

St Michael and All Angels CE VA School Newsletter

Friday 21st October



Head Boy/Head Girl **Happy Half Term!**

I would just like to say on behalf of staff and governors of St Michaels, thank you for all your support this first half term of the academic year. I would also like to thank the children (and staff) for their hard work. I hope you all have a wonderful holiday and come back to school refreshed.

Democracy in Action- The Election of Head Boy and Head Girl and Deputy Head boy and Deputy Head Girl

The Head Boy, Head Girl and Deputies are responsible for representing the school. They are the link between the children, staff and governors. They also serve as a good role model for pupils and share children's ideas. They help to ensure that the school is a safe and secure place for all pupils. They must maintain excellent behaviour, uniform, attendance and punctuality. After the candidates delivered their election speeches in assembly, the whole school voted. James Hulena and Ava Garner were elected as Head Boy and Head Girl respectively and Freddie Williams and Betsy Duerden-Shaw as Deputies.

We take many things into account when we are choosing our Head Girl, Boy and the deputies including: thoughtfulness and care for others; reliability; trustworthiness; positive attitude to learning; resilience and knowing the right thing to do and doing it! We are looking forward to these children being excellent ambassadors for St Michaels.

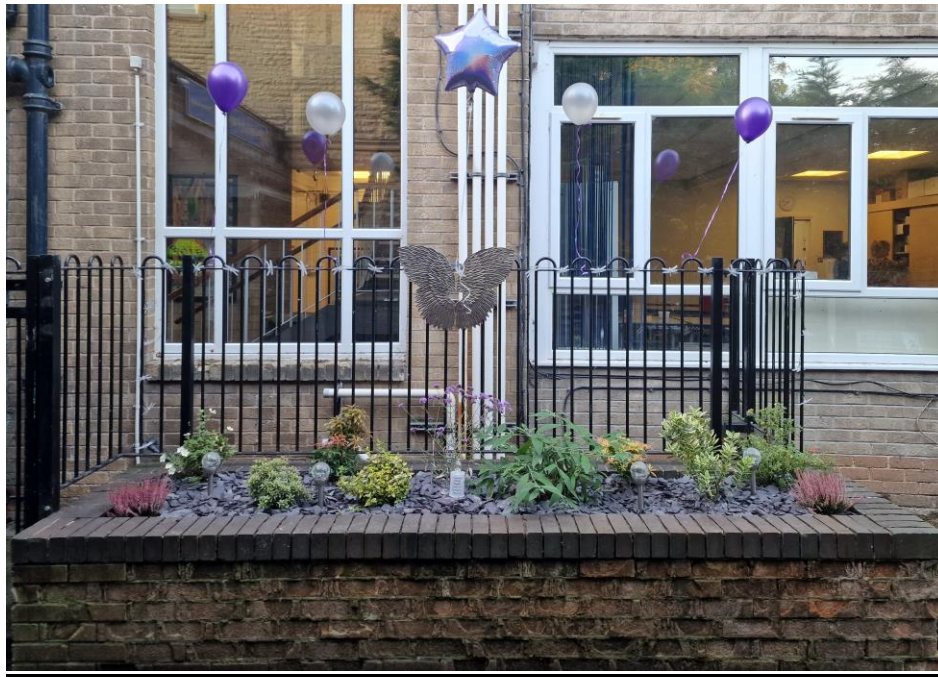
Curriculum News

Year 5's Geography fieldwork 'Traffic study'

On Wednesday Year 5 carried out a traffic study on Skipton Road to investigate the amount of traffic and the implications for the environment.



Memorial Garden for Mrs Jayne Pennington



We have created an area where we can remember the wonderful teacher and colleague Jayne Pennington. So many staff, children and parents have such amazing memories of Jayne. She will always be part of the St Michael's family.

Sporting Events At St Michael and All Angels

Year 3 Rugby Tournament at Nelson and Colne Rugby Club

Two teams from Year 3 took part in a rugby tournament at Nelson and Colne Rugby Club. Both teams made it to the final! We are really proud of you!



Some of our Year 3 & 4 children have recently participated in an inter-schools orienteering event hosted at our school. Everyone had a great time using maps to locate various controls on the school field.

The Year 5 & 6 Girls' Football Team played their first 3 league matches on Monday. They all had a brilliant time and continue to improve with each game.

Starting school - Reception 2023



Open Day



Is your child due to start primary school in September 2023?

Please come along and have a look at what St. Michael And All Angels have to offer. We will be conducting two tours, the first at **10:00** and the second at **14:30**. Any questions you have may be answered during or after the tour.

We are set within beautiful surroundings overlooking Lake Burwain at the front and fields to the rear. The children describe our school as a 'special place' where 'everyone enjoys learning!'. We have a dedicated, enthusiastic and passionate team who are committed to providing our children with the very best education in a happy, caring, Christian environment where children of all faiths are welcome.

If you are unable to attend our open day please contact the school office to organise a visit.

**Wednesday 2nd
November 2022**

St Michael and All Angels, Skipton Road,
Foulridge, BB8 7NN
Email: bursar@st-michaelangels.lancs.sch.uk
Tel: 01282 861338

If your child was born between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019, you must apply for a Reception 2022 place online. The deadline is **Sunday 15th January 2022**. Reception places are offered by the Local Authority. To apply, go to <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/starting-primary-school/>

Reminder

Admission for Secondary Schools September 2023. From 6th September 2022, you can apply online for a secondary school place at [Application Form \(lancashire.gov.uk\)](https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/secondary-schools/apply-for-a-school-place/starting-secondary-school/)

The deadline for receipt of secondary school applications is fast approaching, please make sure you apply by **31st October 2022**.

Year 6 Residential To Robinwood

Year 6 have had a fantastic time at Robinwood. The children participated in over 20 activities including canoeing, climbing, archery and zip wiring. The children also took the knights challenge and conquered the piranha pool by working together as team. Please click [here](#) to view more pictures.





Harvest Service at Church

On Sunday 16th October the children from school took part in a Harvest Service at St Michael's Church. The children sang, read poems and took part in craft activities. Thank you to parents and carers who supported the event. The next All Age Service is on Sunday 13th November at 09:30am.



Friday Club

Friday club is running on the dates below at St John's Methodist Church, Albert Road Colne from 6.30-8pm. Includes team games, crafts and stories, £1 per child including refreshments.

28th October
25th November
16th December

Use of our School Hall.

If you know of any clubs or event that would like to hire our hall, out of school hours, please contact the school office for more information.

Thank you

Dates for your Diary

Please click [here](#) for latest diary dates and information.

Please click [here](#) for the Church services.

Harvest Service at Church 14th October

Thank you for all your donations for our Harvest Service they were donated to a local food bank.



PAIS Harvest Event Thursday 20th October

On Thursday, parents and children were invited into school at 3:30pm to celebrate harvest with the PAIS missionary team. It was a great success. Thank you to all who supported this event and thank you to the PAIS team too.





Parent Governor Vacancy

We have a vacancy on the governing board. We meet twice termly for approximately 1 hour per meeting. If anybody is interested, please contact Wendy Phillipson in the school office.



Breakfast/Afterschool Club

Please could any requests for late cancellations/late bookings be directed to **Mrs. Stuttard via the school office number 01282861338 then select Option 3.**

If there is no answer, please leave a short message with your child's name, class and date you want them to attend. Thank you

Crossing Patrol Vacancy

It is John's last day today. We want to thank John for keeping us all safe crossing the road.

The position is vacant from after the October half term. If you are interested, please contact, Jeff at Lancashire County Council on 07831309599.

Safeguarding Concerns

The wellbeing of our children is of paramount importance to all staff. Should any person have a concern regarding a child's wellbeing, please inform one of the school's designated safeguarding team.

DSL Lead Sara Richardson
Deputy DSL Michelle Coffey
DSL Amy Latham (Rebecca Lamb)

Family Warm and Welcome



Drop in to our warm, fun, friendly, Family Zone

Help yourself to a free brew* and a slice of toast.

Play, read, and chat with other families

**Every Friday Morning
9.30am - 12.00pm**



Colne Neighbourhood Centre
(Formerly Surestart)
Walton Street
Colne, BB8 0EL

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ACTIVE CAMPS

OCTOBER HALF TERM

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CLITHEROE
BB7 3LA
8am - 5.30pm
8.30am - 4pm

**ST MICHAEL & ALL
ANGELS PS, FOULRIDGE**
SKIPTON ROAD
COLNE
BB8 7NN
8.30am - 4pm

Keep your children active this half term with our fun, affordable and inclusive Active Camps.

Children will take part in a range of activities including:

- Football
- Dance
- Orienteering
- Netball
- Archery
- Outdoor Activities & more!
- Dodgeball
- Ultimate Frisbee

Open to children aged 4 - 12 years old. **Prices from just £18 per day!**

To book your child's place, head to:
WWW.PROSPORTCOACHING.CO.UK
For more information contact us on: **01254 366316.**

We now have our school values, motto and vision displayed in our foyer!



Listen to Katy Perry's Resilient song! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rA9ld3-Bz4&scrllybrkr=e74db8d7>

**AUTUMN
TERM FIRST
HALF 2022**



Respect

THE GROWTH MINDSET FOCUS FOR THIS HALF TERM IS RESILIENCE.

THE CHRISTIAN VIRTUE FOCUS THIS HALF TERM IS RESPECT.

*RESPECT FOR ONE ANOTHER AND
RESPECTING OTHER'S DIFFERENCES*

"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life." John 8:12