

24th March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

What an exciting morning!

We welcomed visitors from Coworth Park, the Easter Bunny and the Deputy Mayor and Mayoress, (Cllr John Lenton and Mrs Margaret Lenton); to St Michael's to present prizes to the winners of the 'Coworth Park Design an Easter Egg Competition'.

Prizes included tea for a family of four and an equestrian afternoon. All the children will be taking home 'goodie bags' containing chocolates and an adorable orange duck.

The overall winner is Matilda Highcazony. Matilda will be working with Coworth Park's Chocolatier to create her winning design.

Well done to all our prize winners.







High 5 netball tournament.





On Thursday this week a group of children from year 4 (and one child from year 3) represented St Michael's in the lower key stage 2 Netball competition held at Charters School. They competed against several teams from the local primary schools. This club only began four weeks previously but the skills of the children suggested they had been playing for years. The children were so respectful of all the players, supportive of their team mates yet competitive. They all had lots of fun and there was plenty of cheering from family and friends on the side lines - thank you to all those who came along to show their support. Both teams did really well, when the final results were announced one of our teams were placed fourth and one team second what a result from both teams after just 4 weeks of coaching. WOW what will next year bring?

Red nose day.

The total amount we have raised for red nose day so far is £185.47. Thank you everyone.





Year 5 trip Mill on the Bru

On Monday 20th, Year 5 set off to Mill on the Brue in Somerset for two days of fun and excitement. We took part in lots of challenging activities like: the zip wire, canoeing, colony games, crate stacking, an assault course and the leap of faith. We all had a fantastic time, returning with smiles and muddy clothes.









Attendance

Attendance for the week:	
16 th March 2017 to 22 nd March 2017	
Year 6	99.7 %
Year 5	96.7%
Year 4	96.3 %
Year 3	98.0%
Year 2	99.0%
Year 1	98.6 %
Reception	95.9%

Well done Eagle class!

Ofsted expect a minimum of 95% attendance. In accordance with other Royal Borough schools we aim for 96.5%.

PTA NEWS

Flyers for Ascot Race day/School ticket promotion family race day on Sunday 2nd April this is a great way of raising funds for school - we receive £5 for every ticket sold. With the online booking code tickets can be booked up to the day before racing and printed out at home.

It would be fantastic if people could also share the code with family and friends by word of mouth and social media or make it a special day to meet up with classmates during the holidays!

YR3 Cake sale (red nose day) - March 24thth

Easter egg hunt March 30th – please return your slip and money to the office.

ARTIS Studios PORTRAIT SHOOT OFFER

Artis Studio has teamed up with St Michaels PTA for an amazing offer, exclusive to St Michaels school! Donate £25 to the PTA and receive an Artis Studios Gift Voucher for a portrait shoot (normally priced at £65) and £50 credit towards your photos. Leaflets have been sent out via book bags, please return slips/money to the office or class rep.

Save the date Fundraiser April 27th 7.30pm-10pm School Hall (see attached flyer for details) St Michaels meets Style Philosophy Personal Stylist guest speaker, jewellery, clothes & accessories to purchase £12 per ticket including a glass of fizz

Money raised from Happy School Bag was £332.15. Thank you to everyone for their contributions.





Dates for the diary

Fri 24th March Red Nose day (wear red to support for a donation)
Wed 29th March Yr6 Parents France trip/S.A.T's meeting at 2.30pm

Thurs 30th March 9.30 SHOWCASE ST Michael's (parents invited) at St Michael's

Church

Friday 31st March Term ends 2pm

Weds 19th April Children return to school
Fri 9th June Mufti day Rainforest animals

Thurs 22nd June

No paper day (any queries please see Mrs Leatherby in the morning)

Weds 12th July

No Electricity day. (Please communicate by letter on this day Thank you)

