

St. Michael's C.E. Primary School
Learning together through love, friendship, forgiveness and faith.

NEWSLETTER

Number 44

12th November 2018

Dear Parents, Carers

This morning, we were pleased to welcome our families and the community to our remembrance service. Pupils in Year 6 have been reflecting on the aftermath of WW1 and the work of the war poets. Pupils and staff across the school have made enormous effort to create our very own poppy dedication and memorial to mark this centenary event. Our children have shown considerable respect and understanding of the significance and importance of remembrance and we are all very proud of them for the compassion they have shown.

Much Loved Children's Clothes.

Just a reminder- please bring any unwanted children's clothes, in good, clean, re-sellable condition to the office. Mrs leatherby and I will be manning a stall at the Christmas Fair.

Help Needed

St Michael's is very proud of its inclusive ethos and the nurturing provided to all our pupils. There are times when our pupils, across the school, are in need of specific individual attention, either on a 1:1 basis or as a small group. This could also be to meet the interventions recommended by outside agencies, such as speech and language or occupational therapy.

The school has a small budget to create an 'Inclusion Room' in the Key Stage 1 kitchen area.

If you are feeling creative and could help us to develop this area, please contact Mrs. Anderton.

Thank you.

Kind regards
Mrs Anderton
Head Teacher





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Prayer groups

Mrs.Leatherby holds separate lunchtime KS1 & KS2 prayer groups. The prayer groups meet once a week. If your child would like to join please speak to Mrs.Leatherby.

During the prayer meetings last week the children created this wonderful piece of artwork and wrote a poem for Remembrance Day.



Poppy Poppy

Poppy poppy what do you say?

Wear me on Remembrance Day.

Poppy poppy what do you tell?

Many soldiers in battle fell.

Poppy poppy what should we know?

Year 6 Remembrance work



War is a dreaded place,
Coming with enemies face to face,
Comrades leaving me one by one,
As I reload my gun.

Bloody hands, nervous and scared,
Injured soldiers left unaired,
Blood driping from their heads,
Their life ends they're the living dead.

Nobody's left,
They tried their best,
War is death,
As I take my last breath.

By Oliver Hall





Notification of Consultation on Admissions Arrangements

For entry to St Michael's School in September 2020

The Governors of St Michael's CE Primary School are consulting on admission arrangements for the entry to St Michael's in September 2020. A copy of our proposed Admissions Policy can be found on the school's website.

https://st-michaels-cofe.eschools.co.uk/website

Should you wish to provide any comments on our Admission Policy, please respond by email to office@stmichaelsce.co.uk or by post to Admissions Consultation, St Michael's CE Primary School, School Road, Sunninghill, Berkshire SL5 7AD.

The consultation with run from Thursday 1st November 2018 to Thursday 10th January 2019, after which the final Admissions Policy will be published on the St Michael's School website following its determination at a meeting of the Full Governing Body in February 2019.

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AWARDS

The following children were awarded a certificate for being "Reflective"

Year 6	James M & Amy W
Year 5	Tilly & Holly
Year 4	Ruby & Francis
Year 3	Ayla & Theo
Year 2	Elizabeth & Joshua
Year 1	Hope & Shaheer
Reception	William A & Sophie

Housepoint Awards

Class of the week	Year 5
Winning House	Yellow House

Golden Tickets

Year 6	Matilda & Tom
Year 5	Anna-Sofia & Jo-Jo
Year 4	Alicia & Max
Year 3	Isabella T & Ralph
Year 2	Poppy & Louis
Year 1	Hope & Oliver M
Reception	Myla & Henry B

Golden Spoon

KS1	Year 2 for lovely manners
KS2	Year 6 for being polite

NOTICES



Save the Children
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY



Friday 14th December

Children In Need



Friday 16th November

Wear something yellow or spotted - donate £1

& optional donation for a cake at break



School Christmas Lunch



Thursday 13th December

Roast turkey with trimmings

(vegetarian option also available)



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CHRISTMAS FAIR

Saturday

1st December

3pm—5pm



Much loved clothing

Thank you to everyone who has kindly donated clothing for our Christmas Fair 'Much Loved Clothing' stall.

If you have any items you could donate to our school we would be highly appreciative.

Hampers — 'Christmas Day' theme

Suggested items:

The Hamper collection boxes are now available in Classrooms for collecting all donations.

Christmas crackers	Red wine	Cranberry sauce	Christmas pudding
Crackers for cheese	White wine	Horseradish sauce	Apron
Savoury snacks	Mulled wine	Apple sauce	Oven gloves
Chestnuts	Prosecco	Christmas napkins	Chocolate / sweets
Stuffing	Bucks Fizz	Christmas tablecloth	Christmas decorations
Gingerbread house kit			

Important Dates

November	
Wednesday 14th November	Year 5 Class Assembly 9.10am—9.30am
Friday 16th November	Children In Need—non uniform day £1 in exchange to wear something yellow or spotted. Plus additional, optional donate for a cake at break
Sunday 18th November	Sunninghill Victorian Street Fair
Wednesday 21st November	Year 6 Class Assembly 9.10am—9.30am
Friday 23rd November	Non uniform day in exchange for a bag of sweets *Sweet Tombola at Christmas fair*
Wednesday 28th November	Year 4 Class Assembly 9.10am—9.30am
Friday 30th November	Non uniform day in exchange for a bottle *Bottle Tombola at Christmas Fair*
December	
Saturday 1st December	School Christmas Fair / Market 3pm-5pm
Monday 3rd December	Tree Trimming—Reception & Key Stage 1 9.20am—10.30am
Tuesday 4th December	Tree Trimming—Key Stage 2 9.20am—10.30am
Wednesday 5th December	School Theatre visit to Pantomime 10.30am—2.00pm
Thursday 6th December	Parents Social evening (Venue and time TBC)

Added as new or amended this week

Important Dates

December *continued*	
Tuesday 11th December	Christmas Play—Key Stage 1
Wednesday 12th December	Nativity Play —Reception
Wednesday 12th December	Christmas Play—Key Stage 1
Thursday 13th December	School Christmas Lunch
Friday 14th December	Save the Children—Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 18th December	Christmas Church Service, St. Michael's Church 9.30am -10.30am
Wednesday 19th December	Term ends
January	
Thursday 3rd January	Inset Day
Friday 4th January	Inset Day
Monday 7th January	Children return to school
Friday 18th January	Year 5 Cake Sale

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ASCOT

CHRISTMAS RACING WEEKEND

IT'S THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR

Saturday 22nd December 2018 - Festive Family Fun

As the year draws to a close gather friends and family to enjoy Ascot's most valuable day of Jumps Racing and festive fun for all.

Arrive early to see Father Christmas arrive on his sleigh then enjoy story-telling with Mrs Christmas, say hello to the reindeers and huskies and see what our cheeky elves have in store! With mulled wine, mince pies and uplifting carol singing to finish it's the perfect way to start your Christmas celebrations.



ascot.co.uk

Adult Queen Anne Enclosure tickets: £25 (when booked in advance).

Accompanied children enter free.

No additional charges for activities and performances.

To book call **0344 346 3000** or visit **ascot.co.uk**

COLTS & FILLIES CLUB

Younger racegoers may wish to join the Colts and Fillies Club which is free for all children aged 17 and under. The club offers young people the chance to learn about horse racing while having lots of fun.

Benefits Include:

Membership Pack (a metal membership badge, a pen and welcome booklet)

Colts and Fillies cap to collect on your first visit to the races

Dedicated family days each year with entertainment for the whole family

The opportunity to be a racehorse owner with our club horse

Raceday activities exclusively for Colts & Fillies members including our much loved breakfast with Father Christmas before racing on 22nd December

Booking discount for family members

A chance to meet and have your picture taken with Scotty, the club mascot

Dedicated Colts & Fillies viewing area around the Parade Ring, reserved for members

Newsletters with all the latest news, events, competitions and visits

Trips on non racedays to equine attractions, trainer's yards and stud farms

Competitions for prizes, days out and special events



Visit **coltsandfillies.co.uk** for further information and joining details or contact the club on **0344 346 3621** or **coltsandfillies@ascot.co.uk**

NEW STALL COMING TO THE ST MICHAELS SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRE

3-5PM SATURDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2018

'LOVED AGAIN'

Loved Again will be selling gorgeous pre-loved items donated by the wonderful parents and friends of St Michael's School.

Stock Needed!

This will be the ideal chance to pass on those lovely items that you no longer wear to a new home while raising money for the school.

These will make fabulous presents for a loved one, or even just for you!

Please start to bring in your donations to the school now and until Friday 26th November and either put them in the labeled box in the office or leave them with Mrs. Leatherby at drop off.

We are looking for the following quality items, which must be clean and in good condition*:

- Jewellery such as necklaces, bracelets & rings (no pierced earrings)
- Scarves, pashminas & wraps (washed & ironed)
- Belts
- Purses
- Small bags such as evening clutches
- Cufflinks

The loan of any jewellery display stands would also be welcomed.

If you have any questions, please contact Joanna Fox 07867335720 or joannafox101@gmail.com

*Any items donated not deemed to be appropriate for the stall will be passed on to charity.