

NEWSLETTER: 26TH OCTOBER 2018



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Dates for the Diary

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| • Every Tuesday | Year 4 swimming lessons – make sure you bring in swim kit each week |
| • Fri 26th October | Rec – Year 6 Fab finishes |
| • Fri 26th October | Last day of term |
| • Mon 5th November | BACK TO SCHOOL! |
| • Tues 6th November | Year 4 Allotment trip |
| • Thurs 8th November | Reception – Phonics workshop 9.am |
| • Wed 7th November | Dance Workshops – during school |
| • Thurs 8th November | Dance Workshops – during school |
| • Friday 9th November | Day of Peace |
| • Thurs 6th December | Christmas Fayre |



Sparkle & Shine Assembly



Well done to the following pupils who have celebrated their achievements in our recent sparkle and shine assemblies.

5th October

Jack Walker
Toby Machon
Mikolaj Zemajduk
Sophia Woodward
Jasmina Sandorova
Cael Greaves
Frantisek Ziga

Alex Chrobok
Wade Fairweather
Shannelle Kelly
Lily-May Ogden
Devante Lilley
Alex White

Poppies

Poppies are on sale in the reception in aid of Remembrance Sunday. Please pop in to make a purchase and support this worthy cause.

- Poppies: (Stick on – no pins)
- Friendship bracelets
- Slap rulers
- Wrist bands
- Poppy reflectors
- Pencils and much more.....



Christmas Fayre

The school is holding a Christmas Fayre on Thursday 6th December! Do you or any family friends want to run a market stall? There will be an initial charge of £10 per stall – but that is all! If you would like to book a stall then please get in touch with school and speak with Mrs Singleton to reserve a space. They will be allocated on first come first serve basis.



Young Voices choir

Just a reminder that children who are part of the Young Voices choir need to attend the practice each Thursday – and remember to practice the songs during half term!

Payment of £25.00 for coach, T-shirt etc is due by Friday 9th November.



Scarecrow Competition

Here at Oasis Academy Watermead we work closely with many community projects, one of which is the amazing Firth Park Community Allotment. Each year the allotment takes part in an annual scarecrow competition and this year they have asked for our help, so we have decided to run our very own scarecrow competition!

This competition is open to all 'Watermeaders': children, parents, families, and staff! All you have to do is create your very own family-friendly scarecrow. So, here are the rules:

- All entries must be in school by Wednesday 7th November
- All entries will be donated to the allotments
- Scarecrows can be in any family-friendly shape or form, no characters from horror films please. Ideas could range from: human scarecrows, Disney Princesses, Peppa Pig, Superheroes, animals, insects. Imaginative ideas are very very welcome!
- Please complete an entry form and attach this to your scarecrow in some way so that we know which scarecrow is yours.



Prizes will be given to the creators of the scarecrows awarded 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Also, a certificate will be awarded to each entry. With your permission, after the competition the scarecrows will be collected by the allotment to show in their annual competition.

School Dinner Money



Just a reminder that all school dinner money needs to be paid for in full to the office on a Monday morning. Please bring in correct money as change is limited.

- The new prices are £2.24 per day or £11.20 per week.

Flu Vaccinations

Intra Health will be coming into school on Monday 12th November to administer flu vaccinations to the children in Reception and Years 1-5. Please ensure you return your consent forms by Wed 7th November.

Don't forget to put your clocks back!!

Daylight Savings Time is coming to an end and it is time to put the clocks back 1 hour and get ready for winter!

At 2am on Sunday 28th October remember to put your clocks back and gain an extra hour in bed!



Have a fun, safe half term and look forward to seeing you all back at school on Monday 5th November.