

Johanna Newsletter 24

Week Ending Friday 19th March 2021

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Message from the Principal ...



Interviews for your new Principal took place on Wednesday. As part of the process, the candidates had to endure a staff panel of questions and a pupil panel. Many thanks to Bintu for being part of the process, she impressed John Murphy, our CEO, with her wisdom.

I am very pleased to tell you that Ms Dawn Venn has been appointed. Dawn has over 20 years of experience in education and will be able to continue the development of Johanna and the Hub. She will work with me over the summer term to ensure a smooth and sensible handover.

Enjoy your weekend, spring is here.

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All children in Years 3 to 6 are being given a healthy snack at each break time for the remainder of this term.

Magic Breakfast

#KeepingBreakfastGoing

Our school is partnered with Magic Breakfast whose mission is to ensure that no child starts the day too hungry to learn.

Throughout the pandemic, Magic Breakfast provided healthy food to our school and are continuing to do so. We want to make sure that any of our families, who need a little extra help at this difficult time, can receive one of the free Magic Breakfast food packs to their home.

The food packs contain a box of cereal/porridge, New York Bakery Co. bagels and they are available free of charge to any of our school families. If you would like to receive a package, please contact the school office.



magic
breakfast
fuel for learning

LET'S CELEBRATE!

Times Table Superstars



Year	2, 5 & 10
2	Nia Dylan

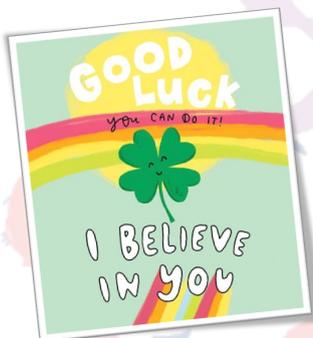


National Oasis Community
Learning Sumdog Contest

THE CONTEST STARTS TODAY!

Things to remember:

- ✓ You can play at any time.
- ✓ Scores are based on correct numbers.
- ✓ A class score is the average of the scores of all students from that class who take part.
- ✓ To appear on the leader board, at least 5 students from a class need to play.



As some students have limited computer access, every student is limited to 1000 contest questions.

It started today at 8am, and finishes at 8pm on March 25.

Wednesday 9th September 2020

L.I: I can sound out words about Space.



Planet Earth
We live on the moon
Good John



John was working hard from home during the lockdown. He found handwriting difficult at the start of the year so spent lots of time on this at home. We are all very proud of how hard he has worked. Look at the difference between September and now!

We are especially impressed because John finds it a bit harder to control his arm and leg movements so handwriting is even harder for him. He refused to give up and look at the results!

Well done John!!

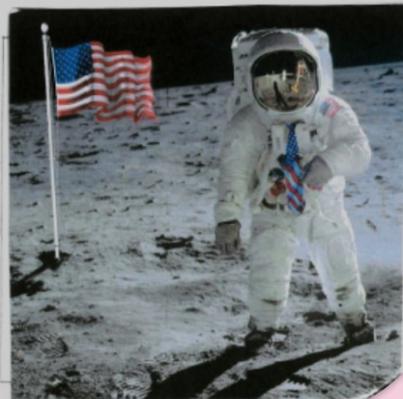
The Daily Moon News
21st July 1969

Neil on the Moon!



They wanted the US flag to be the first on the moon. The crew had to walk all the way there but Armstrong was lucky. He was the first!

Yesterday will be a great day to remember. Three men went to space to walk on the moon.



Red Nose Day 2021

Thank you for your support in raising funds for Comic Relief.

The children looked amazing!





Today we raised £150



If you would like to make a donation, please donate on our Just Giving page below:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/oasis-academy-johanna-rednoseday21>

All donations will be donated to Comic Relief who supports projects around the world.

For further information go visit: <https://www.comicrelief.com/what-your-money-does/>

Hub... and Other News



OASIS COMMUNITY FRIDGE OPENING DAY: FRIDAY 5TH MARCH 2PM - 5PM

The community fridge pilot will be launched to share food in Waterloo. Any community members can donate and pick up fresh food for free as part of our project to reduce waste and improve our access to healthy food.

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This is for everyone - if you want to go and swap a beetroot for a carrot you can!

So far Community Fridges have helped thousands of people to:



Access nutritious food



Reduce food waste



Save money

Hub Newsletter



Newsletter
March 2021

Keeping you updated with news from
Oasis Hub Waterloo

We wanted to keep you updated with news from across the Hub, and let you know how different parts of our Oasis family are doing. Keep an eye out for regular newsletters updating you all.

We're so excited to see our students back in schools and to start running our projects again! We'll be working with Mr Lewis and Student Parliament to increase students' voice in our projects. We'll also be working with Mrs Richardson and Heads of Year to help students get back into healthy habits.

We also launched a Community Fridge based at Oasis Playspace which we are excited about.



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HEALTHSPACE



FOODBANK AND ADVICE CENTRE

We have some new members of the advice centre team to introduce you to! Ellie - is our new Advice Centre Coordinator working with our Foodbank and advice support

Thomasin - is our Advice Centre Caseworker and helps people with debt and benefits advice

If you need any support or want to get in touch with the team you can contact us on 020 7921 4205 or email welcome@oasiswaterloo.org and we'll put you in touch.

We're really excited our team is growing!

We're excited about re-opening our doors for in-person services, every Sunday at 11am from 28 March! If you'd like to come along, we'd love to see you - we've worked hard to ensure that we can open safely, within the Covid restrictions. One of those guidelines is that if you'd like to come, you'll need to sign up online first, at oasiswaterloo.org/events. We're also still running our Global Gathering - a short, informal church service for all, on Facebook Live, from 11-11.30am on Sundays at facebook.com/oasiswaterloo

OASIS CHURCH

This Easter, some of the young people in Yr 9 and Yr 10 who are a part of the Hub Youth sessions have begun making small craft projects that they hope to launch and sell this summer. Their goal is to earn some pocket money while learning transferable skills that promote an entrepreneurial spirit. Look out for their products and be sure to support them!

Despite lock-down our youth workers and therapists have continued to work in several local schools to support vulnerable students still onsite. We have also supported many more through virtual and doorsteps visits.

Our A&E team have not just supported young people- but delivered training to over 100 NHS staff around trauma informed work, understanding violence, and unconscious bias.



YOUTH

The Small Project is a Baby Clothes Bank that has been collaborating with Oasis and using the Playspace. Over the next few months Oasis will take the project under its wing. The service has been making bundles for families who have been picking them up.

Oasis Drop-In

Oasis Playspace – GMH Park, at the back of the Imperial War Museum

Mondays 10 -1pm and 2pm – 5pm

We are pleased and excited to announce the opening of Oasis Drop-In, opening on Monday 19th April.

Community members can drop in for some support with anything from letters, housing, form filling, benefit applications, signposting, or to register for our Debt or Family Support services. This is run by our Benefit & Debt Advice Caseworker, Thomasin, and Family Support Worker, Sonya. It will be a space for community members and parents to support one another, share experiences, develop new skills, share information/knowledge and access the many support services we have in place for you!

We will also be exploring different workshops running as part of the drop in.

Sessions will be run in a covid-secure way, please bring a mask. You can just turn up for the drop in – first come, first served, to book an appointment in advance by contact Sonya.Waller@oasiswaterloo.org

For any questions about what we do at Oasis Waterloo, get in touch!
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COMMUNITY AND FAMILIES

ACTIVE FAMILIES

Our Family Sports programme is getting up and running – or at least walking! – again. From 29th March we hope to offer lots of outdoor opportunities to get active. We'll be signing ourselves up for a community walking programme with the Mason Foundation – and we hope you'll join us. Keep an eye on our Oasis Waterloo Families Facebook page for session info.



FARM

Thank you to everyone who helped fundraise for a new fox-proof chicken coop on the farm! We hit our target and the new run is being installed next week. Our first Family Day on the Farm will be Sunday April 18th, 1 – 3pm. More booking information to follow.



Leslie McCrae, Head Chef at Oasis Academy South Bank, is set to embark on a 60+ mile walk in a bid to fundraise for free healthy snacks to be available for every student during break time.

“Through the past year we have been funding free breaktime snacks for all the children at OASB, taking away the inequality of the haves and the have nots, as it’s a stigma that many children find difficult to deal with and often go without food because of it.

Due to the obvious funding difficulties of recent times during the COVID-19 pandemic, I have decided to promote a healthy lifestyle and raise funds at the same time by walking overnight in the London to Brighton Challenge and hopefully you can help in any way that you can.”

To support Les' campaign to provide free break time snack to every student, please visit his donation page:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/leslie-mccrae-healthspace>

Lambeth *Free Childcare*

Are you missing out on free childcare?

Some families with two-year-olds and all families with three and four-year-olds can claim up to 15 hours a week of free registered childcare. Many working parents of three and four-year olds can claim up to 30 hours of free childcare each week.

Early learning with a registered childcare provider can help your child develop important language, physical and social skills during the years when their brain is developing the fastest. Your child will also have the opportunity to make friends, learn new skills and grow in confidence before they start school.

To receive funding for this Summer term, you'll need to make sure you apply by Wednesday 31 March.

For more information on what you're eligible for, how you can apply and advice on your childcare options, visit <https://love.lambeth.gov.uk/are-you-missing-out-on-free-childcare>



Low income families in Lambeth can get up to 15 hours a week free early learning for their two-year-old. Click on the image to find out more, including how to apply and the benefits of early learning.

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