St. Osmund's Newsletter

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Week 2.2 – Monday 12th November 2018



Kitchen Update

As you may be aware, we are experiencing some mechanical difficulties in the kitchen. To put this into context, we had a considerable amount of building work taking place over the summer to put a new ventilation system in place in the kitchen, as well as a new heating system in the hall, powered by a new boiler.

Unfortunately, part of the ventilation system in the kitchen has failed, meaning it is not safe to use all our appliances. We hope the issue will be resolved by this week and our current expectation is to be able to provide the full menu by this Friday (16th). The kitchen staff – Emma (manager), Diane and Dan – have been working creatively and tirelessly to put a menu in place which can be delivered using the equipment that is currently working.

Thank you for your patience and understanding. Amended menu choices will be sent out as necessary this week via text.

Anti-Bullying Week



It is national Anti-Bullying Week. To mark this we will be reflecting on the theme of respect in our worship and PSHE lessons this week and as an outward sign, we would like the children to wear odd socks on Thursday!

After School Clubs

The new clubs for this term start today. There are a few spaces left in Christmas Craft Club (yrs 3,4,5), Gymnastics (yrs 1,2) Lacrosse (yrs 3,4,5) and Netball (yrs 5,6). Homework club is available to all yr 6's. Please sign up using the School Gateway system if you would like your child to join one of these clubs.

Chocolate Bingo

This takes place on FRIDAY 23rd November next door at Elizabeth Hall. All are welcome to this fabulous, fun event for all the family.

We will have lines, full houses as well as 'stand-up' bingo which the children really enjoy and the everpopular 'bottle-rolling' at the end of the evening. Food, tuck-shop and a licensed bar also available. 'Eyes down' at 6pm on Friday 23rd!



Golden Book Awards



No awards last week due to the Remembrance Assembly. The children led the service with reverence and respect. Thank you to everyone who has contributed such beautiful artwork for our displays in the school hall.



Dates for your diary...



- 13/11/18 ~ Years 6 and 1 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 13/11/18 ~ Parents' Forum ~ Staffroom ~ 3:15pm
- 16/11/18 ~ Children in Need ~ Non-Uniform day ~ £1 donation, wear something spotty or dotty
- 20/11/18 ~ Year 5 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 23/11/18 ~ St Francis' House only ~ Non-Uniform day ~ winners of the House Points Challenge last term!
- 23/11/18 ~ Chocolate Bingo ~ Elizabeth Hall ~ 6pm
- 27/11/18 ~ Year 4 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 03/12/18 ~ Flu Vaccinations Reception to Year 5
- 04/12/18 ~ Year 3 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 04/12/18 ~ Guitar Concert ~ School Hall ~ 11am
- 07/12/18 ~ School Discos ~ School Hall ~ KS1 @ 3:15pm; KS2 @ 4:45pm
- 11/12/18 ~ Year 2 Class Mass ~ St Osmund's Church ~ 9:45am
- 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 ~ KS1 Nativity Plays 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 Sanderso Headteacher

Non-Uniform Day CHANGE

This Friday will be the Children in Need 'Spotacular' where we ask all children to wear non-uniform; something spotty or dotty if possible.

St Francis' House non-uniform day will now be on Friday 23rd November. Their day is a reward for finishing top of the house points chart last term!

Well done children!

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