





Old Oak Primary School Update

Friday, 24th November 2023

Dear families,

It's been another busy week at Old Oak!

***TRIP TO THE LION KING ***

On Tuesday evening, a group of Year 5 and 6 children went on an exciting trip to the Lyceum Theatre in central London to watch the stage production of The Lion King. The children hugely enjoyed the live theatre experience where they saw the fabulous set and costumes, heard the familiar songs and watched the story unfold. The late night was worth it as many of them are already saying they can't wait to go again!



PARENT MEETINGS – MONDAY 27th NOVEMBER

Please make sure you attend the parent meeting next Monday, 27th November. It is important that you understand your child's strengths and areas for development. Meetings for nursery and Olive class will also take place on Wednesday 29th.

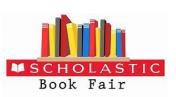
PARENT WORKSHOP: TUESDAY 28th NOVEMBER

Resilience – our mental health partner, Agata Bogdanowicz, is running a FREE online workshop for parents and carers on helping children to improve their resilience on Tuesday 28th November at 9.30am. All you need is to follow the link which will be sent to you on Monday. This workshop will provide families with fantastic tools, strategies and information to support their child/children.

FUND-RAISIN

We are 'raisin' funds and hope to get you all involved. Every child has received a box of raisins home with them today. Once your child has eaten the healthy treat we are asking them to fundraise from friends and family and fill the small box with coins. Perhaps they could complete some simple jobs in return for some money. The children should return their raisin box by the 8th December. The class who raise the most will get an extra football session with Mike our QPR partner! Donations will be used to buy resources for the school. Please don't worry about what goes into the box – any donation is most appreciated however big or small.

BOOK FAIR: TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY NEXT WEEK



The scholastic book fair will be visiting school next week. The stall will be in the lower hall Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3.30 – 4.00pm. This is always a lovely opportunity to browse books with your child and talk with them about the stories they enjoy.

*INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS *

The school photographer visited on Thursday, taking individual photos of all the children throughout the school and also groups of siblings. These photos are always a wonderful memento of their time at Old Oak. The proof copies will be sent to us soon, which will then be sent home with your child along with instructions of how to order. So look out for this in the coming weeks.

*CHRISTMAS CARD PROJECT ORDERS *



You will have received an order card this week, displaying festive art work your child has created. A variety of items can be ordered displaying the art work such as Christmas Cards, mugs, magnets and more. To order please scan the QR code – all orders must be made by 1.12.23.

HOLIDAY EVENTS AT THE COMMUNITY CENTRE

Over the Winter Break, there will be some exciting **FREE** activities happening at the Old Oak Community Centre.

Friday 22nd December: Ho Ho Ho Christmas Theatre Show

Tuesday 2nd - Friday 5th January: Christmas Holiday Club

Both events must be booked in advance by emailing bubblesqueakeat@gmail.com

Please see the attached flyers for more information:

* FESTIVE DATES FOR THE DIARY*



We have drawn up our dates for Christmas:

Thursday 7th December – Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children

Tuesday 12th December – H&F Christmas Festival for members of the school choir and their families

Wednesday 13th December – Christmas Lunch in school

Wednesday 13th December – Christmas Disco for children after school from 3.30-4.30pm

Friday 15th December – Christmas parties in class and a visit from Santa

Tuesday 19th December – Nativity performance for EYFS and KS1 families in the lower hall at 10.00am

Thursday 21st December – term ends at 1.30pm

More information on these events will follow soon.



OTHER DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 27th November – Parent/Carer Meetings

Have a peaceful and restful weekend!

Mrs Beardsworth and Mr Brown



WORMWOOD SCRUBS PONY CENTRE CHRISTMAS MARKET SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER OPENS 11.15 PM CLOSES 2.15PM



 12.30 PM
 CHRISTMAS PARADE & ARRIVAL OF FATHER XMAS

 12.40 PM
 RIDING DISPLAYS

 1 PM
 35 YEARS AGO THE 1ST PONY CENTRE CHRISTMAS

 1-2 PM
 PONY RIDES FOR SMALL CHILDREN

 1.30 PM
 VISIT THE CHRISTMAS STABLE & DONKEYS

HOT FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE VISIT FATHER CHRISTMAS CHRISTMAS STALLS ENTER THE CHRISTMAS PONY CAKE COMPETITION TROPHIES FOR THE WINNERS

TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE & MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

LAUNCHING THE 35TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR 1989 - 2024

Wormwood Scrubs Pony Centre Registered Charity 1045045 Ho, Ho, Ho Christmas Theatre show

book, it's free!!

Don't forget to

and Christmas Craft Workshop

Join us for a cracking Christmas event A Christmas Show, Arts & Crafts Workshop and healthy snacks provided

On Friday 22nd December At Old Oak Community Centre W12 0AP 11am - 1.45

This is a drop off session Spaces must be booked in advance bubblesqueakeat@gmail.com Age 5 -12yrs

**FREE FOR ALL*