



# Newsletter

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

Rooted in Faith, Growing Together

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## A message from Mrs Perry

WOW, where did that term go? How are we already at the end of summer 1. One more term and we will be saying good bye to our year 6. The next half term is always a busy one, sports day, transition days, enterprise fairs and year 6 productions.

On Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June we will be opening our Peace Garden, parents are all welcome to come and have a cup of tea and hear some songs before the opening of the garden. We are hoping that the good weather continues and we can go ahead!

I have heard many of you saying that you are going on holiday this half term; I hope you all have a wonderful time and enjoy yourselves! Don't forget that School of Play are here if you need some childcare for the holidays if you aren't going away.

We are back on June 8<sup>th</sup> ready for phonics screening and multiplication checks so please make sure children are back and ready to go.

Thank you for everything this half term, enjoy the break, stay safe and we will see you on the 8<sup>th</sup>.

## Key Dates

**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

**10.6.26 – 11.6.26** Phonics Screening Check

**11.6.26** Opening of the Peace Garden 2.45pm

**18.6.26** Reception class assembly

please note change of date

**19.6.26** Sports Day

**22.6.26** RE Day

**24.6.26** Year 4 to Flixton Girls

**30.6.26** Year 6 to the Cathedral

**2.7.26 – 3.7.26** Year 4 Gulliver's World

**3.7.26** Parent Neurodiversity Workshop

**8.7.26** Rocksteady Concert

**9.7.26** Nursery class assembly

**10.7.26** Community Event

**10.7.26** Reports go home

**13.7.26** Blackpool Zoo Year 1

**16.7.26** Inflatables

## Next Week

We now have 2 weeks off school, we will return to school on **Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June**.

Year 1 will be doing their phonics screening on **10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> June**  
Year 4 will be doing their multiplication checks **during the week** too.

Next week is hot and sunny! Have a lovely few weeks off.

## Attendance

This week's attendance is **97.5%** with **9** late mark.

**That is the equivalent of 13 missed learning days.**

## Danceathon

Thank you for the amazing response to our Danceathon this week. We raised over £1200 in memory of Jon Ezard while having an amazing time, the children danced with parents, teachers and their friends. There were many smiles all day and the children and staff had a fab time.



## Half Term Heroes

Reception- Abi O

Year 4 – Freddie W

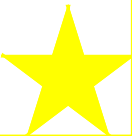
Year 1 – Archie P

Year 5 – Savannah C-S

Year 2 – Charles M

Year 6 – Charley I

Year 3 – Gabriella G



## 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:

**How can we support one another to do the right thing?**

### Half Term Heroes

Yesterday our Half Term Heroes from last half term went to Oxygen Trampoline Park in Media City. They spent time bouncing and playing on the equipment. They loved it and were very excited to share the fun!



### Sport

This week our Netball team went to take part in a tournament at Flixton Girls, they did an amazing job showing their collaboration and represented the school well. Year 5 have also been to the Tag Rugby competition where they competed against some tough competition and did an amazing job! Well done everyone.



### Spelling Bee

Well done to Elsie in Year 1 who won the KS1 and EYFS spelling Bee this afternoon. Everyone did an amazing job and spelt some tricky words! Well done everyone!



### Reception Learning

Reception have had some very exciting learning this week. They had a visit from Mr Ibrahim who told them about a Mosque and brought some things to show the children that you may find in a Mosque. They children then went to St Michael's church where they learnt about Churches and how they are special. Thank you Mr Ibrahim and Rev Huw for your help!



### Science Fair

Thank you to all the parent who came to the Science Fair on Monday. The children were amazing at sharing their learning and we had a lovely time sharing the experiments with you all. Thank you Miss Finney for organising this amazing event.



### Mrs Hilton

Today we said a very sad goodbye to Mrs Hilton, Mrs Hilton has been a lunchtime supervisor at St Michael's for 16 years. She has been a huge part of the journey for many children and we will really miss her calming presence. Happy Retirement Mrs Hilton!



### Year 1 Class Assembly

Well done to year 1 who did an amazing job during their class assembly this week. They shared lots about their learning in class and sang a song too! Well done everyone.

