

# St. Michael's Newsletter



Friday, 24th June 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

**OUR PE KIT IS MISSING! PLEASE RETURN BLUE ST. MICHAEL'S SPORTS TOPS AND TRACK SUITS AS WE NO LONGER HAVE ENOUGH TOPS FOR OUR ATHLETES. WE DID HAVE 25! THANK YOU. 😊**

## Field Events

On Monday we travelled to Chelmsford Athletics Centre for the field events of the district sports competition. Liyah and Alfie G were in the long jump, Cara and Albie took part in high jump with Lilly



and Alfie D in the throwing. All the children involved showed a great effort towards their events collecting 24 points as a group which will go towards the track events this Friday. Cara achieved 2nd place and Albie 3rd place in the high jump competition for our group. Well done to all and good luck to everyone participating on Friday in the track events. Report by Paul Sturton

## NEW ENTRANCE !

I am delighted to report that our new front entrance is completed and on schedule. It looks absolutely beautiful and parents and visitors to the school can now start to use it and not the side entrance. Many thanks to all our parents who bore with us during the building work. We hope you all agree it is a huge improvement on both the look of the building and, more importantly, the security of the children.

## Music Festival

After a long and very hot rehearsal, the children turned up at the Civic Theatre for the evening performance of the Music Festival, raring to go. As always, our children looked really smart and their performance matched their dress code! They were brilliant and were the biggest choir there! They sang some beautiful songs and a pirate cantata – lots of ooh arghing! I would like to express my sincere thanks to Sue Hamblin and Stephanie Burchell who came with me to the theatre all day. They were so helpful and kind in helping me deal with poorly children. Our choir sing beautifully and

I am always immensely proud of them. It was lovely to have so many parents and family supporting the children – thank you for coming.

### **Sports Day**

Don't forget Sports Day next Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> July starting at 1:00 pm on the school field, weather permitting!! We would like to invite parents to bring a picnic lunch which they can enjoy with their children on the field from 12:00 pm. If your child has a school lunch, they can still eat with you on the field.

### **Camp - over**

The camp over scheduled for this weekend has had to be postponed due to a waterlogged field. With sports days coming up, we want to try and preserve the grass so it is safe for the children to use. All monies will be refunded and we hope to run the camp over early in September.

### **"Guardians Of Ancora" HOLIDAY CLUB**

Dates : Tuesday 26th July - Thursday 28th July

Time : 10am until 12:30pm

Where : St Michael's Junior School, Barnard Road

Cost : This is a free club run by St Michael's Church

To register : Please complete the Registration Form sent in last week's newsletter or available on the school website <http://www.st-michaels-jun.essex.sch.uk/whole-school-letters> and e-mail it to [carolinejessiespeed@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:carolinejessiespeed@hotmail.co.uk) or post it/drop it off at 4 Chelmerston Avenue, Great Baddow, CM2 9RE

Please be aware that places are limited and registration must be submitted by the 18th July. You will be sent a confirmation e-mail within a week of registration. Please call Caroline on 01245 473472 / 07879452804 for more info.

**w/c 20<sup>th</sup> June - Menu week 3 new Summer menus – on website.**

**\*\*School Photo orders must be sent in with your child by Monday morning 27<sup>th</sup> June\*\***

### **Dates for your Diary**

Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> June – The 2 Johns E - safety Talk

Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> July – School Sports Day 1pm

Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> July – Annual reports to parents sent home

Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> July – Joint Summer Fete with GIS – 12:00 midday – 3:00 pm

Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> July @ 7:00 pm – Year 6 Performance

Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> July @ 7:00 pm – Year 6 Performance

Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> July @10am – Year 6 Leavers Service St. Michael's Church

Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July - School closes for the summer holidays

Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2016 - Non-pupil day

Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2016 - Non-pupil day

Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016 - Children return to school after the summer break

Yours sincerely



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