

Newsletter 16th June 2023

Dear parents

You will have seen the notice that Governors have opened a consultation on conversion to academy status and joining Ashmole Trust. Please do take part in the consultation. https://www.osidgeschool.org/academisation/

Lots going on this week in school!

We had our Great Science Share on Tuesday, welcoming 3 year olds from a local nursery and 15 year olds from secondary schools to come and work with us on different investigations. Classes also worked cross-phase sharing and teaching each other science they had been learning about. My thanks to Mrs Mahir for organising this great event.

It has also been national Healthy Eating Week and the children have been finding out about different foods and their benefits. There has been a lot of cooking going on too using the brilliant facilities in our lab. There is some really useful information for parents going out with this newsletter. Thanks to Mrs Suleyman for all her input.

Y5 classes both had inspiring sharing assemblies this week focused on environmental issues. It was a lovely showcase of how a topic of work is brought together across the curriculum at Osidge and with hugely important messages for us to be acting on. As part of their work, Y5 have been learning about energy sources and it was a perfect opportunity for the to learn about the impact that the new heat source pumps that are being installed, behind the wooden fence in the front playground, will have on reducing Osidge's carbon footprint.

Y5 & Y6 had an hard hitting road safety workshop which brought home the importance of being vigilant out and about and there was a lovely KS1 sporting event at Burnt Oak Leisure Centre.

Going out with the newsletter this week are the meeting notes from the *What the Head Said* session I had with the class reps last week.

Parents we need you! With only 3 weeks to go until the summer fair on 8th July, **please sign up and get involved.** Without parents' support we cannot run these great events. Now that our nature garden is complete, we are fundraising to improve our tech provision in school so that we can buy some new devices for children to use in the classrooms. Your help will all help to help the children!

Have a lovely weekend! Jen Brodkin

Diary

June 2023	
21 st	Reception End of Year Concert
22 nd	Chocolate Workshop Year 3
22 nd	Year 4 Play 9.15 Upper Hall
23 rd	Reception & KS1 Sports Day 9.15
29 th	3 Store Trip 5D
30 th	3 Store Trip 5M

July 2023	
3 rd	KS2 Sports Week
5 th	Year 1 Show 9.15
6 th	London Zoo Year 3
8 th	Summer Fair 12 – 3pm
11 th	Year 6 Play cast A
12 th	Trent Park Reception
13 th	Year 6 Play cast B
14 th	parent Support Group
19 th	Leaver Ceremony Year 6
19 th	BBQ & Disco After School Year 6
21 st	Last day of Term



Osidge in Bloom Box

Congratulations to our Osidge in Bloom Winners

Golden Watering Can Best Garden Winner 2023 – 1J

Original Design winner – 4T

Education Garden winner – Y6

Thank you to Daniel Class 3S for donating a book to the class library



Osidge Summer Fun day

Cake Stall

Please support the cake stall by bringing in your homemade bakes on the day.









Plant stall

Please bring in any seedling/plant donations for the plant stall on Friday 7 July (drop off or pick up).

Book stall

Please save your preloved /second hand kids books and bring them in on Friday 7 July (drop off or pick up).



We need your help!

Volunteers are needed on the day (Saturday 8 July) to set up, help run the stalls, and tidy up. If you can help, please let your class rep know or email <u>osidgeschoolassociation@gmail.com</u>

Thank you for your support!









Bookings for instrumental music tuition for the Autumn term 2023 are now open.

New parents: https://beatrust.org.uk/enrol/school-based-instrumental-lessons/

Here you can register for an account and apply for lessons.

The deadline for new students to enrol is midnight on the 7th July.

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Guitar, woodwind and recorder lessons are **NOT** booked through BEAT

Contact Jane McNeill for woodwind & recorder lessons on 07530 228982

Contact Finn Kebbe for guitar lessons on finnkebbe@gmail.com

School Sports Event



Sports Day for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – 23rd June-9.15am parents welcome



Sports week for KS2 week beginning 3rd July

Pupils will participate in various activities throughout the week – no parent attendance

