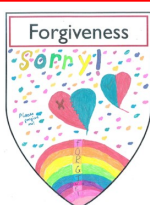


Oldswinford Cof E Primary School

'Believe, achieve and shine brighter together'



Summer Newsletter: 23rd June 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a super week with sports day, a disco, Year 2 walk around the local area, meeting our new reception children for the first time and Year 5 visited Redhill. I must say a huge thank you to our wonderful PTA who supported Sports Day and organised and ran a disco for us to enjoy! The date for the Summer Fair has also been shared: Sunday 16th July. We hope to see lots of you there! Have a lovely weekend,
Ellie Game

Attendance

Reception - 97.9%

Year 1 - 98.3%

Year 2 - 95.3%

Year 3 - 95.1%

Year 4 - 98.9%

Year 5 - 98.6%

Year 6 - 96.4%

Well done **Year 4** for having the best attendance!

Value of the half term...

Belonging

This week, Mrs Seker led a worship linked to the anniversary of Windrush. They shared the book "Granny Came Here on the Empire Windrush". She linked this to our value of belonging really well as the children thought about the impact the story had on them and how important it was to help people feel like they belong.

SEN update

Every month, Dudley produce a bulletin which focuses on SEND news, needs and provision. If you would like to receive a copy, please sign up here:

<https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKDUDLEYMBBC/signup/31736>

June's bulletin includes information about SEND swimming and soft play sessions, a consultation about Specialist Early Years hubs and updates to Dudley's local offer.

Sports Day

In case you couldn't make it to sports day here are the results...

For KS1 and KS2 combined:

1st place: St Patrick

2nd place: St George

3rd place: St David

4th place: St Andrew

Well done to everyone who took part and for all your support. It was a great day!

Picnic

On Tuesday 25th July, we break up for our summer holiday. We would like to end our year by inviting you to school to join us for a picnic at 12pm (weather permitting). We did this for the Jubilee last year and it was such a lovely event to see all our families on the field together. At our last picnic, we allowed children to go home when they had finished eating - which most families decided to do. We are happy for this to happen again but school will be open as normal for any remaining children who need it. Please note that After School Club will not run on this day. More info to follow.



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