

Osmotherley Primary School



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Wednesday 27th March 2019



Thank you to everyone who supported our World Book Day 'Booky- Breakfast'. It was lovely to see the children in their costumes and even better to see how much they were enjoying sharing books with the adults. The hot cross buns went down very well too! (Photos of the event are in the gallery on the website). The children are immersed in their 'Rivers' topic and they are already becoming very familiar with the symphony, Vltava. Last week, the Oaks class walked down the Valley Steps to Cod Beck to observe the river's features and to look for signs of litter or pollution. The experience will help them to plan a persuasive letter, encouraging visitors to the river to respect the environment. This week, the Acorns class will also be exploring the river and looking for inspiration for their own musical compositions. When the children from both classes have composed their pieces of music we will be inviting you to watch them perform at the river after the Easter holidays.
Miss Bamber

 There will be a Mothering Sunday Service at St Peter's Church this Sunday 30th March at 10.45am. Children will be invited to collect flowers to give to anyone who cares for them and refreshments will be served.

 **Community Coffee Morning—Tuesday 2nd April**
This month the coffee morning is supporting Osmotherley Primary School. 

Egg Rolling and Egg Decoration Competition
The annual egg rolling event will take place on Wednesday 10th April so remember to bring in your hard boiled egg (and maybe a spare). This year the theme for the egg decoration competition is: 'Leading by Egg-sample' Winners will be announced at the celebration assembly on Thursday 11th April. 

Dance Workshop and Performance
Phoenix Dance Theatre - Tuesday 9th April
 The Acorns and the Oaks will both be taking part in dance workshops delivered by the Phoenix Dance Theatre. The dance workshops will be based on our topic 'Where the Music takes Us' and there will be a short performance for parents in the school hall at 3pm.

 Mrs Walton was very proud of the netball and hockey teams that represented Osmotherley School, at tournaments held at Stokesley School last week and the week before. Both teams gave 100% and, although they didn't win this time, a child from Osmotherley was chosen by all the teachers and young leaders at both events for the 'Fair Play Award'. Congratulations to Cassien and Oliver. We are very proud of you!

DATES FOR DIARIES

Rural Arts workshop	Thursday 28th March Acorns am Oaks pm
Mothering Sunday Service St Peters Church	Sunday 30th March 10.45am
Community Coffee Morning	Tuesday 2nd April 9-11.30am
Beacon Partnership Inter-School Spelling Bee	Wednesday 3rd April 2019
Open Morning Oaks	Thursday 4th April 9-10am
Open Morning Acorns	Friday 5th April 9-10am
Phoenix Dance Workshop Performance	Tuesday 9th April Performance 3pm
Egg rolling / Egg Decoration judging	Wednesday 10th April
Celebration Assembly and Presentation to Teesside Hospice	Thursday 11th April 9-9.30am
Vision Day	Thursday 11th April 9.30—11am
Break Up for Easter	Friday 12th April 2019
Training Day	Monday 29th April 2019
Return to School for the Summer Term	Tuesday 30th April 2019
SATs Week KS2	Monday 13th— Thursday 16th May
Northallerton Area Symphony Orchestra, Northallerton Music Centre	Saturday 18th May
SATs Week KS1	Monday 20th— Thursday 24th May
'Where the Music Takes Us' concert, Shildon Railway Museum	Sunday 23rd June



Vision Day 2019—Thursday 11th April



Parents, governors and members of our community are invited to join the children and staff at Osmotherley School for the 3rd of our annual Vision Days. We will be reviewing the actions from the Vision Day last year and looking for new ideas and suggestions to improve our school. We will be focusing on how the curriculum at Osmotherley School can best meet the needs of our children and provide them with the best possible foundation to build successful and happy futures. We would also like to play an active and supportive role in our local community. I hope that as many people as possible will come to this event and share their ideas and suggestions.

After School Clubs



Unusual Sports

Tuesday 3.30—4.30pm

Football

Fridays 3.30—4.30pm

(for more details see SCSS flyer sent home at the end of last half term or call at the office for a copy)

Morning Mile

Every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

8.25 am—8.55 am

All Y1 - Y6 pupils and parents are welcome to join us for a run (FS children can join in too if they are accompanied by an adult).

Chess Club

Chess Club with Mr Thomsett continues on Tuesday lunchtimes.

HOLIDAY CLUB

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BOOK ANY DAYS AT HOLIDAY CLUB DURING THE EASTER HOLIDAYS, PLEASE LET GILL HUNTON KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Payments to School

ParentPay

ParentPay is now up and running and we hope that all parents will use this system for payments to school from now on. Please contact the school office if you require any further information, help or advice with the new system Thank you.

PHILOSOPHY CLUB

Philosophy Club continues on Thursday afternoons from 3.30—4.30pm.

The club is open to children in KS2 (Y3 to Y6).

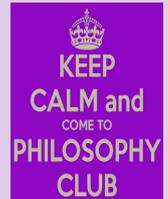
Please let Miss Bamber know if your child would like to attend.

Club Dates this half term:

Thursday 28th March

Thursday 4th April

(Cost £4 per session—payment can be made by ParentPay)



After School

Minecraft Club



Minecraft Club continues on Wednesdays from 3.30 –4.30pm. School iPads are provided but children are also welcome to bring their own devices, which can be stored in the school office during the day. Letters have been sent out to all children from Y1 –Y6, including instructions for booking online and payment.

If your child is absent, please telephone or email School before 9am to let us know.

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Please don't forget to inform school of any changes to your emergency contact details .