

Parent Newsletter

Friday 9th June 2023

Dear Parents,

Our Christian Value this half term is: Truthfulness

Truthfulness is shown in the Bible through the life of Jesus.

Jesus gives Christians an insight into how God wants us to live our lives.

Life is all about searching for truth and meaning.

Standing up for our beliefs is a vital part of being truthful.

How do we equip our children to stand up for their beliefs and make informed, moral choices?

Searching for truth requires personal courage.

Bible Verse 'Tell the truth to each other.' Zechariah 8.16

Celebrating our children:

<u>Spirituality Days 2023 – Christian Values</u> <u>are our Super Powers!</u>



Honey Bees and Discovery – Mrs Cunningham and the Christian Values of hope, creativity and peace.

This week in Discovery class we have been doing spirituality days and thinking about Creativity through the Christain values of hope and peace. We looked at Mrs Cunningham who is one of our Mummys and how she is creative and has given hope and peace to lots of people through her sketches. We made a river of hope with recycled fish and writing about how we would show the Christian value of hope - not giving up, digging deep and staying strong. We then looked at peace and made our hands of peace and peace rainbows. On Friday morning we went to church and we looked at the creation of our world and then we made a beautiful rainbow with Liz and we collected coloured duplo with words on to say thankyou, sorry and please statements about our life.





Atlantis – Emmeline Pankhurst and the Christian Values of forgiveness, trust and truthfulness

We have looked at how Emmeline used these Christian values to bring change in our country. We had a race and moved the starting line just for the girls, to illustrate how Emmeline fought for what was right. We also wrote prayers in role as Emmeline, thinking about what she might have asked God for.





Enterprise – Marcus Rashford and the Christian Values of resilience, perseverance and service

This week Enterprise have been looking at how our Christian Values can be our superpowers! We looked at Marcus Rashford and Jamie Oliver and how they both used the Christian Values of perseverance, service and resilience to provide disadvantaged children with healthy food at school, and throughout the pandemic. We then discussed how we can use our superpower values to make a difference too.



Endeavour – Rob Burrow, Kevin Sinfield and Stephen Hawking. The Christian Values of friendship and wisdom.

We began by looking at Rob Burrow and Kevin Sinfield at the height of their careers. After discovering Rob now has MND, we discussed what makes friendship into adulthood. We tool advice from the Bible too, before writing our own recipe for friendship. Stephen Hawking was then explored and how he used his power of wisdom as a force for good.





Ground Force Day – Happening TOMORROW!



Paint – check! Varnish – check! Stones and woodchip – check! Skip ready to fill – check!

Join us tomorrow from 10am for a day of tidying and sprucing at school. Our FoHSM are providing bacon and sausages butties and drinks to keep us going. We would love to see you there!

Father's Day Breakfast - Friday 16th June 2023

Forms have been sent home with the children before half term. If you need to book, simply send your form and the payment via the school office.



Friday 23rd June – Sport –themed non uniform for bring a bottle.

Come into school on Friday in sports-themed non uniform and bring a bottle ready for the Summer Fair Raffle. This can be anything from shower gel to 'special grape juice!'

Fit Fortnight/ Sports Day and our Summer Fair! Monday 19th June – Friday 30th June.

SPORTY CLOTHES TO BE WORN DAILY

It's time to dust off those gym kits as Fit Fortnight returns! We will of course be dancing daily on the playground using our Dance from the Heart moves and enjoying lots of visitors in school, introducing us to new sports and skills.

Week	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
1					
	Zorbing	Boxing	Athletics	Wigan	Basketball
	Life Bus			Warriors	
Week	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
2					
	Tennis	Assault	Climbing	Golf	Football -
	Zumba	course	wall		am
					Sports
					Day pm

Sports Day and Summer Fair – Friday 30th June 2023



Join us on Friday 30th June at 1.30 for our Sports Day afternoon. We will be enjoying lots of team events on the infant field first, before moving to races on the junior field. **PE kits to be worn on Friday 30th.**



The Friends of Hoole St Michael's Summer Fair will follow Sports Day from 3.15pm – 5pm. They have lots of stalls, activities and even a bouncy castle ready for you to enjoy on our school field **STRAIGHT AFTER SPORTS DAY.**

Morning Snacks: Please remember-we are a NUT FREE school. Children can have only fruit or toast at playtimes. Toast can be purchased via parent pay and we have a fruit trolley for the children which is FREE! Thank you.

Starting in September:



Be on time for ten to nine!

In September, we will be extending our school to be in line with the new school hours. Registers will be taken at 8.50am and school will close at 3.15pm instead of 3.20pm.

NEW DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Saturday 10th June:

• 10am – 3pm Ground Force Day!

Tuesday 13th June:

Year 2 Farm Trip

Friday 16th June:

• Father's Day Breakfast

Monday 19th June:

• Fit Fortnight begins – sport non uniform daily

Friday 23rd June:

• Bring a bottle for the Summer Fair

Friday 30th June:

- Sports Day afternoon PE kits to be worn
- FofHSM Summer Fair

Tuesday 4th July:

• Sparklebean Day – non uniform and slapbands will be on sale for the Sparklebean charity.

Thursday 6th July:

• Year 5/6 Hothersall Lodge trip

Friday 7th July:

• TASA Olympics at Edge Hill

Monday 10th July:

- Year 6 Leaver's Treat to Chill Factor
- Reports out to parents

Tuesday 11th July:

• A musical Sparkles Spectacular – an summer evening of music and entertainment. 5pm start. Tickets available soon.

Wednesday 12th July:

• Parents appointments available to discuss reports.

Friday 14th July:

• French –themed afternoon in school

Year 6 dates and times for the final week:

Monday 17th July – Hoodwinked performance

Matinee – 1.30pm

Evening - 5pm

Tuesday 18th July – Year 6 Award Afteroon – 1.30pm in school.

Year 6 parents are invited to join us in school as Year 6 make their leaving speech and receive an award for their achievements in school

Year 6 treat night – Year 6 are invited back to school on Tuesday for tea, treats and a water fight! **4.30pm** – **6pm**

Thursday 20th July

Hubbersty in school at 9am – invites will be sent on Dojo

Year 6 Leaver's Service in church in the afternoon.

School closes for the summer break.

After School Club closes at 4.15pm.

Church News from Rev. Ann and Liz:

Year 4 parents thinking of applying to Bishop Rawstorne:

Church attendance is a requirement of your application for Bishops. If your child is in Year 4 and you are thinking of moving onto Bishop Rawstorne for high school, you will need to think about attending church shortly.





