



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

Today we had 32 excited children and 59 leaders and helpers with us at the Games. The **medal table** is up – Benjamin Badminton are near the top but there's plenty of time yet! We found the baton with the rest of our memory verse. And thanks to **The Misfits** we scored **7** for singing!

It was a scary night for **MacWeetabix**—James and Richard beat him with their **beets**! Hopefully he'll recover by tomorrow night. Your medals are all fit for the podium and snack was fantastic tonight!

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 12pm. **Please sign up by tomorrow (Thursday) at the latest!** (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.

If you have any **news** to tell or any good **sporty jokes** please pass them to your leader and we will print them in the next *Fitness Fanatic*.

*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.

# Puzzles!

**Today in the drama:** Things went from bad to worse, and the farmer and his sons **beat up** messenger MacMuesli rather than come to the party! What could it mean?

**In the Bible:** Amazingly, Jesus **loved** us so much he chose to **die for us**. To help us understand, he told another story about **grapes**—this time the owner rented out the vineyard, but at harvest time the tenants refused to pay the owner his portion. Read *Matthew 21* to find out what happened.

Today's **competition** is to find three interesting, unusual, and/or funny **facts about the Commonwealth Games**, and present them in an **A4 poster**. Please hand your entries in as you register before the start of tomorrow's club. Make sure your entry is clearly marked with your **name, year and group**. Winners in each year group will be announced in *Fitness Fanatic*.

## The Commonwealth Games

*in the style of R. Burns (by Stephen, P4 leader):*

Some countries are great but cannae compete  
Some compete but annae great  
We are great and can compete  
So let the Lord be thankit!

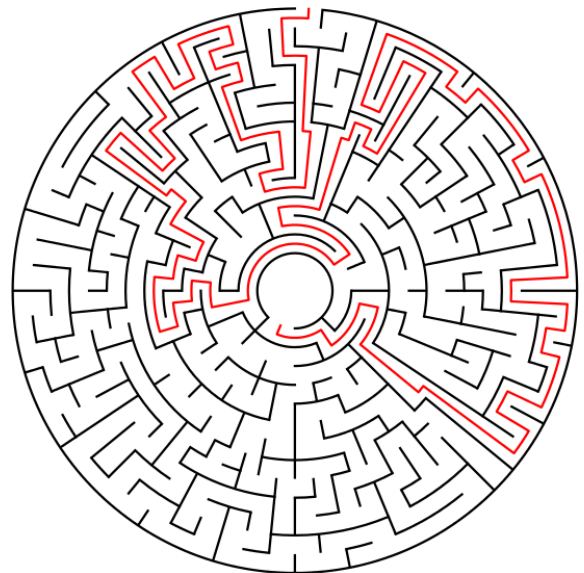
Remember the **bookstall** in the halls entrance—bring your **pocket money** for books, badges, pencils, stickers and more.

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).

Can you tell what these sports are from the silhouettes?



Tuesday answers: "GET UP!"



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).

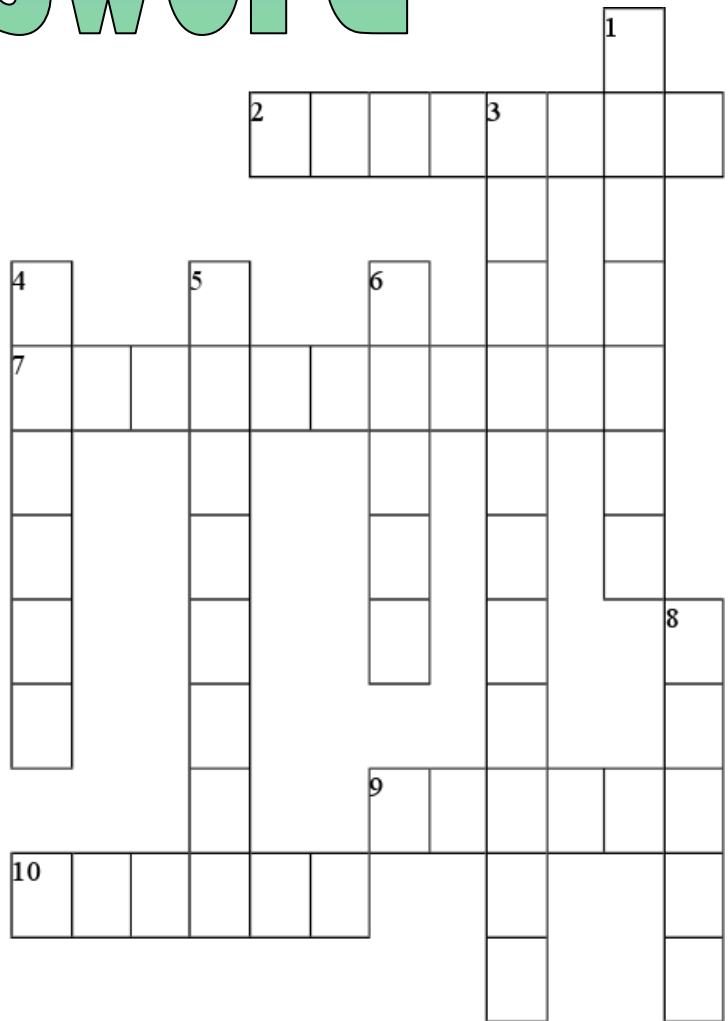
# Crossword

## Across

2. Before "men" and "death".  
 7. The tenants killed the son to acquire his \_\_\_\_\_.  
 9. What the tenants did to one of the servants: they \_\_\_\_\_ him.  
 10. The landowner \_\_\_\_\_ the vineyard to tenants.

## Down

1. What the landowner thought the tenants would give to his son.  
 3. The rejected stone became the \_\_\_\_\_.  
 4. What did the tenants do to one of the servants? They \_\_\_\_\_ him.  
 5. The landowner sent them to obtain his produce when they were ready.  
 6. It was rejected by the builder.  
 8. The landowner put this around the vineyard.



Winners!

### Cycling Race

You're cycling in a race,  
 You're in first place.  
 But your opponent is in the chase,  
 So you pedal hard to keep the pace.

Now your opponent's ahead,  
 And your face has gone red.  
 You're tired and you wish you're in bed,

But now ... [to be continued]  
 (Adam, Aidan, Lewis, Megan—group entry)

There was a young lady who ran  
 For her country as fast as she can  
 She was last in the race  
 But never lost face  
 For God is her biggest fan.

(Ruth Beaton P5 Benjamin Badminton)



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# What's Next?

There are still two more evenings of Holiday Club before the concluding service on Sunday. But the fun doesn't have to stop there: you are invited to join our other young people's organisations which start after the school holidays as follows:

**Girls Brigade** is a fun all-round weekday evening programme for girls, with a balance of educational, physical, service, and spiritual elements. Explorers (P1-3) meet on Thursdays at 6.15pm, enrolment only on 21st August. Juniors (P4-P7) meet on Wednesdays at 6.15pm, enrolment only on 27th August. Brigaders meet on Wednesdays at 7.30pm, starting 20th August. Just turn up, or contact Sandra Blair on 712 533 or sandrablair69@btinternet.com for further details. All new girls will be made welcome!

**Boys Brigade** is a fun all-round weekday evening programme for boys, with a balance of body, mind, spirit, community, and creativity. Anchor Boys (P1-P3) meet on Tuesdays at 6.15pm from 9th September. Juniors (P4-P6) and Company Section (P7-S6) meet on Fridays at 6.15pm or 7.30pm, enrolment only on 22nd and 29th August 6.30-7.30pm. Just turn up, or contact Billy Rankine on 712 311 or billyrankine@blueyonder.co.uk for further details. All boys very welcome!

**Sunday School** meets during church every Sunday morning from 10.50am to 12 noon to do crafts and drama and learn about the Bible together. Beginners (age 3-5 years), Juniors (P2-P4), Triple S (P5-P7), and Flaim (S1-S3). Just turn up! Contact Ewan and Judith Norton on 713 842 or ewanandjude@gmail.com for further details.



For more details visit the church website:  
[www.brightonschurch.org.uk](http://www.brightonschurch.org.uk)



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