

# St Osmund's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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# PSA

We are so lucky to have such a marvellous PSA (Parent Staff Association). They do an incredible job raising money for school projects and resources that directly benefit our children. Did you know, for example, that the PSA paid for all the interactive screens in all our classes? Without the committee and your support at events, this would not be possible. The PSA put together this summary for the AGM last week; some great successes and more to come!



# Reporting an Absence

Please inform the school office by leaving an answerphone message on the absence line (01722 322632 opt 1) or by email

<u>schoolcomms@sops.canacp.org</u> every day your child is off of school.

Failure to report an absence will result in an unauthorised absence and this may lead to a fine being issued. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

### **Art Competition**

Harnham Community are running an art competition on the theme 'Inspired by Nature', for children and adults. Entries are to include your name, date of birth (if under 18) and contact number. Hand your entry to Harnham Parish Hall on 22 October between 10am and 12pm, or 27 October at 2pm. Further info from: harnhamcommunity@gmail.com or 07962 213494

#### **House Points**

We tally up house points every week, announcing the weekly winners in assembly. We also keep a running total and at the end of term, there will be a non-uniform day for the winning house over the term. We have not got a winning house yet – this will be announced on Friday next week (14<sup>th</sup>) The winning house will then have their non-uniform day!

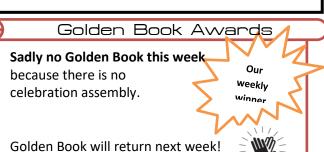
#### Cricket

Wiltshire Cricket are running All Stars and Dynamos Cricket programme during half term. The two programmes, All Star Cricket for children aged 5 to 8 years old and Dynamos Cricket for children aged 8 to 11 years old will run at Five Rivers Leisure Centre from 10.30am to 3pm on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October and Friday 27 October. For further information go to

https://ecb.clubspark.uk/Dynamos/Course/f923b567-a300-46a4-838b-abc60087d343

# **Dolce Tasting Session**

Would you like to find out more about Dolce School Catering? On Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2022 from 3pm you can come to the school hall and sample the latest menu, find out more about pre-ordering and payment options and speak with a member of the Dolce team about all aspects of their service.



# Dates for your diary...

- 10.10.22 ~ Parents Evening ~ 3:30pm-6:30pm
- 12.10.22 ~ Parents Evening ~ 4:00pm-7:00pm
- 14.10.22 ~ Announce winning house for the term (house points)
- 14.10.22 ~ Fancy Dress Disco (pending final confirmation) ~ Hall ~ 6-7pm KS1 and 7:15-8:30pm KS2
- 19.10.22 ~ Non-uniform day (no charge) for winning house (announced 14<sup>th</sup> Oct)
- 19.10.22 ~ Break up end of Term 1 ~ 3:15pm
- 31.10.22 ~ School Re-opens for Term 2
- 04.11.22 ~ PSA Pre-Loved uniform sale ~ 3.15pm
- 17/18.11.22 ~ Yr 6 Bikeability
- 02.12.22 ~ PSA Pre-Loved uniform sale ~ 3.15pm
- 07.12.22 ~ KS1 Nativity ~ School Hall ~ 10:15am ~ save the date
- 07.12.22 ~ Reception Nativity ~ School Hall ~ 2pm ~ save the date
- 08.12.22 ~ Reception Nativity ~ School Hall ~ 10am ~ save the date
- 08.12.22 ~ KS1 Nativity ~ School Hall ~ 2pm ~ save the date
- 08.12.22 ~ KS1 Nativity ~ School Hall ~ 6pm ~ save the date
- 09.12.22 ~ Christmas Fayre and a special visit from Father Christmas!
- 12.12.22 ~ KS2 Carol Service ~ All children in Years 3-6 ~ St Osmund's Church ~ all welcome
- 16.12.22 ~ Break up end of Term 2 ~ 1:30pm



Mr R Sanderson Headteacher

#### **School Applications for Secondary School**

Will your child be transferring to Secondary School in September 2023? You MUST apply for a Secondary School place. Apply online at wiltshire.gov.uk or complete an application form, available from all Wiltshire Council offices. The deadline is midnight on 31 October 2022. Contact Customer Services on 01225 713010 for more information.

#### Reception places for September 2023

Will your child be four years old before September 2023? You MUST apply for a primary school place. Apply online as above, the deadline for applications is midnight on 15 January 2023. We have been conducting show arounds, just book with the school office ©

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