



Welcome back to *Fit For The King* Holiday Club!

Today we had **32 children** and 46 leaders and helpers with us at the Games. **Farmer James** was much better behaved today, and the King sent out his **invitations**. Your **treasure chests** look awesome (in fact, *Everything is Awesome!*) Samuel Squash is racing up the **medals table**, with just one day to go now! And our singing got an **8.0**—can we beat that tomorrow?

Did you know that **16** of our helpers are teenagers? Thanks for doing a **great job** in the drama, in teams, and on the bookstall! We also have adults helping as techies, prayer team, registration, kitchen, The Misfits, games and craft, and of course our team leaders!

Our *Closing Ceremony* is on **Sunday 17th August** in the church—children, parents, and friends all welcome! Children meet at 10.15am in the Heriot Hall at the rear of the church, for a 10.30am service.

Celebration BBQ: the Sunday service will be followed by a **BBQ** behind the church at around 11.30pm. **Please sign up today!** Signup sheets are at the halls entrance.

Arriving: Children should go to the registration hall first, before going to their group tables. **Leaders and helpers**: Can all leaders and helpers please sign in at the start of the evening at the entrance. This is required for fire safety reasons.

If you want the **prayer team** to pray for something, write it down (anonymously is fine) and put it in the prayer bin on the stage.

Fit For The King! starts at 6pm for 6.15pm. We have our final songs from 7.30-7.45pm, and children can be collected from the Heriot Hall at the rear of the church at 7.45pm.

Winners!

Today in the drama: Today the King invites everyone! Invite the hoodies, the tramps, the young, the old, the good, the bad—all are welcome to the King's palace for the party! They can't quite believe it, but it's true! He gives each of them a royal robe to wear.

In the Bible: Read *Matthew 13's* story about the **mustard seed**—a small insignificant seed can make a huge difference. Jesus' death looked like a **waste**, but death could not hold **King Jesus!** He was the seed—he came to life again, he is **alive now** and we can all be part of his **Kingdom community**.

The **final competition** is a whole-family word puzzle: using the letters in the words below, make as many words as you can of **at least four letters long** (you can only use a letter as many times as it appears below).

“COMMONWEALTH GAMES”

One entry per family! Please hand your entries in as you register before the start of tomorrow's club. Make sure your entry is clearly marked with your **names, years and groups**. The winners will be announced in *Fitness Fanatic*.

Remember the **bookstall** in the halls entrance—bring your **pocket money** for books, badges, pencils, stickers and more.

If you missed out on yesterday's *Fitness Fanatic*, pick up a copy from the office as you go past or look on the church website (see back page). *The website should be updated soon!*

Funny facts:

P1-P3: Ruby Grant, Delilah Diving: *A Channel Islands cow licked the Queen's Baton as the relay went on its journey!*

Glasgow's organising committee bought 260,000 items of furniture, fittings and equipment from the London Games.

Competitors from the Island of St Helena began their journey to Glasgow on one of the last remaining Royal Mail ships—RMS Saint Helena.

P4-P7: Aidan Wansbrough, Samuel Squash:

“Two cats had a race across the English Channel. The British one called ‘one, two, three’ and the French one called ‘un, deux, trois’. Guess which cat won?”

The British, because the un, deux, trois, cat, sank!”

Wednesday

answers:

basketball,
badminton,
fencing,
weightlifting,
gymnastics
(rhythmic),
gymnastics
(pommel
horse).



Through this week we're learning a special verse from the Bible:

**“Let us run with perseverance
the race marked out for us.**

**Let us fix our eyes
on Jesus our King”.**

It's in **The Bible**, Hebrews, 12:1 (NIV).

Join the dots

Today we learned that Jesus is a King who came back, and his death was not the end. Join the dots below to reveal the special symbol that reminds us how Jesus died for our sins.

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God's Book

Not a collection of rules but a
TRUE STORY
Do you remember when
DAVID FOUGHT GOLIATH
Do you remember when Daniel faced
THE LIONS
Do you remember what
MARY SANG ABOUT JESUS

The Bible is a collection of
66 BOOKS
It tells the story of
GOD
and his people
It shows us
WHAT GOD IS LIKE
HOW TO LIVE
(and how not to)

The Bible speaks to us
ENCOURAGES US
GUIDES US
Fresh in every generation
REFORMATION
ABOLITION OF SLAVERY
SOCIAL JUSTICE
all came from reading the Bible afresh

Unless you know
עברית
or are fluent in
κοινή ελληνικά
you should find an English
TRANSLATION
There are lots - some good ones are
NIV CEV
NCV NLT
Choose one you can read and
UNDERSTAND

Lots of different books by lots of
DIFFERENT WRITERS
each inspired by God. It is
GOD'S WORD TO US
not just a human book

Some good places to start are
GENESIS
Starting at the beginning
1ST SAMUEL
Prophets and kings
LUKE
The story of Jesus
ACTS
How the church got started

For more details visit the church
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