Headteacher's Message

Friday 17th May









Dear Parents and Carers,

Special OFSTED celebration for all Children

On **Wednesday 22nd May** we will be having a special day in school to celebrate our successful OFSTED Inspection in February 2024. We in particular want to celebrate with the children our **OUTSTANDING** achievement for 'Behaviour and Attitudes!'

Children are invited to come to school in their party clothes! Staff will also be wearing their party clothes too!

Throughout the day there will be an exciting mix of activities including a disco, picnic lunch with celebration cake, a visit to the ice cream van on the school grounds, party games and more!

It is going to be a great day for all! We will share lots of photos in the next newsletter.



First Holy Communions

We will have our school based Holy Communion celebration for our children and families on Wednesday 19th June in church and in school. A letter with more information about these arrangements will be shared early next week.



Month of May - Mary Mother of Jesus

In the month of May we dedicate our prayers and private intentions to Mary the Mother of God. As a family you may wish to use this traditional prayer:

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

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Litter and Fly tipping outside school grounds

Here in St Michael's we are very proud of school grounds and work very hard to keep them tidy and litter free. Unfortunately, outside our immediate school grounds and building along the pathway from Boaler Street to West Derby Road, Guion Street and in the subway there is frequently a build-up of litter and fly tipping. This makes it very unpleasant and potentially unsafe for our families coming and going from school.

As a school we report this frequently to Liverpool council via their website and upload photos of the litter. We have also contacted Liverpool Councillors about the matter

However, we are just **one** voice! If all parents and carers reported it in the same way, it would increase the likelihood of a response action being taken from the council more swiftly.

Parents can access this through Liverpool City Council website and by clicking on the relevant subject

Report passage dumping

Report a street which needs cleaning

Street cleaning schedule

Report fly-tipping

Report an issue with graffiti

Report an issue with fly posting



All being well together we will achieve better regular cleansing by the council of these areas.

Best Wishes and have a lovely weekend

Mrs Alyson Rigby

Headteacher



Focus: Chess Club

On Wednesday, we have our weekly Chess club. It was originally opened to Y6, but a number of Y5 children have now asked to join and I'm absolutely delighted that it's something the children are actively asking to do.

The biggest compliment I can pay to the pupils who come is that it is so much fun to spend time with them. I look forward to my Wednesday afternoons because I enjoy them so much. The only problem is that they all keep beating me!











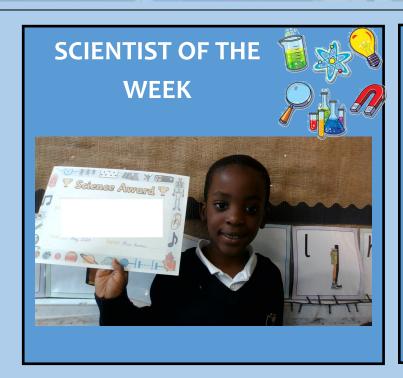


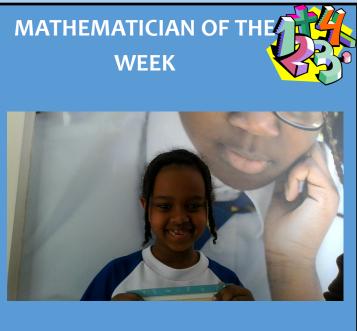


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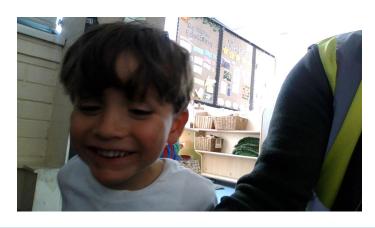
Celebration







Reader Week







These Children have gone Above and Beyond this week. They have been rewarded with a certificate and a hot chocolate with cream, marshmallows and biscuits. Well done!



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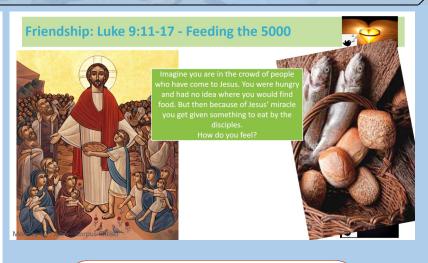
After School Clubs

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Club	Staff Lead	Yr
Monday		
Reading Tutoring	Ms. Ghazali	Y6
	Ms. Briggs	
	Ms. Birks	
	Ms. Sillitoe	
Football Club	Mr. Ferry	Y 5
Reading	Ms. Whittaker	Y5
Tuition		
Times Tables	Ms. Forbes	Y4
Spanish Club	Ms.	Y2
	Hollywood	
Reading Tuition	Ms. Sharpes	Y2
Reading Tutoring	Ms. McEntee	Y1
	Ms. Duncan	
Tuesday		
Craft Club	Ms. Cornett	KS2
Choir	Ms. Haynes	KS2
	Ms. O'Kane	
Football	Mr. Ferry	Y6
Reading Tutoring	Ms. Briggs	Y6
	Ms. Ghazali	
	Ms. Sillitoe	
	Ms. Birks	
Netball	Ms. Gannon	Y6 +
	Ms. Gibney	Y4
Times Tables	Ms. Forbes	Y 4
Reading Tuition	Ms. Sharpes	Y2
Reading Tutoring	Ms. McEntee	Y1
Fun Club	Ms. Collins	Rec
	Ms. Potter	
	Ms. Kormi	
	Ms. O'Kane	

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Wednesday		
Chess	Mr. Smith	Y6
German Club	Ms. Steiner	Y6
Games	Kate Edsential	Y5
		3:30-
		4:30
Maths Tuition	Ms.	Y5
	Butterworth	
Fun Phonics	Ms. Davison	Y1
	Ms. Watt	
Thursday		
Mini Vinnies	Ms. Roscoe &	Y5 &
	Ms. Birch	6
DT	Ms. Duncan	Y3
Dance Club	Ms. Sharpes	Y2
Football	LFC	Y2
Reading	Ms. Duncan	Y1
Friday		
Athletics	Coach Sam	Mixed
Reading Tuition	Ms. Whittaker	Y5

All clubs finish at 4:15 unless specified. Please refer to your permission letter for instructions on where to collect the children. Usual collection points are the infant gate for KS1 clubs, and junior gate for KS2 clubs.

Version 2



Jesus, you come to us as bread and wine.

Fill us with your kindness and give us the appetite and strength to change the world for the better.

Amen

Read the Parish of St Michael & Sacred Heart Newsletters' and The Wednesday Word



Jaime Cranham Our Family Support Worker

Jamie is available to talk privately about any questions, concerns or issues you may have. Come along for a private chat.

Drop in sessions every Tuesday at 9:00am

Jaime Cranham 07712235803

jaime.cranham@liverpool.gov.uk

or see Mrs Birch

Ask at Reception for further details





Attendance



WIN A BIKE!!! THE CHILDREN WITH THE BEST ATTENDANCE OVER THE YEAR WILL BE ENTERED INTO A PRIZE DRAW IN JULY!

Year Group	% Attendance
SHINING STARS - RECEPTION	95.7
SUPERSTARS - RECEPTION	98.3
QUICK THINKERS - YEAR 1	91.7
RECORD BREAKERS - YEAR 1	97.6
GOLDEN WONDERS - YEAR 2	95.3
WORLD BEATERS - YEAR 2	97.3
HEROES - YEAR 3	96.1
OLYMPIANS - YEAR 3	95.9
HOTSHOTS - YEAR 4	95.7
INSPIRATIONS - YEAR 4	93.5
HIGH ACHIEVERS - YEAR 5	97.7
HIGH FLYERS - YEAR 5	99.0
WHIZZKIDS - YEAR 6	100.0
CHAMPIONS - YEAR 6	100.0
Totals	96.7%

Well done to the

Superstars, Whizzkids and

Champions for achieving
the highest attendance this
week. Let's keep on pushing
for 100% attendance, 100% of
the time!

These classes have won this week's mini disco & crisps for best Class attendance.
Well done

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

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Equates To:	100%	OUTSTANDING
4 School days missed in an academic year	98%	VERY GOOD
7 School days missed in an academic year	96%	GOOD
10 School days missed in an academic year	95%	ALMOST
School days missed in an academic year	94%	IMPROVEMENT
20 School days missed in an academic year.	90%	CONCERNED ATTEMOANCE OFFICE WELL BE IN TOUCH
29 School days missed in an academic years	85%	VERY

NHS

Regular attendance at school is the single most important factor in a child/children making appropriate progress and achieving success. Good, regular and punctual attendance means doing well academically, developing better relationships with other children and positive behaviour. It also sets up good habits for when young people enter into work and life.



We aim for average school attendance to be 97% There are 190 days in a school year which leaves 175 days to spend on family time, shopping, appointments and other things.

It is also important to arrive at school on time. If a child arrives late to school every day, their learning begins to suffer. This graph shows how being late to school every day over a school year adds up to lost learning time.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

In the interest of your child's safety and well being, a named adult needs to be contactable at all times. Please ensure the school has at least 3 up to date telephone numbers. If school are unable to contact you and have concerns we may call the police and request a welfare check.

Can you please call school at the beginning of the day if your child is going to be absent.



3 days	6.5 days	10 days	13 days	19 days
lost	lost	lost	lost	lost
5m	10m	15m	20m	30m



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Parenting, SEN and other support





May 2024

Newsletter



CPD training for anyone who works with children or teenagers.

National Standards CPD accredited sessions

All sessions booked & delivered online via facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Thursday 2 May

Anxiety Explained

Anxiety, especially in our young is rising. This session explains what it is, why it happens and how you can help.

Monday 13 May 19:00 - 21:00 £24



Autism: Improving Communication

Small changes can lead to huge improvements with your ability to communicate with someone on the spectrum.

Monday 20 May 19:00 - 21:00



Understanding the Teenage Brain

Improve your understanding and communication with your teen. Why they think, feel and behave very differentlky from adults.

Tuesday 21 May 19:00 - 21:00



Raising Self-Esteem

How to support healthy self-esteem in your children and yourself. Easy to apply interventions shared.

facefamilyadvice.co.uk.

info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Supporting a Child with ADHD

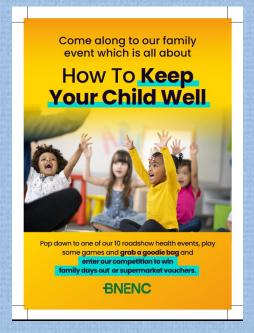


Challenge the stereotypes and get the facts with Jane Keyworth Thursday 23rd May + Thur 20th June (7pm to 9pm) £24



Available to book now via the websitefacefamilyadvice.co.uk





DATE	TIME	VENUE
Wed 15th May	2am-6pm	Liverpool Football Club Anfield Road, Liverpool, L4 0TH
Fri 24th May	9am-3pm	Fountains Children's Centre Fountains Road, Kirkdale, Liverpool L4 1QH
Thur 30th May	9am-12pm	The Blue Base Salop St, Liverpool L4 4BZ
Fri 7th June	9am-12pm	ASDA Walton Utting Avenue, Liverpool L4 9XU
Fri 7th June	1pm-4pm	WECC - West Everton Community Council Bute St, Liverpool L5 3LA
Sat 15th June	10am-2pm	ASDA Breck Road, Liverpool L6 5DR
Fri 21st June	9am-3pm	Everton Children's Centre Spencer Street, Liverpool L6 2WF
Fri 28st June	9am-12pm	VNC - Vauxhall Neighbourhood Council Silvester St, L'pool L5 8YD
Wed 3rd July	9am-12pm	NSPCC Hargreaves Centre, 112 Great Homer St, L'pool L5 3LQ
Fri 5th July	2pm-6pm	Liverpool Lighthouse Community Centre Oakfield Road, Liverpool L4 0UF

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OUR MEN'S GROUP

WHEN Every Monday 1:00pm—2:00pm

WHERE

Garston Children's Centre 70 Banks Road, Garston Liverpool

0151 233 6868

IT'S OKAY TO TALK!

GROUP FACILITATOR Ryan Hoey

WE ALL HAVE A STORY TO TELL



DKUP IN SESSION Refreshments Provide Call in for a chat

YOU ARE NOT

ALONE!

Social Communication and Social Behaviour Workshops

Date: 28th, 30th, 31st May

Time: 9.30am till 12 noon

Venue: Virtual - Half Term Holiday

ASD VIRTUAL Drop ins

Date: May 2024 dates and times



In Harmony Year 6 Youth Hub

Year 6 Youth Hub Events

Parent/Carer Information Event

The Friary (L3 3BX) Friday 24th May 2024 3:45pm - 5:00pm

Taster Events:

Everton Youth Hub North Liverpool Academy Tuesday 11th June 2024 3:30pm - 5:30pm

Anfield Youth Hub Liverpool Lighthouse Thursday 13th June 2024 3:30pm - 5:30pm



Scan the QR code to sign up!



What is a Kinship Carer?

A kinship carer is a person looking after someone else's child because their parents are unable to care for them. You might be a grandparent, auntie, uncle, sibling, or friend. You might be caring for very young children or teenagers. You might be new to kinship caring or you may have been doing it for many years.

How can Kinship Carers Support You?

Kinship caring is both rewarding and challenging. Some families face difficulties at different stages of the kinship family journey. You are caring for others but who is caring for you? We are here to give you advice, information and support. We provide an Activities Programme for kin kids and carers – and can introduce you to other kin families locally

Every kinship family situation is different

Kinship children that are not in school or childcare are welcome to attend

Meeting's at Garston Children's Centre

9th February 2024

23rd February 2024

8th March 2024 22nd March 2024

19th April 2024

3rd May 2024

17th May 2024

24th May 2024

14th June 2024 28th June 2024

12th July 2024

Garston Children's Centre Kinship Support Group

Support and guidance available from the Kinship support team, pop in to meet other kinship carers, have a chat and a cup of tea. Contact Garston Children's Centre for more information

Garston Children's Centre 70 Banks Road

Garston L19 8JZ

0151 233 6868

Registered Charity Number: 1122907 Kinship Carers is a company limited by guarantee No:05943911



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Safeguarding & Support









for up to 15 items.



Worried about a Child or Young Person?

If a child is at risk of harm, abuse or neglect please report it to:

Children's Advice & Support Service

CASS- 0151 459 2606





FIND A MEAL

Bootle

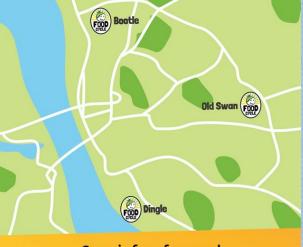
Tuesdays at 7pm St Matthew's 410 Stanley Road L20 5AE

Dingle

Wednesdays at 7pm St Cleopas Church 400 Mill Street L8 4RF

Old Swan

Thursdays 7pm The Salvation Army Prescot Road L13 3BT



Come in for a free meal No referral needed, just turn up!

www.foodcycle.org.uk | 02077 292 775 Registered charity number: 113423

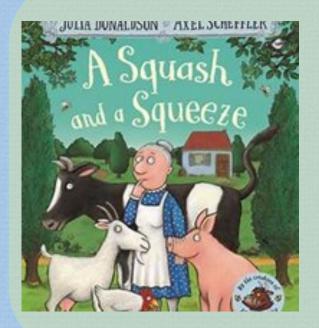


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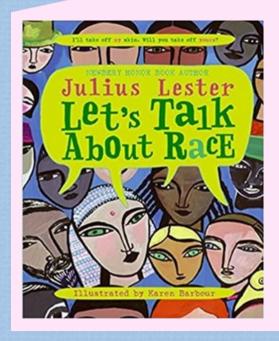
Storytime @ St Michael's

Scan a code, snuggle up and listen to a story!



A Squash and a Squeeze by Julia Donaldson and







Scan the QR code to listen to...

"Let's Talk About Race"

By Julius Lester

Term Dates 2023 -2024

Autumn Term 2023

Term: Monday 4th September – Thursday 21st December

Pupils: Autumn Term 1 - Monday 4th September to Thursday 26th October

Half term: Monday 30th October to Friday 3rd November

Pupils: Autumn Term 2 – Monday 6th November to Thursday 21st December

Terms ends: Thursday 21st December 2023

Spring Term 2024

Term: Monday 8th January - Thursday 28th March

Pupils: Spring Term 1 – Monday 8th January to Friday 9th February

Half term: Monday 12th February – Monday 19th February

Pupils: Spring Term 2 – Tuesday 20th February to Thursday 28th March

Term ends: Thursday 28th March

Summer Term 2024

Term: Monday 8th April to Friday 19th July

Pupils: Summer Term 1 – Monday 8thh April to Friday 24th May

Half term: Monday 27th May to Friday 7th June

Pupils: Summer Term 2 – Monday 10th June to Friday 19th July

Term Ends: Friday 19th July

May Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May

Staff Development Days - School closed for pupils

Friday 1st September 2023

Friday 27th October

Monday 19th February 2024

Four extended twilight sessions (22nd Dec & 22 July)







St Michael's Catholic Primary School Term Dates 2024 -2025

Autumn Term 2024

Term: Tuesday 3rd September - Friday 20th December

Pupils: Autumn Term 1 – Tuesday 3rd September to Friday 25th October

Half term: Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November

Pupils: Autumn Term 2 – Monday 4th November to Friday 20th December

Terms ends: Friday 20th December 2024

Spring Term 2025

Term: Monday 6th January – Thursday 10th April

Pupils: Spring Term 1 – Monday 6th January to Friday 14th February

Half term: Monday 17th February - Monday 24th February

Pupils: Spring Term 2 – Tuesday 25th February to Thursday 10th April

Term ends: Thursday 10th April 2025

Summer Term 2025

Term: Tuesday 22nd April to Friday 18th July (May Bank Holiday: Monday 5th May)

Pupils: Summer Term 1 – Tuesday 22nd April to Friday 23rd May

Half term: Monday 26th May to Friday 6th June

Pupils: Summer Term 2 – Monday 9th June to Friday 18th July

Term Ends: Friday 18th July 2025







Staff Development Days – School closed for pupils

Monday 2nd September 2024

Monday 24th February 2025

Six extended twilight session