

# St. Thomas' C.E. Primary School

Week 35 Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018:

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	6.30pm Governor's Meeting
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Class 4 visit to Neeli Mosque After school activities: Football (years 4, 5 and 6), Mad Science
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Music lessons: violin, clarinet and brass Daily mile at 1.15pm Class 4 swimming lessons After school activities: Orchestra Lacrosse Tournament at Littleborough 6.30pm coffee meeting for parents of children going to Hollingworth Academy
Thursday 21st June	#Thrive school based sessions (named children) Music lessons: guitar After school activities: football (years 1, 2 and 3)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	New Intake afternoon (3)



Noah Hill, Emelia Roberts, Devon Hinchliffe-Frost, Freya Thompson, Kellan Duggan, Daniel Drinkwater, Zack Power and Jasper Taylor

# **Achievements Outside of School**

Daniel and Grace Drinkwater were awarded swimming certificates. Well done.

#### **HEAD LICE**

We still have a problem with head lice in school, particularly in Class 5. Please check your child's head this weekend and treat appropriately and check on a weekly basis. Repeated infestations are extremely distressing for the children involved!

# **Attendance Trophy**

Class 3 are this week's winners with 98.6% attendance. Well Done.



Class 1 - 91.9%

Class 2 - 92.8%

Class 4 - 93.4%

Class 5 – 95.0%

Average attendance for this week is 94.3%. This is below Government and OFSTED expectations. We need to work together to ensure that children are in school on a daily basis. Letters will be sent out to those families whose children have poor attendance. Children who are not in school regularly will receive fines for taking holidays during term time.

#### **Spots Day**

Sports day took place on Monday and a good time was had by all. The newly added races went down well and we will be using the same format next year.

Thank you to those adults and toddlers who took part in the additional races. Badges will be handed out next week to those who came in either first, second or third places.

### **Our School's Got Talent Finals**

The finals were held last Friday evening and they were fantastic. All of the children who took part did an amazing job performing to a big crowd. The winner was Tommy Reynolds with Oliver Thewlis and Lily Costello as runners up. We are all looking forward to next year's event.

# **Medical Appointments**

Please bring proof of medical appointments into school so that we can mark absences as medical. Without proof, appointments may need to be recorded as unauthorised absences.

#### Milnrow and Newhey Carnival 2018

The carnival is nearly here and **WE NEED YOUR HELP!** 

Firstly I am looking for four people to dress up as 'The Beatles' to go in the middle of the float. We have a drum kit and we are going to use inflatable guitars. If you or your child can help with this, please contact the school office as we only need 4 Beatles.

Secondly we need adult volunteers to decorate the float on the morning of Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>. If you are able to help, please come to school at 9.15am. We ask that children (particularly younger ones) are left at home.

Finally anyone who wants to take part in the parade needs to gather on Huddersfield Road from 11.45am so that we can load up the float in time for the start of the parade. Children can be collected from the entrance to Milnrow Park from approximately 2.00pm.

The finishing time and place are approximate due to the nature of the event.