your child from this programme. The height & weight checks will take place for children in both Reception and Year 6 on **Tuesday 4th June**.

Collection from after school clubs

Could we please poli5tely remind all parents and carers to be aware of the correct finish times for clubs held after school. (see page 2 of newsletter). If you are unable to collect your child at the correct finish time, it is essential that you make alternative arrangements for collection of your child. Thank you

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Year 4—Thursday 23rd May

Outdoor Classroom Day is a global campaign to celebrate and inspire outdoor learning and play.

Outdoor learning improves children's health, engages them with learning and leads to a greater connection with nature. Play not only teaches critical life skills such as resilience, teamwork and creativity, but is central to children's enjoyment of childhood.

Year 4 are excited to have signed up for the 2019 campaign of Outdoor Classroom Day. The day will involve taking all our lessons outside within our school grounds. This is a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to embrace learning outside the classroom. Children will wear their P.E. kits and will need to have a sunhat and sun cream on (applied before school).

Forthcoming Events

Dates for your Diary

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

Tuesday 4th June—meeting for Y4 parents at 3pm Tuesday 4th June— PSHE meeting for Y5/Y6 parents Tuesday 4th June—Reception & Y6 height/weight check Thursday 6th June—Y5 Crosby Marina Residential Friday 7th June—Year 4 to Blackpool Zoo Monday 10th June—Phonics Week Monday 10th June—Year 6 Leavers Service at Cathedral Friday 21st June—Year 4 Camping Trip

Year 5 Kayaking

After the Year 5 residential there will be an additional 4 kayaking sessions at Crosby Marina on the mornings of Thursday 13th June, Thursday 20th June, Thursday 27th June and Thursday 4th July. Please ensure that your child brings with them a towel, swimming costume, waterproof shoes/old trainers, cap, gloves, sunscreen and outerwear such as their own wetsuit or leggings/shorts & t -shirt.



Christ Church Welcomes You!

From Monday 3rd June until Sunday 9th June Christ Church will be open from 9am - 9pm. Inside you will find some activities that you can do as a family linked to Pentecost when we remember the birthday of the church. Please feel free to wander in and have a go at the activities or simply come in to be still and find some peace away from the busyness of life. All are welcome, no need to book just come in the front door.



Christ Church PHA Summer Social

Save the date for our fabulous festival themed summer social—Friday 14th June from 3:30pm until 6pm.

Bring a picnic blanket and come and socialise. There will be an amazing wood fired pizza company attending, our brilliant BBQ, a new for this year festival tuck shop and our ever popular refreshments stall, so you can stay late, try some great food and enjoy time with your friends.

As always we would welcome donations for our Grand Summer Raffle. If you are able to make a donation then please take it into the school office. Your support is truly appreciated. Grand Raffle tickets will be coming home with the children **TONIGHT** to be returned week commencing Monday 10th June.

Our fabulous coloured boxes are also back due to popular demand. We ask that each child brings in a donation as from Monday 13th May. This donation can be sweet treats, games, bubbles, household items or any other donation to match your child's class chosen colour.

Reception –Pink Year 1—Orange Year 2—Blue Year 3—Red Year 4 –Green Year 5—Purple Year 6 - Yellow

The day of the summer social (Friday 14th June) will be an own clothes day. Come dressed for a festival, ready to enjoy the evening with us.



SUMMER TERM CLUBS 2019

(Second Half)

Clubs will start week beginning 3rd June 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)
	Eco and Gardening *	3.30—4.30	Mr Swift (Year 5)
Tuesday	Drama	3.30 - 4.30	Mrs Chapple (Juniors)
Wednesday	Choir	12.15 -12.45	Miss Geeson (Years 1-6)
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)

* Eco Gardening Club to start on Monday 10th June.

** Spanish will be on the following dates: - 13th June 2019 and 20th June 2019.

*** Cricket will be subject to the weather.

PARENT HELPERS ASSOCIATION

Forthcoming Events & Activities

OUR NEXT MAIN EVENT IS:-

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.