



# St Osmund's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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## Harvest Collection



Thank you all soooo much for your generosity in our Harvest Collection. On Monday, 4 children from Year 6 will be going to the Trussel Trust to deliver our overflowing food parcels! We are always called as a Christian school to consider the needs of others before ourselves, and that is why it is so heartwarming in such challenging times for our families, that we are making such sacrifices for others who are less fortunate.

## Tri-Golf Success!

I am incredibly proud of our Golf Team who have been training all term to develop their chipping and putting skills. Many of these children were starting at the very beginning in golf skills and that is why I am so delighted by their success. On Wednesday we took 10 children to the Driving Range on Wilton Road and took part in a tournament involving the Salisbury primary schools, and St Osmund's walked away with Golf Medals! Well done children on your fantastic achievement! They have qualified for the Wiltshire Finals in Marlborough in the summer.

I would like to say a special thank you to Iris in Y6 who was our expert assistant in the Golf Club, giving up her time to help me organise the club and activities. Our team could not have done it without you!

## Cold and Sickness

It is vital that if your child has any of the following symptoms, you get a PCR test to test for a possible Covid infection:

- New or continuous cough
- High temperature
- Loss or change in taste or smell

If your child is negative, OR does not have any of these symptoms, then they may attend school.

Absence rates at the moment are higher than normal, even allowing for covid-related absence. We have noticed a higher proportion of colds and runny noses, but you can send your child in as long as they are not Covid-positive or have one of the above symptoms.

The staff are very good at spotting when a child is too poorly to be in school, and if that is the case, they will call you!

## Media Permissions

Please do fill in the media permissions form if you haven't already. So far just 25% of the school have completed it. Without it, we cannot include your child's image on displays; the local paper when we have done something amazing; or on the school's twitter feed to share their learning. If you haven't already, please can you fill this in by Tuesday next week? The link is:

<https://forms.gle/sRgGJBuCG5X6Waqb8>

## Golden Book Awards

Rec: Oscar C and Eleanor  
Year 1: Sofia and Jones  
Year 2: Octavia and George  
Year 3: Antoni and Lara  
Year 4: Erin and Andy  
Year 5: Michelle and Tommy P-C  
Year 6: Iris and James

Our  
weekly  
winner



## Dates for your diary...

[www.twitter.com](https://www.twitter.com/@St_OsmundsCP)  
@St\_OsmundsCP

20.10.21 ~ Break Up for end of Term 1 ~ 3:15pm

01.11.21 ~ School Re Opens for Term 2

07–09.12.21 ~ Reception and KS1 Nativities

10.12.21 ~ Christmas Fayre



Mr R Sanderson  
Headteacher

As the sun rises on our day, may your light dawn  
on our hearts.

Reveal your character and goodness to us as we  
put our hope in you.

**Amen.**

### School Applications

Will your child be transferring to Secondary School in September 2022? You **MUST** apply for a Secondary School place. Apply online at [wiltshire.gov.uk](http://wiltshire.gov.uk) or complete an application form, available from all Wiltshire Council offices. The deadline is midnight on 31 October 2021. Contact Customer Services on 01225 713010 for more information.

Will your child be four years old before September 2022? You **MUST** apply for a primary school place. Apply online as above, the deadline for applications is midnight on 15 January 2022.

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