

St. Michael's CE (VA) Junior School Newsletter

by Mrs Rumsey



Friday, 14th June 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

Rounder's Champions!

On Tuesday, 11th June, Emma, Hollie, Ruby, Rhianna, Oliver, Leo, Harry, Olly and Reece (the A team), went to the rounders' finals at Great Baddow High School. There were 9 teams in total and we were put in pools of 3. We played 2 matches in our pool and won both of them. Then we were put in another pool and played another 2 matches, which we won. In the end, we came 1st and are through to the county finals to play against the whole of Essex. Many thanks to Mr. Sturton, Mr. Leeding and all the parents and carers who supported us. Report written by Emma and Hollie in 6S.

Essex Child and Family Wellbeing Service offers a monthly Healthy Family Drop In on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 2pm. This is a chance for parents to come along to meet the Healthy Family Support Worker (Fiona Daly) with any concerns that you may have. THIS SESSION IS FOR CONCERNS/QUERIES REGARDING SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN.

The Healthy Family Support Worker can undertake hearing tests, height and weight measurements along with supporting with issues such as diet, sleep and behaviour or parenting support.

School Photos

Class photos were taken by Tempest today, we will get the proofs out to you as soon as we receive them so that you can put your orders in and receive your photos back before the end of this term.

Amazon Wish List

Thank you to all our anonymous donors for our gifts this week. It really does help.

You can use the following link in your browser to access our wish list and then log in <http://amzn.eu/ilEmThl> .

Every gift is important to us no matter how large or small.

SMASH NEWS

Dates for your diaries:-

Friday, 28th June – Non-uniform Day (Dress in a multi-coloured outfit) – Donate bottles for the bottle tombola (Any alcohol to the school office please).

Sunday, 30th June – Pop Up Circus 1pm and 2:30 pm

Friday, 12th July – Leavers' Disco for all Year Groups



POPUP CIRCUS

St Michael's CE (va) Juniors
Galleywood

£7 a ticket of the door

Open to Everyone

30th June
1pm & 2.30pm

£6 a Ticket
Available now from
The School Office

or email
stmichaelsmash@gmail.com
Please support our school

Please support these events. We are raising money for a new bicycle shed and for some new Chrome Books

BBQ, Mocktails, Bottle Tombola, Face Painting, Raffle and Games for all the Family

Get your tickets from the school office – NOW!

£6.00 in advance, £7.00 on the door

Please support this wonderful community event!

URGENT!

Please come to the SMASH meeting on Monday, 17th June at 7:30 pm at school. We need volunteers to man stalls etc...

Wine will be provided!

Online Safety Session – Wednesday, 26th June
1:30 or 6:30

We teach our children to safely cross the road. We teach our children to not go with strangers. We now need to teach our children how to keep safe on line. Please see the attached flyer that includes a return slip and please put this in your diary as a matter of urgency. If you are unable to get childcare in the evening session, we are offering a free film night for your children, who will be supervised by school staff.



Dinner Menu

The menu next week will be week 2. Please check the school website for the menu.



The good, the bad... and the unknown *Essential awareness session* for **every Parent and Carer**

Date: Wednesday 26th June 2019

Time: 1.15 p.m. – 3.00 p.m. **or** 6.30 p.m. – 8.15 p.m.

Venue: **St Michael's Junior School**

Details:

Many parents and carers are aware of the fast-changing world of technology in which their children are immersed. This **essential** presentation offers parents advice on what they can do to avoid higher risk situations and how to cope if their children (or their children's friends) encounter them.

Topics covered include:

- Raising awareness of the changes to human behaviour when online
- Risks and benefits to children and young people when using internet technology
- The technologies children are using; explanation of different risks including grooming, sexting, cyberbullying, addiction, inappropriate content, gaming, 'friends' and mental health issues
- Practical advice for parents to help keep their children safe
- Top tips for parents and signposts to further information and resources

The session is essential for all parents irrespective

Bikeability Level 1 & 2, Level 3 & Learn to ride courses

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BOOKING FEE: £10

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THIS WEEK'S LEADERBOARD:

	First	Second	Third
Year 3 Most improved	Amber B	Sophie S	Casey S
Year 3 Correct Answers	Max J	Tommy W	Isaac M
Year 4 Most improved	Finn R	Ines P	N/A
Year 4 Correct Answers	Ines P	Finn R	N/A
Year 5 Most improved	Rylee S	Megan S	N/A
Year 5 Correct Answers	Olivia Me	Megan S	Megan B
Year 6 Most improved	N/A	N/A	N/A
Year 6 Correct Answers	Oren L	Lexie T	Alfie A

Trip Payments Due

Payments are now due for the trips and events below; please can you ensure that any outstanding balances on ParentPay are paid as soon as possible. The School will, unfortunately have no alternative but to cancel a trip if sufficient funds are not received to cover the cost of a trip or event.

Aylmerton – Year 5: We will be finalising the total for this trip shortly based on advised final costs. Final payment will be required by July 2019. If sufficient payments are not made the School will have to consider the viability of this trip going ahead.

Mersea – Year 4: Please can you ensure that you have paid all monies due for this trip. Thank you.

Violin Lessons (summer term): £100 (cost for 10 lessons with Miss Canale) has now been loaded on ParentPay for those children having violin lessons. Please ensure that you have cleared any balance for the spring and summer terms. Thank you.

School Social Media Please make sure you follow our school social media accounts for important updates, and fun photos and videos of what the children have been up to!

Facebook	StMichaels Junior
Twitter	Stmichaelsjun1
Instagram	st.michaelsjuniorschool





Multi-Coloured Day



28th June



Dress as colourful as you like
or in circus theme!

In return bring a bottle
of any type
into school for our
bottle tombola
for the circus



All Year Groups



12th July

6-7.30pm



“Beach Theme”

£5 a Ticket

includes drinks & Crisps

Additional Items for purchase on the night
Tickets purchased on Parent Pay

Diary Dates

Wednesday 19th June- Friday, 21st June – Year 4 Residential Trip to Mersea
Wednesday 19th June – Year 5 Moulsham High School for taster day
Thursday, 20th June – Music Festival at the Civic Theatre
Wednesday, 26th June – E safety awareness meeting
Friday, 28th June – Multi-Coloured Dressing up day
Friday, 28th June – School Reports sent out to parents
Sunday, 30th June – The Circus arrives at St. Michael’s! SMASH Circus Event
Tuesday, 2nd July – Sports Day @ 1:15 pm
Wednesday 3rd July – Year 5 to Great Baddow High School for taster day
Wednesday, 10th and Thursday, 11th July – Year 6 Production
Friday, 12th July – Summer Disco- 6:00 -7:30
Monday, 15th July – Summer Music concert
Thursday, 18th July @ 10:00 am – Leavers’ Service at St. Michael’s Church
Friday, 19th July – School closes for the summer holidays

Yours sincerely,

M. Rumsey

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