

St. Thomas' C.E. Newsletter



16th September 2016

Monday 19 th September	Music lessons: keyboard, guitar After School Activities: Year 4, 5 and 6 football, choir Class 1's Welcome Meeting 6.30pm Informal Governor's Meeting
Tuesday 20 th September	Class 2's Welcome Meeting
Wednesday 21st September	After School Activities: Orchestra
Thursday 22 nd September	Music lessons: guitar After School Activities: Year 1,2 and 3 football
Friday 23 rd September	Music lessons: brass, woodwind Class 5's Welcome Meeting



Sebastien Fraine, Sophie Crossley, Levi Egan-Waddington, Lilly Wilson, Riley Wilson, Ava Pollitt, Callum Ball, Destiny Ali, Mya Malik and Alex Lincoln



Welcome Meetings

Each class teacher will be arranging a 'Welcome' meeting for all of the parents of children in their class. Please look out for these dates on the website

Out of School Achievements

Destiny and Faith Ali completed the summer reading challenge programme.

Erron Emery has passed grade 4 roller skating and Grade 3 LAMDA exam for drama with distinction.

<u>Aaron Hunter</u> was awarded Player's player of the year from Milnrow Cricket Club

<u>Dylan Hunter</u> was 'man of the match' for a game he played with Milnrow

<u>Molly Stewardson, Grace Ashurst, Amy</u> <u>Mitchell and Lauren Sanderson</u> all passed dancing exams.

<u>Callum</u> Ball was awarded trophies for horse riding.

School Spider App

If you have a smartphone, please download the 'School Spider' App and login using your username and password that school has given you. Please be aware that you can change your password at any time. The App allows school to keep you up to date with news and important messages. If you do not have a smartphone or have a windows phone, contact the office, so that we can ensure that you receive important messages and reminders by other means

Homework/Reading Diaries

Please keep to one page per week. If you need to write in on Saturday or Sunday, please use the notes section at the bottom of the page. You only need to write in the homework section if there is something you would like to raise with the class teacher.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

We are holding a coffee morning on 30th September from 10.00am -11.30am to raise funds for Macmillan. Last year's coffee morning was a huge success. Everyone is welcome.

Boogie Beats

Sure Start hold a Boogie Beats session in school every Friday from 10.00am-11.00am. This is for babies and preschool children and their families. There is no need to book – just turn up!

Primary School Applications

If your child is due to start school in September 2017, an application must be made via the Rochdale Council website. The closing date for this is January 15th 2017.

High school Applications

All year 6 children need to apply for a High school place for September 2017. This needs to be done via the appropriate local authority website. The application process is now open and closes on 31st October.

It is important that you view the schools in advance and attend the open evenings for the schools so that you are able to make an informed decision. The open evening for Hollingworth Academy is Wednesday 5th October from 6.15pm.

Crompton House has an open evening on Thursday 22nd September. The Blue Coat School has open days on Friday 30th September and Saturday 1st October.