

St. Osmund's Newsletter



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Open Afternoon

Save the date and spread the word!! On Thursday 24th November from 3:15pm 'till approx. 7pm we will be holding an Open Afternoon. Whilst this event is an opportunity for new and prospective parents to come and look around the school with a view to joining us, it will also be a useful (and hopefully enjoyable) opportunity for all parents to come and tour the school at your leisure, seeing what goes on in classes as children take part in activities with their teachers. There will also be other activities and presentations taking place showing you some of the additional activities which form the rich and varied curriculum we offer. The event is being coordinated closely with St Osmund's Pre-School who are also showcasing all that they have to offer in terms of pre-reception class provision, as well as before and after-school care.

In addition, we hope that in the hall there will be stalls and presentations from the other agencies which work in our school such as St Joseph's High School, The School Nurses, Music Services, St Osmund's Parish, the PSA and much more. A letter seeking permission for your child to be involved will be going home shortly.

School Twitter

We now have a new school twitter account! We will be using this to share celebrations of learning. Each class aims to tweet twice per week, sharing the amazing learning experiences that are taking place in class. Go to www.twitter.com and search for 'St Osmund's CP' or scan the QR code below. You will need to click 'follow' to submit a follow request.



Media Permissions

So that you don't miss out on seeing your child learning through our Twitter Feed, please return your media permissions letter ASAP!

Masses

All Saints Mass – 01/11/ @ 1:45pm, in school
Year 6 Class Mass – 08/11 @ 9:45am, in church
Year 5 Class Mass – 15/11 @ 9:45am, in church
Year 4 Class Mass – 22/11 @ 9:45am, in church
Advent Mass – 29/11 @ 9:45am, in church
St Osmund's Feast Day 02/12 @ 10am, in church
Year 3 Class Mass 06/12 @9:45am, in church

Chocolate Bingo – coming up this Friday, 4th November

This great event (first of the year for the PSA) will take place this Friday (4th November) in the School Hall, starting at 6pm. There will be food and drinks on sale on the night, with a tuck shop for the children - it promises to be great fun.

It is free to get in to the hall, with bingo tickets on sale on the night. Come and join us as we try to raise money to further improve the IT provision at the school.

Golden Book Awards

Our weekly winners are...

Rec : Janey and Thomas
Year 1: Zachary and Darcy
Year 2: Samuel and Ava
Year 3: Mia and Natalie
Year 4: Benjamin & Wiktoria
Year 5: Millie and Toby
Year 6: Hannah and Patrick



Dates for your diary...

- 03/11/16 ~ Individual Photos
- 04/11/16 ~ Chocolate Bingo in the School Hall ~ 6pm - 8:30pm
- 08/11/16 ~ Football League, first match
- 18/11/16 ~ Wear something Spotty for Children in Need ~ a non-uniform day
- 18/11/16 ~ Year 6 Children in Need concert at Salisbury Cathedral ~ evening ~ time TBC
- 24/11/16 ~ **Open Afternoon ~ 3:15pm onwards ~ ALL welcome**
- 28/11/16 ~ Year 5 , Barnardo's concert at the Royal Albert Hall ~ parents please book tickets online at RAH ~ 'Barnardo's Young Supporters Concert'
- 02/12/16 ~ Non-Uniform Day for the Christmas Fair
- 02/12/16 ~ Christmas Fair ~ 3:15pm
- 08/12/16 ~ Reception Nativity ~ 1:45pm in the School Hall
- 08/12/16 ~ Year 1 and 2 Nativity ~ 2:30pm AND 6pm in the School Hall
- 12/12/16 ~ KS2 Carol Service ~ St Osmund's Church
- 13/12/16 ~ Christmas Lunch! Non-Uniform Day ~ Wear Your Christmas Jumper!
- 13/12/16 ~ Reception and KS1 Disco @ 3:30pm ---- KS2 Disco @ 5:30pm
- 16/12/16 ~ 1:30pm ~ Break up for Christmas
- 04/01/17 ~ Return to School ~ Spring Term

With all best wishes,



Mr R Sanderson
Headteacher



Scan this QR Code to go to an online application for Pupil Premium – you've got nothing to lose by filling the form in but your child, and the school, can benefit a great deal; currently approx. £1300 per pupil per year. There are benefits as the school can improve educational provision for your child as well as enabling you to access subsidised equipment, trips in school, as well as free school meals.

St Osmund's Catholic Primary School

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