



Oasis Academy Johanna Newsletter

Friday 2nd Dec 2022

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Dear Johanna family:

Only two weeks left of term before the Christmas holidays. I hope that you are enjoying the start of this joyous season and fitting that the Habit of the Month is Joy. I hope to see many of you tomorrow at the Oasis Hub Waterloo Christmas Fayre at the Farm.

For many people, the World Cup brings a lot of joy, especially with England being through to the next round. Well done to Wales, though not through to the next round, it was great to have a fellow UK country in the competition.

Helping each other celebrate events

We are known for being a truly inclusive school and support each other by helping to celebrate important occasions that may not be personally important to us. Later in the year we will be holding our very first school Iftar and if you are interested in helping to organise this, provide ideas or support in any way, please speak to me at the school gate or send an email to info@oasisjohanna.org. I would love to hear your thoughts and suggestions.

Individual Photos

Don't forget individual and sibling photos on Monday. Stanley Baker do lovely Christmas presents such as gifts consist of snow globes, baubles, door hangers, bears, sports mugs, notebooks, and more!

If Monday is your PE day, please send your child in normal uniform with their PE kit in their bag or a carrier. We will make sure they have their photo in their best school uniform!

Have a good weekend, hope to see you at the Farm tomorrow.

Dawn, Principal

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Y6 Cinema Visit

Year 6 Violet Class went to the Vue Cinema in Fulham as part of the Into Film festival. They thoroughly enjoyed watching Railway Children Return in preparation for their upcoming history topic on WW2. The film focuses on the adventures of a group of children evacuated during the war.



Y5 Science Museum

Year 5 Indigo class had an amazing time at the Science Museum last week. They spent time exploring the Space Exhibit and went to the Wonder Show. Highlights included the dramatic 'elephant toothpaste' experiment and finding out what astronauts eat in space.



Parent/Carer Feedback 2022

We really value all forms of feedback, from speaking to a member of staff and completing our annual survey. As another year draws to a close, please take a few minutes to fill in this year's anonymous questionnaire to help us identify what we are doing well and what we could look at improving. Scan the QR code below or use the link <https://forms.office.com/e/LGDdDwAUDx> to access the form.

Thank you in advance for filling in the questionnaire and fulfilling our motto: "We help each other to be our best".

Form closes on Friday 16th December 2022.





Book your place here: <https://buff.ly/3EnrOaV>

Post Box Opens Monday

Many people send Christmas cards during this season of goodwill.

Our post box is open from Monday 5th December. Bring along your cards for friends and staff and post them in the entrance area. Year 6 will sort and deliver them to your classes on Thursday 15th December.



CHRISTMAS FAYRE

- 📍 Oasis Farm Waterloo
- 📅 Saturday 3rd December, 1pm-5pm

An afternoon of festive activities, crafts, animals, a Christmas market, warm drinks and of course, Santa's grotto. A small charge will apply for some activities and refreshments, bring some cash on the day.

NATIVITY

- 📍 Oasis Church Waterloo
- 📅 Sunday 11th December, 11am

An epic and unpredictable all-age celebration of the Christmas story!

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT

- 📍 Oasis Church Waterloo
- 📅 Sunday 11th December, 7pm

A highlight of the festive calendar. Enjoy your favourite carols, performed by the Oasis choir and our brilliant band, along with a space for reflection on the Christmas story.

CAROL SINGING AT LOWER MARSH LATES

- 📍 Lower Marsh
- 📅 Thursday 9th December, 5:30-6:30pm

A fundraiser for Waterloo Foodbank in partnership with We Are Waterloo. Sing some songs and shake some buckets!

BEER AND CAROLS

- 📍 The Three Stags
- 📅 Saturday 17th December, 7pm

Raise a glass and the roof with some festive favourites!

CHRISTMAS DAY CELEBRATION

- 📍 Oasis Church Waterloo
- 📅 Sunday 25th December, 10:30am

Come along for a short, all-age service as we celebrate Christmas together.

Our Christmas events are free, but if you would like to support us then please consider donating to the work of Oasis Hub Waterloo and Waterloo Foodbank on justgiving.com/ochwaterloo





Sumdog Winners

Drum roll... out of 4,775 pupils who played, and nearly 1.5m questions answered... the individual winner is Maryam from Y6 Violet! She scored a maximum of 1000 points and was the only child in the whole of Oasis Community Learning primaries to do this - great news!

Y6 Violet had some super achievements in the competition, including being our top-placed class at 27th out of 227 qualifying class - scoring an average of 399 points.:

- Orion came 3rd with 994 points
- Riaz was 6th with 989 points

Other notable children are:

- Suhaib from Y3 Green - 14th place with 971 points
- Nada from Y4 Blue - 18th place with 966 points
- Gentian from Y6 Violet - 20th place with 963 points

Our next contest will be with Lambeth starting on the 27th of January. Keep practicing and improving your accuracy!



Mary Seacole Assembly

This group of year 6 superstars put together their own dramatic presentation all about Mary Seacole and performed it as part of the reading assembly this week. They showed great teamwork, high levels of independence and we all learnt something new from them.



Geography Key Knowledge

Children have been busy quizzing this last couple of weeks to ensure they all know some key geographical facts about our world. Children should know the facts on these two lists by the end of Year 2, according to the English National Curriculum.

To make the learning even more memorable, children have been learning some songs to help retain this knowledge. You can help your child/ren learn this by using the songs below:



Continents from week 1:

<https://youtu.be/K6DSMZ8b3LE>

Oceans from week 1:

<https://youtu.be/X6BE4VcYngQ>

Countries of the UK for week 2:

<https://youtu.be/RvDIZoQLgJE>

'Know more, do more, remember more'

**A School of...
Geography Geniuses**

Knowledge to learn this week:

The 7 Continents are:

- Asia
- Africa
- North America
- South Africa
- Antarctica
- Europe
- Australia

5 Oceans of the world:

- Pacific Ocean
- Atlantic Ocean
- Indian Ocean
- Southern Ocean
- Arctic Ocean

Capitals for the week:

- Qatar - Doha
- Ecuador - Quito
- Saudi Arabia - Riyadh
- Uruguay - Montevideo
- Iran - Tehran
- Morocco - Rabat
- Portugal - Lisbon
- Spain - Madrid



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Knowledge for week 2**

What are the 4 countries of the United Kingdom?

- England
- Wales
- Northern Ireland
- Scotland

What are the capitals of the four UK countries?

- England - London
- Wales - Cardiff
- Northern Ireland - Belfast
- Scotland - Edinburgh

Weather patterns:

- Spring, Summer, Autumn, Winter

Capitals of the week:

- Australia - Canberra
- Denmark - Copenhagen
- France - Paris
- Netherlands - Amsterdam
- Croatia - Zagreb
- USA - Washington DC
- Wales - Cardiff

Dates for Autumn 2 (Term 2)

Week 6	
Mon 5th Dec	Christmas Post Box open
Wed 7th Dec	2pm EY/KSI Nativity
Thurs 8th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day - wear your favourite Christmas jumper; add a bit of tinsel to your hair and join in the festive spirit!
	5.30-6.30pm Waterloo Hub Carol Singing at Lower Marsh Lates - raising funds for the Foodbank
Sun 11th Dec	11am Nativity at Oasis Church
	7pm Carols by Candlelight: Oasis Church
Week 7	
Tues 13th Dec	School Panto: Aladdin
Wed 14th Dec	Christmas Dinner
Thurs 15th Dec	2pm KS2 Winter Performance
Fri 16th Dec	End of Term: 3.15pm finish
Christmas Holidays	
Sun 25th Dec	11am Christmas Day Celebration at Oasis Church
Christmas Holidays Monday 19th December 2022 to Monday 2nd January 2023	
INSET Day (School closed to children) Tuesday 3rd January 2023	
Spring Term begins Wednesday 4th January 2023	

Attendance 95%

Y3 Green have topped the attendance this week and won the attendance cup, finally beating Y6 Violet. Y3 Green are also the winners for the punctuality cup which is a clean sweep for them this week!

	Class	Last week
R	Red	86%
Y1	Orange	90%
Y2	Yellow	97%
Y3	Green	98%
Y4	Blue	93%
Y5	Indigo	97%
Y6	Violet	95%

Term Time Holidays

Please remember we are not allowed to authorise any absences to visit family abroad. You may need to provide medical proof if your child is absent near the end of term if their attendance is below 94%.

Stars of the Week

N Rainbow	Cairo	For having a positive attitude to school life.
	Harley	For being joyful and enthusiastic in his singing and dancing for the nativity.
R Red	Habiibullah	For finding his "big voice" to say lines for our nativity show.
	Kayden	For working hard with his numbers this week.
	Duha	For working hard with phonics and impressing me with her split digraphs.
I Orange	Nova	For amazing homework.
	Aaliyah	For tackling her tests carefully and answering each question thoroughly.
	Fiona	For blending and segmenting her sounds more confidently.
2 Yellow	Stanley & Leilah	For showing courage and singing beautifully together in music and nativity rehearsals.
	Cassius	For making a huge effort in his role as host in the nativity.
3 Green	Henry	For focusing and listening in all subjects.
	Sheniqua	For reading more at home and really trying hard in our tests.
4 Blue	Awab	For his excellent effort in reading.
	Leila B	For her hard work and great attitude to her learning this week.
	Sophia M	For her excellent Art work.
5 Indigo	Mohamed	For hopeful history! He worked so hard and really concentrated.
	Quirino	For his amazing focus and hard work in History.
6 Violet	Tenzil	For being wonderfully hardworking, hopeful and supportive to her peers.
P.E.	Seren	For amazing shooting in basketball.
	Lexi, Kiara & Jacob	For excellent attitude and effort in P.E.
	Talia-Marie	For always trying her best.
	Iyanna	for amazing leadership in group work.
	Amira W	For a fantastic under-arm serve in Tennis.
Wrapz	Camila	For being humble and helpful in breakfast club.
	Aiden	For always being ready to help, being patient and honest.



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Year 5 had an excellent visit to the Science Museum this week. They visited the Space Exhibition and Wonder Show. Students commented: "We loved the visit because it was pure Science". "We loved the trip because there were so many interesting facts." #oasisacademies #sciencemuseum

