St. Osmund's Newsletter

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Week 6.1 – Monday 5th June 2017



First Holy Communion Congratulations

On Sunday 28th May, 22 of our children received their first Holy Communion

For many weeks now, 22 of our children here at St Osmund's have been preparing to receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time. Last Sunday, the children received the Sacrament at St Gregory's and St Osmund's churches. The services were a wonderful celebration of the children's commitment to their journey in faith. Congratulations to all our participants from all the staff and governors here at St Osmund's School.

Remember to turn to Christ in prayer always. He will celebrate your greatest joys and help you with your troubles. Congratulations to all of you on your First Holy Communion.

International Day

Please save the date – 7th July.

We are really excited about our International Day; a celebration of the wide range of cultures we are fortunate to have here at St Osmund's. We would be very appreciative if you could contribute something unique to your culture to share on the day – this could be a dance, show, food, music – or anything else. Please complete the slip and return to school ASAP so we can begin to plan the programme.

Sports' Days

This week we will be holding our Sports' Days. Reception to Year 2 have their event on Wednesday, in the morning, here on the school grounds. Years 3 to 6 is on Thursday morning on the Cathedral Close Fields. We look forward to seeing you all at these events to support the children!

We also have discos this week, on Friday after school. See the PSA noticeboard and dates overleaf.

Safety

This is just a further reminder that only parents of children in Reception Class are allowed in to the school building in the morning – and then only in the Autumn Term. If you need to come in to school for whatever reason, you must sign in at the school office and receive a visitor's badge.

This will ensure that we can keep track of all adults entering and exiting the building.

SRE Policy

We recently held a Parents' Forum Meeting to discuss the SRE Policy (Sex and Relationships Education). Unfortunately, this meeting was not well attended and I feel that we need to have a larger group of parents to adequately discuss what the school proposes to cover in this area of the curriculum. Schools are required to address relationships education and we must consult with parents. I propose a further meeting on Tuesday 15th June at 5:30pm. Please let the office know if you are intending to come – let's try and get as many people as possible!

Please do have a look at the SRE Policy on the school website – www.st-osmunds.wilts.sch.uk, it is under 'policies'. This is necessary reading ahead of Parents' Forum meeting

Golden Book Awards

Rec : Dominik and Louisa

Year 1: Darcy and Oscar

Year 2: Malachy and Sandra

Year 3: Evie W and Olivia

Year 4: Andrea and Benjamin

Year 5: Henry and Teodora

Year 6: Dottie and Lenah

Our weekly winners

Dates for your diary...

- 05/06/17 ~ School re-opens for Term 6 ~ 8:55am
- 07/06/17 ~ Year 3 and 4 Tennis Festival ~ 12.00 3.00 pm
- 07/06/17 ~ Sports' Day for KS1 ~ 9:30 am ~ School Grounds
- 07/06/17 ~ New Reception Parents' Meeting ~ 6pm
- 08/06/17 ~ Sports' Day for KS2 ~ 9:30 am ~ Cathedral Close
- 09/06/17 ~ Pentecost Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 09/06/17 ~ Non-Uniform Day ~ bring £1 to cover refreshments at the Sports' Days
- 09/06/17 ~ Discos! Rec-Y2 3:30pm-4:30pm. Y3-6 4:45pm-6.00pm
- 14/06/17 ~ Year 6 Primary Leavers' Mass ~ Clifton Cathedral ~ 8am
- 15/06/17 ~ Corpus Christi Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 20/06/17 ~ Reception Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 20/06/17 ~ Primary Schools' Swimming Gala ~ Five Rivers ~ after school
- 29/06/17 ~ SS Peter and Paul Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 1:45pm
- 04/07/17 ~ Year 5 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 07/07/17 ~ International Day at St Osmund's
- 11/07/17 ~ Year 4 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 12-15/07/17 ~ Year 6 Residential ~ Simonsbath
- 13/07/17 ~ Group of Year 5 children to Wimbledon
- 17/07/17 ~ Year 6 Leavers' Mass ~ in school ~ 9:45am
- 18/07/17 ~ Prize Giving Celebration ~ School Hall ~ 9:45am
- 19/07/17 ~ School breaks up for the Summer Holidays ~ 1:30pm

With all best wishes,



Mr R Sanderson Headteacher

Please join us for our Pentecost Mass on Friday at 9:45am in St Osmund's Church. All welcome!



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