



St Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Autumn 2015 Newsletter 2

This month's Value is '**Responsibility**'

Please can you re-enforce this with the children at home throughout October

Message from the Head

Dear Parents,

Last week I received an email from the Diocese to let us know that we will be receiving our Section 48 (RE) inspection this term. We have not been given a date yet but when they contact again we will be given 15 working days notice.

As well as getting feedback from the staff and children in school, the inspectors would like your views on how well we support your children. I have been asked to send you a short questionnaire when we have been finally given our date of inspection.

This is a very important inspection for our school and we hope to continue being seen as Outstanding with regards to the faith and religious support and development we provide for our children.

Please will you keep us in your thoughts and prayers as we prepare for this

Many thanks

Mr John Entwistle

School Meals

We have recently moved on to an electronic registration system for dinners and we are encountering a few problems with children who only have school meals on certain days. We are happy to continue with this, but can we please ask that you stick with the days requested and pay up front for the half term. Can we also ask that we get at least one week's notice of any changes needed and that this is done at the school office by a parent. Sorry about this, but it is hard to keep track if children change all the time - we have to book the dinners in advance and parents could end up being charged for dinners their child does not receive.

School Clubs for this term

Mondays:	Year 1 and 2 Craft club Year 1 and 2 Drawing/Colouring club KS2 Choir club Year 3 and 4 Multi-sport club Year 3-6 Disney Film club Year 5 and 6 Born to Move club
Tuesdays:	Years 1 and 2 Gymnastics club (dinner time) Years 1 and 2 Cookery club Years 1 and 2 Multi-sport club Years 3 - 6 Sewing club Years 5 and 6 Chess club (dinner time) Years 5 and 6 Polish Yoga club
Wednesdays:	Years 1 and 2 Choir (dinner time) Year 3 Fun Fitness club Years 3-6 Craft club Years 5 and 6 Football club Years 5 and 6 One World club
Thursdays:	Years 3 and 4 Homework club Years 4 and 5 Recorder club Years 5 and 6 Drama group Years 5 and 6 Sports club
Fridays:	Year 2 Ukulele music club (dinner time) Year 3&4 Ukulele music club (dinner time) Drama club Years 3-6 Choir Years 5 and 6 Homework club

Clubs availability

The following clubs still have places available if you are interested for your child to join them:

- Year 1 and 2 Multi-sport club
- Infant Choir
- Years 3-6 Disney Film Club
- Year 5 and 6 Born to Move Dance
- Year 3 Fun Fitness
- Year 5 and 6 Football
- Junior choir
- Year 5 and 6 One World club

Please see the office for an application form. The places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Can we please ask that if your child has signed up for a club that they attend every week possible.

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Don't forget our new website can be found at
www.staugustinespreston.co.uk

Important message from Year 5/6

Dear Parents,

We are sorry but we are going to have to move the date of the first performances of the Christmas Productions to the 7th of December. This is because Year 5/6 will be going to the theatre to watch an important play for our topic work. We realise that some parents will have booked the time off work already and will have to change it, but there were no other daytime productions on any other day. We are very sorry for any inconvenience we may have caused.

Yours Sincerely

The children of Year 5/6

Fortnightly Winners

Shining Light Awards

Y1: Aleksander Klasowski
Y1/2: Kaylee Ainsworth
Y2: Umar Vaid
Y3: Sumayya Begum
Y3/4: Khalid Vaid
Y4/5: Raihan Bux
Y5/6: Zaynab Bhula
Y6: Oliwia Kumor

Value Pupils of the Week/Month

Y1: Haider Khan
Y1/2: Taejuan Silcott
Y2: Isabelle Stewart
Y3: Muhammad Nakhuda
Y3/4: Kiera Geoghegan
Y4/5: Zaynab Patel
Y5/6: Dylan Garcia
Y6: Mariyah Sola

Important dates for this term

2nd Oct	Foundation Class photo for LEP
7th Oct	Junior Parliament Assembly and Y5/6 & 6 workshops
9th Oct	School photograph day
13th Oct	Year 6s at Football tournament
16th Oct	Parish Celebration Mass at St Joseph's Education Mass 7pm Lancaster Cathedral
23rd Oct	Celebration Assembly
26th - 30th Oct	Half Term

Important Dates for next 1/2 term

5th Nov	Guy Fawkes MADD Day
16 - 20th Nov	Pastoral Week
27th Nov	Lancashire Day MADD DAY
30 Nov - 4th Dec	Christmas Art Week

7th Dec	Christmas Productions - Infant Audience
10th Dec	Christmas Productions - Junior Audience
11th Dec	Christmas Fayre
15th Dec	KS1 Talent Showcase
18th Dec	KS2 Talent Showcase
18th Dec	1:30 pm Finish for Christmas

Staff Vacancy

We have a vacancy in school for a cleaner. It is 10 hours a week for the full year with 25 days holiday pro rata. The hours are 3.30pm—5.30pm Monday to Friday during term time. Timings during the school holidays are flexible and can be negotiated with the Site Supervisor. The pay is £7.85 per hour and training will be available.

An application form is downloadable from <http://www3.lancashire.gov.uk/corporate/vacancies/> or for more information please talk to Mrs Worswick in the school office .