



# Newsletter

ST. MICHAEL'S C.E. (AIDED) PRIMARY SCHOOL

Rooted in Faith, Growing Together

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## A message from Mrs Perry

This week has felt like a whirlwind, there has been so much going on! Exciting events and practices for the children ready for next week.

I am still impressed daily with how everyone rallies round to support each other and pick each other up. The support, I feel, is unmatched and this is reflected in the children and the supportive things they say to each other. The effort that the children put into their learning is also reflected in competitions and events – although I am unsure at times who is more competitive!

I had a conversation early this week about the changes in education, the changes in life and the things we hold close. I have been teaching for 17 years now, I turned 30 in 2016 and my life then and now are worlds apart. I was talking to the children about how its not all plain sailing but being respectful and being kind always wins.

I walked into the hall on Wednesday to find a group of year 5 children playing cats cradle, I had a go, got about 5 in and couldn't remember the next move. I think I will spend the weekend relearning a long lost skill!

Have a lovely weekend!

## Key Dates

**30.3.26** Easter Service KS1 AM (at school)  
**30.3.26** KS2 Easter Service PM (at Church)  
**31.3.26 – 2.4.26** Year 6 Residential  
**2.4.26** Finish for Easter Holidays  
**20.4.26** Return to school  
**28.4.26** Class Photos  
**29.4.26** Parents Evening  
**1.5.26** Teach Rex  
**7.5.26 – 8.5.26** Year 5 to York  
**7.5.26** Reception class assembly  
**11.5.26 – 14.5.26** SATs week  
**12.5.26** Road Safety Workshops  
**14.5.26** Year 2 to Science and Industry Museum  
**19.5.26** RE Day  
**21.5.26** Year 1 class assembly  
**22.5.26** End of summer 1  
**8.6.26** Return to school  
**8.6.26 – 11.6.26** Phonics Screener year 1  
**8.6.26 – 1.6.26** Multiplication Checks Y4  
**19.6.26** Sports Day

## Next Week

Next week is the last week of term before 2 weeks off!

**Monday** – KS1 Easter Service in the school hall at 9.15am

Ks2 Easter Service at 2pm in Church (the boiler is broken, bring a coat!)

**Tuesday** – Year 6 go on their residential until Thursday

**Thursday** – Last day of term, the children can wear none uniform.

Thursday – Year 6 due home at around 3.30pm but we will keep you posted!

**Friday** – School is closed!

## Attendance

This week's attendance is **95%** with **8** late mark.

**That is the equivalent of 36.5 missed learning days.**

## Stars of the Week

Reception- Jude M

Year 4 – Evie C

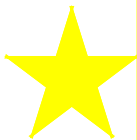
Year 1 – Rowan K

Year 5 – Sophia V

Year 2 – Ezra L

Year 6 – Macie J

Year 3 – Robert C



## Agent of Change

Well done to India in year 1 who gave up her own time to help her Dad clean the Church. I hear from India that a rather big spider crawled up her arm so it sounds like she was kind and courageous!



## Talk to the children

Every week I am going to share what we have looked at in our Collective Worship and pose a question for you all to talk about at home. This week's question to think about:

**If you could create a "new beginning" for something in the world, what would it be?**

## Gymnastics

Well done to our Year 2 and 3 Gymnastics teams this week who went to Fusion to compete with other schools. They were all resilient, courageous and supportive of each other! We even got a few medals and rosettes. Thank you Miss Murray and Miss Lines for taking them!



## Author Visit

Yesterday the children in KS2 had a visit from Phillip Kavvadias, he is an author of children's books. He talked to the children about the 3 books he has written, showed them illustrations and asked them for their ideas! The children were brilliant and enjoyed the session. Some children even got a book signed!



## Rocksteady

On Wednesday we had our termly Rocksteady Concert. The children who do Rocksteady on a Wednesday got the chance to perform with their bands in front of their families and friends. Well done for showing courage and aspiration everyone!



## Year 4 Class Assembly

This week year 4 did an amazing job on their class assembly. They taught us about Ancient Greece, sang us a song they had learnt in music and even made Mrs Prole and I compete for a trophy. I won't discuss who won! Well done year 4!



## Multisports

Yesterday year 2 went to Flixton Girls to take part in their Multisports Festival. The children had the opportunity to do lots of different sports including hurdles, speed bounce and parachutes. They had a brilliant time and were amazingly well behaved!



## RE Day

On Tuesday we had an RE day, the whole was dedicated to learning about the Lord's Prayer; each class had a line from the prayer to focus on. They produced lots of work linked to it prayer and this will be displayed in the hall. The children then shared their learning in worship. Well done everyone.



## Easter Crafts

What an incredible effort from our children with their Easter entries! The judging was so hard! We had chickens, egg puns and GIANT hats! We were so impressed! The singing in the parade really made us smile too!



## Half Term Heroes

Today we took our Half Term Heroes for their treat. We went bowling, we were put in the VIP area, had an hours' worth of bowling and even got some secret sweets! Well done everyone!

