

St. Osmund's Newsletter

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Week 2.6 – Monday 10th December 2018



Nativity Plays

Next week we are going to be treated to our Nativity Plays performed by Reception and Years 1 and 2.

Reception Class are performing 'The Nativity' and Years 1 and 2 are performing 'The Sleepy Shepherd'. The children have been working hard rehearsing and I am sure that not only will we be entertained, but we will be reminded to keep the 'Christ' in 'Christmas' in the greatest story ever told.

Tickets are now available:

To purchase tickets, please log on to School Gateway. The tickets are just £2 each; simply enter the correct amount you need to pay to correspond with the number of tickets you wish to order. For those who have not downloaded the app, details on what to do were sent out by email last week. If you have any queries or problems, please contact the school office.

KS2 Carol Service

In years 3-6, the children lead a carol service every year in St Osmund's Church. We have been rehearsing ready for our service this year on 18th December at 6pm. All children in KS2 are expected to attend this important school function. A letter will be going home this week with details on seating in church.

Parking

I have already had some interest from parents in our voluntary road safety group. There will be a meeting in the new year about how we can move this initiative forwards.

Class Open Door

Our second class open door session will be this Wednesday straight after school. This is an informal opportunity to stay in touch with your child's progress between the normal cycle of Parents' Evenings. You are welcome in to look at your child's work and speak to the class teacher about how your child is getting on.

Guitar Concert

Unfortunately, the guitar concert last week was postponed due to illness. It has now been rescheduled for tomorrow, Tuesday 11th December, at 10:20am. All parents of children who are taught guitar by Mrs Morrell are welcome to join us.

Name the Elf

We have had a visit from one of the Elves and he has thankfully decided not to get up to any mischief but has instead offered himself as a prize at our Christmas Fair! All you have to do is guess the name of the elf. It costs 50p and there is a book of names to choose from. Year 5 children will be bringing the elf and book round the classes each day this week.

Job Vacancy

We continue to seek a new member of staff to join our Lunchtime Supervisory team. If you are interested in 1hrs work, 12.15-1.15pm Monday-Friday, please see the school office.

Thank you PSA

With one more big event in 2018 still to go, I would like to thank our PSA and group of volunteers for their tireless efforts this year raising money for our school. We have had two Chocolate Bingo events, numerous discos and fairs. In total these events have raised over £3000 for school funds ☺

Please come and support the school at the Christmas Fair this Friday, starting at 3:15pm in the school hall.

Also, if you would like to join the PSA and get involved in actively supporting St Osmund's, please do have a word with me, or the school office.

Golden Book Awards



There were no awards last week due to our Advent Assembly and Sports' Leaders Assembly being on Friday.

It was however a real pleasure to hand out STARS for the wristbands to Andrea, Zuzanna, Evie B and Ariana.

Dates for your diary...



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- 11/12/18 ~ Year 2 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 11/12/18 ~ Guitar Concert ~ School Hall ~ 10.20am
- 12/12/18 ~ Class Open Door – English Books ~ 3:15pm
- 14/12/18 ~ Christmas Fair ~ School Hall ~ 3:15pm ~ Special Visitor!!
- 18/12/18 ~ KS2 Carol Service ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 6pm
- 19/12/18 ~ Reception Class Nativity Play ~ School Hall ~ 1:30pm
- 19/12/18 ~ Years 1 & 2 Nativity Play School Hall ~ 2:15pm and 6:00pm
- 20/12/18 ~ Christmas Dinner Day and Christmas Jumper Day!
- 21/12/18 ~ School breaks up at the end of Term 2 ~ 1:30pm
- 08/01/19 ~ School re-opens for Term 3 ~ please note this is a Tuesday

With all best wishes,

Mr R Sanderson
Headteacher



St Osmund's Catholic Primary School

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