



Old Sarum Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 8th February 2019



Learners of the Week 1st February...

Reception

Miley &
Venetia

Year 1

Kieran &
Armani

Year 2

Jennifer

Year 3

Lily-Jade

Year 4

Tilly

Year 5

Edel-Mariae

Year 6

Jay

Well Done!!

Books

Recently a year 2 pupil—Adam—contacted author Laura James telling her about our school fundraiser readathon to raise money for the school library and asking her what she remembers about her school library. Well on Tuesday 29th January the school received in the post 3 of Laura James' books, one being her newest publication Pirate Pug. Along with the books came a postcard saying how Adam had been in contact and that she wanted to send the books for our school library. She has also signed each of the books. So thank you very much to Adam for making this effort.

Readathon

Thank you to all who took part and help sponsor your child/children. There has been a fantastic response so far with a good amount of money raised. Remember the deadline for returning sponsor forms, money and reading records is the end of Monday 11th February.

Valentines Disco

This years PTA Valentines disco will be on Valentines day. Children are asked to wear something red. £2 entry on the door with reception classes, year 1 and year 2 at 5.30pm-6.30pm and KS2 7pm-8pm. Remember no mobile phones allowed and parents are to drop their children off and collect at the end of the disco. Sadly there isn't the room to be able to stay.

Book Donation

Many thanks to the mystery donor of books at the school office. They have been gratefully received and will be utilised by the children in our school library.

Governor

Have you ever thought about becoming a governor at Old Sarum Primary School? Well now's your opportunity. We are looking for new governors. More information can be found on the third page of this newsletter.

Sickness

Please see below advice from the NHS regarding Diarrhoea and Vomiting.

Do

- stay at home and get plenty of rest
- drink lots of fluids, such as water or squash – take small sips if you feel sick
- eat when you feel able to – you don't need to eat or avoid any specific foods
- take paracetamol if you're in discomfort – check the leaflet before giving it to your child

Don't

- do not have fruit juice or fizzy drinks – they can make diarrhoea worse
- do not give children under 12 medicine to stop diarrhoea
- do not give aspirin to children under 16

How long diarrhoea and vomiting last

In adults and children:

- diarrhoea usually stops within 5 to 7 days
- vomiting usually stops in 1 or 2 days

Diarrhoea and vomiting can spread easily Important

- Stay off school or work until you have not been sick or had diarrhoea for at least 2 days (48 hours).

To help avoid spreading an infection:

Do

- wash your hands with soap and water frequently
- wash any clothing or bedding that has poo or vomit on it separately on a hot wash
- clean toilet seats, flush handles, taps, surfaces and door handles every day

Don't

- prepare food for other people, if possible
- share towels, flannels, cutlery or utensils
- use a swimming pool until 2 weeks after the symptoms stop

Learners of the Week 8th February...

Year 1

Adriana &
Katie-Louise

Year 2

Harry

Year 3

Lexie

Year 4

Eloise

Year 5

Jessica

Year 6

Ege

Well Done!!

Attendance 1st February

Pipers	83.33%
Tiger Moths	92.50%
Harriers	90.43%
Hawks	87.92%
Tornados	91.11%
Falcons	91.25%
Lynx	90.52%
Lysanders	85.00%
Apaches	84.76%

Lateness

Pipers	0.83%
Tiger Moths	0.42%
Harriers	0.43%
Hawks	2.09%
Tornados	0.00%
Falcons	0.31%
Lynx	0.66%
Lysanders	0.00%
Apaches	0.48%

Attendance 8th February

Pipers	81.20%
Tiger Moths	97.75%
Harriers	95.65%
Hawks	91.25%
Tornados	96.67%
Falcons	96.67%
Lynx	92.26%
Lysanders	97.29%
Apaches	93.33%

Lateness

Pipers	0.80%
Tiger Moths	0.82%
Harriers	0.43%
Hawks	0.00%
Tornados	0.00%
Falcons	0.00%
Lynx	1.30%
Lysanders	0.00%
Apaches	0.00%

Important Dates...

14.02.2019	Valentines Disco
15.02.2019	Reports
15.02.2019	Term 3 Ends
18.02.2019	Half Term
25.02.2019	Start of Term 4
26.02.2019	Parents Evening
27.02.2019	Parents Evening
13.03.2019	World Book Day
15.03.2019	Orienteering—Selected pupils only
05.04.2019	End of Term 4
23.04.2019	Start of Term 5
26.04.2019	Year 3 Trip to Mayflower
03.05.2019	Year 3 Playhouse Project
13.05.2019	Year 2 SATs
06.05.2019	Bank holiday—no school
18.05.2019	Salisbury Schools Mini Marathon
24.05.2019	End of Term 5
03.06.2019	Start of Term 6
18.07.2019	End of term disco
24.07.2019	End of term 6
25.07.2019	TDD



OLD SARUM PRIMARY SCHOOL

VALENTINES DISCO

THURSDAY 14TH FEBRUARY 2019

5:30PM – 6.30PM RECEPTION/KS1

7PM – 8PM KS2

PLEASE WEAR SOMETHING RED!!

**£2 entry on the door and don't forget extra
money for the tuck shop – drink, sweets,
chocolate and crisps are available.**

**Parents can drop off and MUST collect at the
end of the disco, please can we remind you
that NO mobile phones are allowed!**





Old Sarum Primary School



needs **YOU!!!**

Could YOU help fill the gap in the Governing Body?
We need several new Governors.

But won't it be boring?

Never boring! Interesting and challenging and a sense of humour is a must!

But I am in the Armed Forces.

Your input would be very useful whenever you can get to meetings.

But I am not very confident in speaking in front of others.

We are a small and friendly team. You will find your confidence will grow.

BUT



But, I am far too busy!

Most governors have work and other commitments. We only need have 3 or 4 meetings per term.

But, I don't know anything about how schools are run!

Don't worry – you don't need specialist knowledge or qualifications and you will receive information and training.

So why not ditch the BUTS and give it a go? You will have a rewarding experience. You will develop your personal and team skills and most importantly, you will be helping to make Old Sarum Primary an even better school for the children in our community.