



St. Michael's CE (VC) First School Newsletter

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It was lovely to welcome so many parents and grandparents to our Phonics Café this week. Everyone enjoyed a game of phonics bingo and then the wide range of activities including biscuit decorating and helping make a blossom tree for the classroom wall.

Our Early Years children enjoyed their walk to the post-box this week to post their Valentines cards to their mums and dads. We were all very impressed with how sensible they were and how well they walked as a class.

Our KS2 children walked to church this week to be part of the Thursday Communion Service. It is lovely to take part in these events and join with our church community.

Have a wonderful half term holiday and we look forward to welcoming all of our children back to school on Monday 24th February.

Mrs J Wass

Headteacher

Certificates and Special Awards

Nursery

Ava Ellyn

Early Years

Louis

Year 1 and 2

Mabli Heidi Mila

Year 3 and 4

Rosie Travis Harry Tiffany

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Nursery

This week we have been ready to blast into space, as part of our 'Up, Up and Away' topic.

We have been busy singing lots of songs to help us to practise counting down from 10, to zoom to the moon!



Early Years

Thank you to everyone who attended our 'phonics family cafe'. Your continued support means a lot to us and the children.

We hope that you found the phonics games useful and enjoy having a go of tricky word bingo at home!



Year 1 and 2

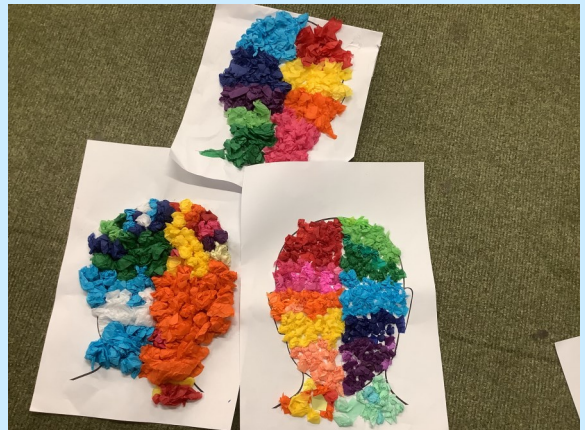


In Forest School we created our own bad fairy-tale character and made its face out of mud on the trees.



Year 3 and 4

Whilst Year 4 were at Laches Wood, the rest of Key Stage two worked in two new groups for the week. One of our activities involved looking at which colours represented hot and cold. We then used these to produce a picture of a face split into hot and cold colours.



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Christian Values Certificates

The following children have been presented with a Christian Values Certificate for demonstrating one of our school values

Nursery

Artie Sienna

Early Years

Layla Mai

Year 1 and 2

Harvey Elias Mabel

Year 3 and 4

Toby Evie Hannah



Diary Dates

Mon 17th—Fri 21st February	School Closed—Half Term
Monday 24th February	Entrust Live Music Performance
Wednesday 26th—Friday 28th February	Book Fair 3.30pm
Thursday 27th February	PTA Meeting 6.00pm
Tuesday 4th March	Stoke City 7s Worship
Thursday 6th March	World Book Day (Non Uniform, Book Character or Pyjamas)
Thursday 13th March	Y1-2 to Church
Tuesday 25th March	Parents Evening 4.00-7.00pm
Wednesday 26th March	Parents Evening 3.50-6.00pm
Sunday 30th March	Mothering Sunday Service at Church
Thursday 3rd April	Y1-2 to Church
Tuesday 8th April	KS1 Easter Service 9.15am KS2 Easter Service 10.15
Wednesday 9th April	EY Easter Café 9.00am KS1 Easter Service 1.45pm KS2 Easter Service 2.45pm
Thursday 10th April	Nursery Easter Café 2.30pm
Friday 11th April	Break up for Easter Holidays

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