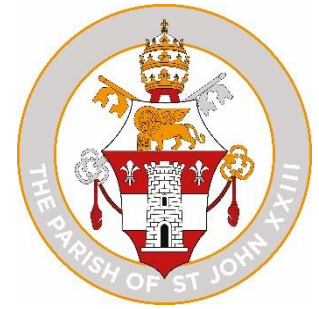




St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School



Friday Newsletter

Week Ending: 13th May 2022

Welcome to this week's newsletter

May's Value is Thoughtfulness
Please can you re-enforce this at home with your children throughout May

Our Shining Light and Values Awards for today (13th May 2022) go to



	Shining Light	Value (Thoughtfulness)	Dojo
Blossom	Aaminah S	Lienna	Arshia & Yahya
Willow	Ibraheem	Alexander	Aman
Sycamore	Ahmad	Noel	Pavel
Beech	Aishah B	Safaa	Ebrahim
Year 3	Theo	Jesse	Aleena
Year 3/4	Saahib	Henry	Damian & Hussain
Year 4/5	Riley & Elise	Ryan	Kaci
Year 5/6	Natalia	Ifra	Ifra
Year 6	All Class for surviving SATS week	Ethan	All Class for surviving SATS week

SCHOOL Attendance

	9 th - 13 th May	4 th - 6 th May	25 th - 29 th April	19 th - 22 nd April	28 th Mar-1 st April	21 st - 25 th March
Blossom	92.80%	92.67%	92.40%	88.50%	87.73%	92.94%
Willow	94.48%	92.53%	93.79%	92.24%	85.00%	86.21%
Sycamore	80.33%	87.22%	87.33%	92.50%	91.04%	94.00%
Beech	96.67%	96.67%	92.67%	96.25%	98.89%	100.00%
Year 3	95.63%	92.19%	97.81%	94.92%	94.79%	96.52%
Year 3/4	92.07%	93.10%	94.83%	90.95%	85.38%	88.00%
Year 4/5	96.33%	92.78%	94.33%	93.33%	91.48%	96.67%
Year 5/6	95.56%	95.68%	95.93%	94.91%	94.65%	91.43%
Year 6	95.48%	96.77%	97.10%	97.98%	95.34%	93.87%

Information about school attendance can be found on our school website via the link below.

<https://st-augustines-catholic-primary-school-preston.secure-primariesite.net/attendance/>



Sports Days

Weather permitting our Junior Sports Day will be taking place on Tuesday, 17th May 2022 starting at 9:30am.

Our Infant Sports Day will be taking place on Wednesday, 18th May 2022 (again weather permitting). This will start with the arrival of the Queen's Commonwealth Games Baton which is due around 9:15am.

Parents are welcome to come and support the children (close family members only please)



The Queen's Commonwealth Games Baton

On Wednesday, 18th May 2022, the Commonwealth Games Baton will be visiting school. Pupils will form a Guard of Honour around the Junior and Infant playgrounds to greet its arrival which is due around 9:15am. Infant Sports Day will start after this.

All parents are welcome to come and see the baton and parents of Infant children can then stay for Sports Day if they wish.



Queen's Platinum Jubilee Street Party

On Thursday, 19th May 2022, we are having an outdoor 'street party' lunch on the Infant playground to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee; this will be a buffet style lunch including sandwiches, sausage rolls, vegetarian rolls etc.

Children may come dressed in red, white and blue if they wish to.

Please note that we are unable to offer our usual 4 meal options on this day. If your child would like to have the Jubilee lunch please inform their class teacher or a member of the school office team by **Tuesday, 16th May 2022**; alternatively, they may bring a packed lunch.



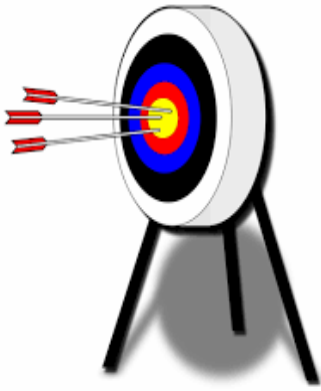
Pupil pick up/collection

To safeguard our children please can you notify the school office if you arrange for a family member or friend to pick up/collect your child at the end of the school day; without your authorisation we can't allow them to leave school.



SCHOOL START TIME

Please remember that school is open from 8:45am and **lessons start at 8:55am** – late arrivals disrupt the class lesson and your child's learning.



START ARCHERY WEEK

Free archery sessions are available from the 14th to 22nd May 2022 as part of the 'Start Archery Week'.

The nearest club to our school is:

Preston Grasshoppers Bowmen
Preston Grasshoppers Rugby Football Club, Lightfoot Green Lane,
Lightfoot Green, Preston, PR4 0AP
prestongrasshoppersbowmen@gmail.com
<https://www.pgbowmen.co.uk/>
07891166767

Full details are available via the link below.

<https://startarchery.co.uk/start-my-journey/start-archery-week>



Ms Benson's Fundraising Challenge

Ms Benson, our Sycamore class teacher, is raising money again this year as part of Radio Rock FMs 5k a day in May challenge. If she raises £100 or more by the end of the month her name will go into a draw and she could win 50 tickets for our children to visit Blackpool Zoo.

All the money raised by Ms Benson will go to the Rock FM Cash for Kids grant-giving charity that helps children that need it the most in Lancashire. Their mission is to improve the lives of disadvantaged children and young people in our communities who are affected by illness, poverty, neglect or have additional needs.

If you are able to sponsor Ms Benson, any amount you can give will be very much appreciated; the link below will take you to her donation page on the Rock FM website - don't forget to leave her a message.

<https://www.cashforkidsgive.co.uk/campaign/cash-for-kids-day-2022-rock-ghr-5k-a-day-fundraising/fundraisers/lorna-benson/>



Ofsted Parent View

Ofsted are due to visit St Augustine's soon and they would like your views on our school; you can do this by completing their online survey, Ofsted Parent View, at: www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk

This survey asks for your opinion on some aspects of our school, including the progress made by your child, the quality of teaching, how we deal with bullying and poor behaviour etc. It also provides a free-text box for you to make additional comments, if you wish.

Please can you take the time to complete the survey as your views are considered by Ofsted when we undergo the inspection.



Sunday, 15th May 2022, is the Fifth Sunday of Easter

In this Sunday's Gospel Jesus asks us to love one another as he loves us.

Gospel: John 13: 31-35, 34-35

After Judas had left, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man's glory is revealed; now God's glory is revealed through him. And if God's glory is revealed through him, then God will reveal the glory of the Son of Man in himself, and he will do so at once. My children, I shall not be with you very much longer. You will look for me; but I tell you now what I told the Jews, 'You cannot go where I am going.' And now I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. If you have love for one another, then everyone will know that you are my disciples."