



Oasis Academy Johanna Newsletter

Friday 4th March 2022

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YR Visit to Vauxhall City Farm

Even though it was pouring with rain, we had so much fun! The standout moments included feeding the sheep and the goats. The children were a bit scared at first, but they were all happy to have the animals feed out of their hands by the end - especially with the cheeky goats. They loved the ducks, turkeys and hens, and some children even stroked the rats! Olive

Dear parents and carers,

We have had a week of differing emotions this week, from the joy of dressing up for World Book Day to the poignant, thoughtful vigil for the people of Ukraine earlier today.

Reception Red Class's visit to Vauxhall City Farm was delightful - so good to see how brave the children were feeding the animals. There were plenty of smiles, despite the rainy weather. Thank you to all the families who supported and went with the class, we could not have done the visit without you.



Polling Day: Thurs 5th May 2022

Schools are often used as Polling Stations, and we have just had notification that our school will be used on Thursday 5th May 2022. School will be closed to all pupils on this day. I am sorry for the short notice and hope that this does not cause families too many difficulties.

Oasis Global Vigil

All Oasis schools and Hubs took part in a Global Vigil earlier today to think about the situation in Ukraine. Many children have had questions this week so they spent time in classes before the vigil, learning about what a vigil is and to help understand the situation, according to their age.

World Book Day

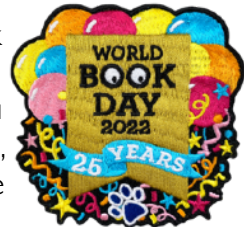
Such a great atmosphere in school yesterday with everyone guessing each other's costumes and props. The book sale was a great success, and we will announce next week how much we raised that will go back into helping buy new resources for school.

Have a super weekend.

Dawn, Principal

Gangster Granny takes over!

We were invaded yesterday with a plethora of book characters, and Gangster Granny was certainly a popular choice for staff and pupils! Thank you everyone who dressed up and joined in the fun, sharing your favourite books, characters and props. We were really impressed with everyone who creatively made their own costumes - turning what they have readily to hand into an amazing costume or prop, well done!



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Job Opportunity

For more information
visit [https://
www.ooclcareers.org/employer/
oasis-academy-johanna](https://www.ooclcareers.org/employer/oasis-academy-johanna)

TEACHING ASSISTANT

(Fixed Term till July 2022, Term Time Only)
SCP 5-7 £18,844.77-£19,530 (FTE £23,427-£24,279 per
annum pro rata) + LGPS

- Have you got a passion for helping children become great citizens and leaders of the future?
- Looking for a change of career or wanting to get back into the world of work after a longer career break?
- Children have grown up and you have more time and energy to devote to work?

There are many different reasons to join our amazing team and contribute to changing lives daily: “We help each other to be our best”.

Please contact Dawn (Principal) for a confidential conversation if you are interested in the school. Visits welcomed by appointment. Contact 020 7928 5814 or email info@oasisjohanna.org.

The role is subject to satisfactory completion of probationary period, reference checks and completion of enhanced DBS application.

We reserve the right to close this job advertisement once we receive an acceptable volume of suitable applications.

Oasis Global Vigil

All Oasis schools and Hubs in the UK joined in a global vigil at 10am this morning. Steve Chalk (Founder of Oasis) and Jill Rowe (Oasis Ethos and Formation Director) led a poignant time of reflection, leading staff and children to consider how we can be more compassionate for those who are suffering in our world, particularly in Ukraine at this time. Children had prepared for this in class with their teacher beforehand using age-appropriate resources and having discussions about what has been happening in our world.

We know that the Russian invasion is catastrophic for the whole population who need medical and food supplies and other vital services, and we also know that the psychological trauma of war will affect generations. We want to make a very practical response and so together are going to raise money to support those people who need this help urgently. **If every one of us (including all our children and young people) raises £2 each, we could contribute over £70k to support those who need help.** We will donate the money raised to the Association of Ukrainians in Great Britain – who we will work in partnership with to ensure this support gets to the right place most quickly. They are funding a number of accredited and registered Ukrainian charities to provide medicines, food and critical services to support the most vulnerable to overcome the consequences and trauma of war. The money we raise will also be used to support the work of refugee charities in Poland, Moldova, Hungary etc. For example:

- £4: 1 woollen blanket for individuals or emergency shelters
- £23: a food and hygiene pack for one adult for a month
- £70: a food & hygiene pack for a family of 4 for a month
- £500: towards crisis counselling & support services and children's services
- £1,500: basic emergency medicine pack for 1,000 people for 3 months
- £3,700: medicine and pharmaceutical pack for 10,000 people for 3-months

If anyone would like to contribute to this fund, please see the details below. If you wish to bring in £2 to school, we will ensure this is received by the fund.



Oasis response to Ukraine

Opportunity to give at

www.justgiving.com/campaign/OasisUkraine



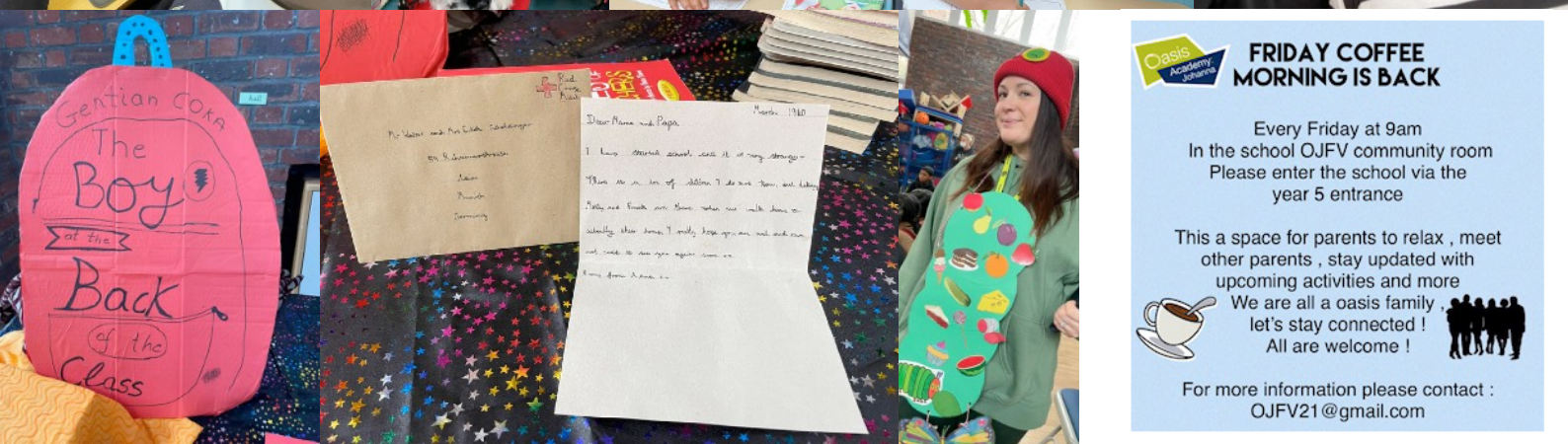
Please donate if you are able or use the 'start fundraising' button on the page to collect money from friends or family.

We have raised almost £10,000 already – thank you!

Oasis

World Book Day Thurs 3rd March

A truly great day yesterday at Oasis Johanna, the atmosphere was electric! Children enjoyed showing off their costumes in assembly. There were many different activities from having stories read by a different teacher, opportunities to write creatively as well as the prop competition. The day ended with a visit from Gangster Granny who brought book tokens for every child to spend on a book. Finally, we had the book sale at the end of the day. Everyone left exhausted and exhilarated!



Oasis Academy Johanna
FRIDAY COFFEE MORNING IS BACK

Every Friday at 9am
 In the school OJFV community room
 Please enter the school via the year 5 entrance

This a space for parents to relax , meet other parents , stay updated with upcoming activities and more
 We are all a oasis family , let's stay connected !
 All are welcome !

For more information please contact :
 OJFV21@gmail.com

Dates for Spring 2 (term 4)

| Week 3 | |
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| Fri 11th Mar | 9am Friday Coffee Morning is back |
| Week 4 | |
| Wed 16th Mar | Chill Study (Y5/6) workshops |
| Thur 17th Mar | Matilda performance at Oasis Southbank for Y5 and Y6 |
| Week 5 | |
| Final week of clubs - no clubs next week | |
| Tues 22nd Mar | Y2 trip to Archbishops Park |
| | Parents Evening (1 of 2) Please return slip below |
| Thurs 24th Mar | Parents Evening (2 of 2) Please return slip below |
| Week 6 | |
| No clubs this week | |
| Thurs 31st Mar | YR Red Class Assembly - 9.00am in school hall, parents/carers welcome. |
| Fri 1st Apr | Final day of Term 4 (finish 1.30pm) |
| Children return to school Tuesday 19th April | |

Attendance 95%

Well done Indigo and Violet classes - super attendance at 98%.

We have certainly been affected by seasonal colds last week. Any child that did not return on the first day back after half term has been referred to the Education Welfare Officer (EWO) in Lambeth and this absence may result in a fine for each parent/carer.

| | Class | Last week |
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| R | Red | 95% |
| Y1 | Orange | 90% |
| Y2 | Yellow | 94% |
| Y3 | Green | 93% |
| Y4 | Blue | 95% |
| Y5 | Indigo | 98% |
| Y6 | Violet | 98% |

Early Bird Award: Y6 Violet are our winners last week, with only 3 children late all week. Well done!

Stars of the Week

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| N | Ayah | For writing her name. |
| Rainbow | Emilia | For making friends and settling into nursery. |
| R Red | Nova | For super writing on World Book Day. |
| 1 Orange | Aiden | For lining up beautifully and doing the right thing. |
| | Lucy | For being a good example to her peers and always doing the right thing. |
| 2 Yellow | Adam | For trying hard in lessons all week. |
| | Henry | For settling into Yellow Class well. |
| | Stanley | For lining up beautifully and doing the right thing. |
| 3 Green | Amelia-Rose | For always being helpful with the children and the adults. |
| | Shay | For creative story telling. |
| 4 Blue | Carla | For excellent presentation in all lessons. |
| | David | For being a kind and considerate member of Blue class. |
| 5 Indigo | Farrin | For her amazing work on the BOOMTASTICS this week. |
| | Riaz | For his growing consideration of others and self-control. |
| 6 Violet | Elsie | For great work on BODMAS in maths - and generally being quite delightful. |
| | PE | Isaac |
| PE | Lucas Y1 | For excellent effort in PE. |
| | Jacob | For excellent control with the hockey stick in PE. |
| | Owen | For excellent effort in PE. |
| | Jannat | For fantastic passing and moving technique. |



Parent's Evening Appointment Slip

Please complete this slip **ONE PER FAMILY** and return to a teacher at school by **Monday 7th March**. Please indicate your first/second/third choice of day/time by using **1, 2, 3**.

If you are not able to attend on one of these dates, please contact your child's teacher(s) and arrange an alternate time.

Child/ren's name: _____ Year/Class _____
 _____ Year/Class _____
 _____ Year/Class _____
 Signed: _____ (parent/carer)

| | Tues 22nd Mar | Thurs 24th Mar |
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| 3.30-4.30 | | |
| 4.30-5.30 | | |
| 5.30-6.30 | | |