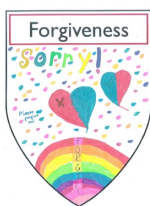


Oldswinford Cof E Primary School

'Believe, achieve and shine brighter together'



Summer Newsletter: 24th March 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

OFSTED update: we are still awaiting our report but in the mean time we have collated all the responses from the parent questionnaire to share with you as there are so many things to celebrate! I have included them on the next page of the newsletter for you to see - thank you to everyone who took the time to fill it in. We are not able to see any of the comments that you wrote but I would like to offer anyone the opportunity to come and discuss any issues with me - either on the gate or in a meeting. Please just come and see me.

Have a wonderful weekend and see you all on Monday.

Ellie Game

Value of the half term...

Confidence

This week Miss Barrows shared the story of a little boy who lost confidence in himself when he missed a shot on the basketball court. This led to a conversation about all the people around him who had confidence in him so he could begin to see it in himself again. We then linked this to our lives and how we could help give our friends confidence. We then looked at how Jesus had confidence and who had confidence in him.

Attendance

Reception - 96.7%
Year 1 - 97.3%
Year 2 - 93.3%
Year 3 - 95.3%
Year 4 - 96.7%
Year 5 - 96.7%
Year 6 - 99.1%

Well done Year 6 for having the best attendance this week! 99% is fantastic!

We're supporting



World Autism Acceptance Week

27 March - 2 April 2023

Next week is 'World Autism Acceptance Week.' We will be focussing on this in our whole school worship on Monday and watching this video: Amazing Things Happen - by Alexander Amelines - YouTube

As an inclusive school, we feel it is important to be educated about and celebrate our diverse nature, whether that be in terms of ethnicity, culture, religion, or in this case, neurodiversity.

Your children may come home with some questions about Autism and we would encourage them to have a healthy curiosity and meaningful discussions about what has been raised. This website is also full of useful information: The National Autistic Society- <https://www.autism.org.uk/>

OCEPS OFSTED PARENT VIEW REPORT

98%

*of parents/carers say
that their child is happy
at OCEPS*

96%

*of parents/carers
think OCEPS makes
sure its pupils are
well behaved.*

98%

*of parents/carers say
their child feels safe at
OCEPS*

93%

*of parents/carers say that OCEPS
supports their child's wider personal
development*

95%

*of parents/carers say that they would
recommend OCEPS to another parent.*

97%

*of parents/carers say their child can take part in clubs and
activities at this school.*

89%

*of parents/carers say
OCEPS has high
expectations for
their child.*

94%

*of parents/carers say
their child does well
at OCEPS.*

93%

*of parents/carers say that OCEPS lets
them know how their child is doing.*

92%

*of parents/carers say that OCEPS
makes them aware of what their child
will learn during the year.*



We have been lucky enough to be able to order a new piece of climbing equipment for our reception children to use. This means that we no longer need this play frame. If you would like it, or you know someone who might, please come and speak to Mrs Game.

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Holiday Activity Fun

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RUGBY

When?
3rd to 7th & 10th to 14th April 2023
10:00AM - 2:00PM (incl bank holidays)

What?
Freshly prepared hot lunch*
*all dietary requirements catered for
Sports
Arts & Crafts

Who?
Ages 5-16 & receive free school meals

Contact
clarkson.mcleod@community-group.co.uk

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Easter Tennis

Week 1: 4th-6th April
Week 2: 11th-13th April

Camps running at Stourbridge Lawn Tennis and Squash Club for children aged 4-16 years of all levels.

9am – 3pm
Full and half
days available



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EASTER RUGBY CAMPS



11 / 12 / 13 APRIL



- 9.30AM-2.30PM EVERYDAY*
- BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 5-13
- RUGBY PACKED DAYS! COACHED BY STOURBRIDGE RUGBY 1ST XV PLAYERS AND COMMUNITY DEPARTMENT COACHES

BOOK ONLINE: WWW.CLUBS-HUB.COM/STOURBRIDGERUGBY

CONTACT: COMMUNITY@STOURBRIDGERUGBY.COM

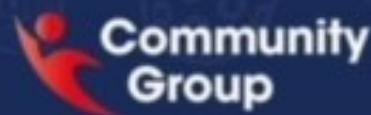
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*PRICED AT £2.50 PER CHILD PER OPTION. WE ALSO OFFER EARLY DROP OFF (8AM) AND LATE PICK UP (UNTIL 3PM) ON ALL DAYS.

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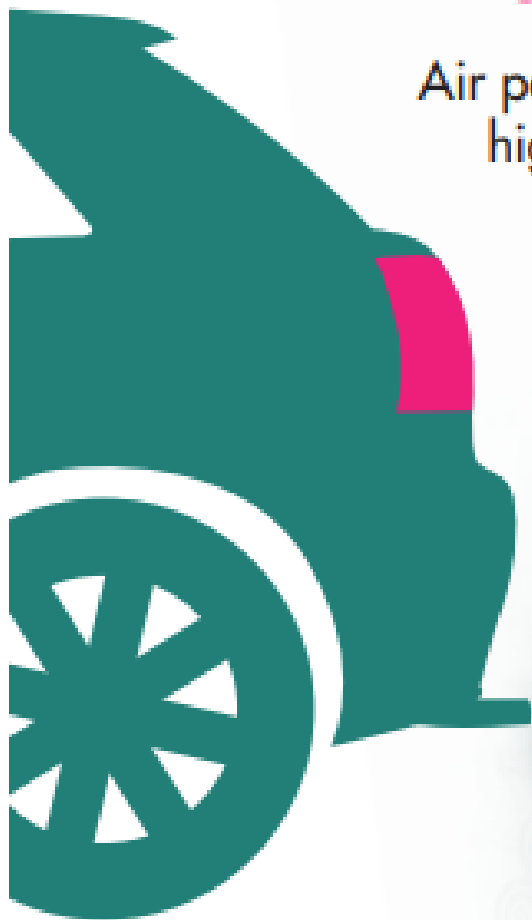
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- asthma
- lung disease
- cancer
- dementia
- stroke
- mental health problems
- miscarriage
- low birth weight

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