

# St. Osmund's Newsletter

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Week 6.4 – Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2017



## Swimming Gala

*On Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June, St Osmund's took part in the Salisbury Area Primary School Swimming Gala*



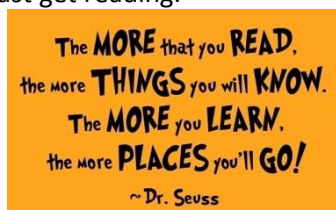
Firstly, my sincere congratulations go to our children who gave absolutely everything at the Swimming Gala and in one of the events, managed to qualify for the Level 2 final! There were individual boys and girls events as well as boys and girls relay events. Competition was strong but our children, as always, represented us impeccably.

Thank you so much to Miss Dowding, Mrs Sterck, and Mrs Dyson who prepared the children so well for this event and thank you parents for coming to Five Rivers to support the team.

## Summer Reading Challenge

Mr Tomes from Salisbury Library came to assembly today to speak to the children about the fantastic Summer Reading Challenge. Last year 46 children from St Osmund's took part. Fostering a love of reading is very important to us here at St Osmund's and it would be great if this year we could beat that total!

The theme this year is 'Animal Agents' and it is for children aged 4-11 years. The challenge between Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July and Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> September is to read a minimum of 6 books. The books should be from the library and can be about anything your child is interested in – dinosaurs, Diary of a Wimpy Kid, Minecraft – just get reading.



## Stamptastic Fundraising

***Name your belongings and raise money for the school!***

STAMPtastic name stamps can be used on fabric, metal, wood and some plastics. One inkpad lasts 2-3 years.

The school will get 20% cashback on every purchase made when using our unique code - SP12SG - order at [www.stamptastic.co.uk](http://www.stamptastic.co.uk).

**Look out for the leaflet in your child's book bag this week.**

## Online Payments

As some of you know, we now operate an online payments system! This can be used to pay for school trips, after school clubs and other one-off costs. The facility doesn't cover school dinners as they are provided by an external agency – Sodexo – who have their own system for managing money.

## International Day

We have had a good response so far, thank you for all your generosity! We are still keen to hear from anyone who would like to contribute some entertainment, food, help moving and coordinating.

If you do want to make a last minute contribution, it is essential that you speak to a member of the office staff as we are now putting the programme together.

## Golden Book Awards

Rec : Arya and Joanna  
Year 1: Colin and Zachary  
Year 2: Eesa and Juliana  
Year 3: Faith and Seth  
Year 4: Jacob and Wiktor  
Year 5: Lemuela and Oliver  
Year 6: Joe and Zofia

**Our weekly winners**

## Dates for your diary...

- 28/06/17 ~ Optional Year 5 taster day ~ St Edmund's
- 29/06/17 ~ Year 5 taster day ~ St Joseph's
- 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 ~ cancelled
- 04/07/17 ~ Guitar Concert to whole school and parents ~ 10.45am
- 06/07/17 ~ KS2 Woodwind Concert ~ 2.00pm ~ Parents welcome
- 06/07/17 ~ Optional Year 5 taster day ~ St Edmund's
- **06/07/17 ~ Year 6 Leavers' Play ~ 'The Amazing Adventures of Superstan' ~ 6pm in the Hall**
- 07/07/17 ~ International Day at St Osmund's
- 10/07/17 ~ Violin concert to whole school and parents ~ 2.40pm
- 10/07/17 ~ Academic Reports sent home
- 11/07/17 ~ Year 4 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 11/07/17 ~ Year 5 music concert with Miss Ridley ~ City Hall ~ 9am
- 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
- 18/07/17 ~ Leavers' BBQ for Year 6 ~ School Hall/Playground
- 19/07/17 ~ School breaks up for the Summer Holidays ~ 1:30pm

With all best wishes,



Mr R Sanderson  
Headteacher

*Congratulations to Mrs Hitchman who gave birth to a little girl, Jessica Rose, on 18<sup>th</sup> June at 4:45pm. She weighed in at 7lb 2oz and I am pleased to report that both mum and baby are doing well.*



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