



NEWSLETTER



Friday 3rd March 2023

School Uniform

Reminder about school uniform - could you please ensure that your child attends school every day in their school uniform except for P.E. days. If there is going to be an own clothes days in school you will be informed via text message and the information will also be available on the school website. Thank you



Parental Conduct - Reminder

We have had some instances during recent weeks where parents have been verbally aggressive towards staff members, therefore sadly I feel it necessary to put out this reminder

Acts of Violence, Physical Aggression, Threats and Verbal Abuse including those made through social media channels are unacceptable.

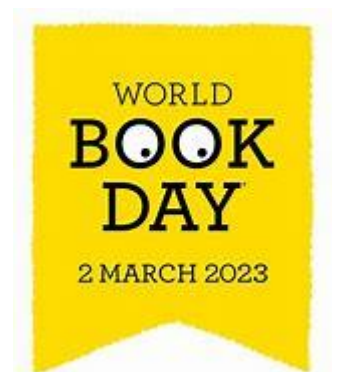
The School staff strive to treat visitors with due care, courtesy and respect. Our staff expect the public to show the same courtesy and respect.

Home Time

If someone different is going to be collecting your child/ children can you let the school office know before the end of the day please. We will **not** let your child go with anyone other than you or the person who normally collects them until we have had confirmation from parents.

World Book Day

Thank you for the effort you all put in yesterday for World Book Day. The children looked amazing in their costumes. We had an amazing day and we even had a visit from Baggie Bird who kindly gave some books to our librarians.



Certificates this week

- Musa, Gabby & Fletcher
- Frankie, Sophie, Esa, Kimmy & Keita
- Miller, Finn & Remayo
- Madiha, Alex & Seyidara

Well done to all those who have got certificates this week.



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Attendance

Well done year 5 you have the best attendance this week. School overall attendance is 93.2%

Group	Presents	AEA	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	Possible	% Attend
Year 1	262	0	3	25	290	90.3
Year 2	270	0	18	6	294	91.8
Year 3	288	0	8	14	310	92.9
Year 4	287	0	4	7	298	96.3
Year 5	302	0	4	4	310	97.4
Year 6	286	0	22	2	310	92.3
Totals	1695	0	59	58	1812	93.5

If your child is ill you must let the school know each day. If we do not have a reason for the absence we have to record it as an unauthorised absence. To let us know your child is going to be absent please ring the school number (0121 429 4284) and press 1 to leave a message alternatively you could leave a text message at the following number 07483 306818. Please ensure you include the child's full name and what is wrong (e.g. vomiting, cough, cold, chicken pox), in some cases we may need contact you if we need more information.

Remember we will need to see proof of appointments in order to authorise those absences. Lates are being closely monitored and a reason for lateness will be requested on arrival.

Parent Consultations

14 th March	Parent Consultation day 8am – 7pm Reception, Y2, Y4 & Y6
15 th March	Parent Consultation day 8am – 7pm Nursery Y1, Y3 & Y5 Please note nursery times are 8 - 12

Sign-up sheets are now available in the office so please call or drop by to make an appointment.



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Local Activities that might be of interest

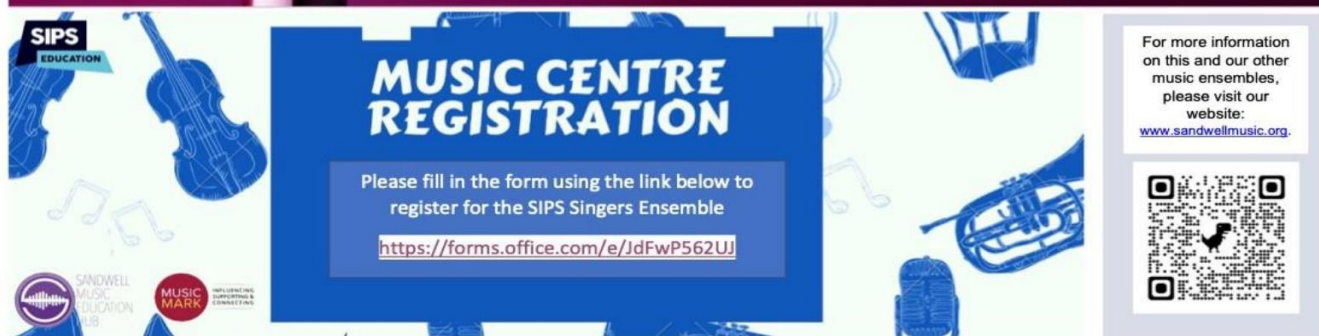


SIPS EDUCATION

Introductory Offer: Free Registration

'SIPS SINGERS'
A NEW PERFORMING CHOIR OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS IN SANDWELL AGED 9-16

Rehearsals begin March 2, 2023
Rehearsing every Thursday 5:00PM-6:15PM
Venue: Guardian House (4th Floor), West Bromwich B70 8GS
FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL 0121 296 2997
OR EMAIL: music.arts@sips.co.uk
No Charge to attend SIPS SINGERS rehearsals for Spring & Summer terms for 2023.



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MUSIC CENTRE REGISTRATION

Please fill in the form using the link below to register for the SIPS Singers Ensemble

<https://forms.office.com/e/JdFwP562UJ>

For more information on this and our other music ensembles, please visit our website: www.sandwellmusic.org



Is your child a budding singer??? Aged 9 or over then this may be for you!



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Girls Football



At Oldbury United we are promoting girls' football with a view to creating a positive environment for girls to get fit, enjoy football, make friends, and realise that football is for all. The girl's programme is locally based and will complement our boys' football where we have over 500 participants. We want to build our girls football so that they thrive in the same space as the boys.

The coaching takes place every Tuesday 18:00 x 19:00 at Portway Lifestyle Centre, Newbury Lane, Oldbury, B69 1HE and all coaches are DBS clear, qualified, experienced and friendly. I have attached a flyer for your information and circulation as appropriate.

We ask if you can promote these sessions so that children and young people in Sandwell are aware of the sessions and can get access to the sport if they choose. To register for a session or to get more information parents can contact us on:

Phone/Txt/Watt App – 07920096151

Email - secretary@oldburyunited.co.uk

Web – www.oldburyunited.co.uk

Or complete the below link and someone from the club will be in touch.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=DQSIkWdsW0yxEjajBLZtrQAAAAAAAAAAAAAe_YChCYJUODI5SjdEWFFDMIZBRVZWMDA2Rk4wVUFFTj4u

Keith Thompson
Oldbury United FC



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OLDBURY

FROM 27TH
FEBRUARY -
30TH MARCH
2023

MONDAYS
OLDBURY LIBRARY
(B69 3DE)
3.00 - 5.30PM

TUESDAYS
BLEAKHOUSE
LIBRARY
(B68 9DS)
3.00 - 5.30PM

THURSDAYS
EBENEZER CHURCH
(B69 4SL)
3:15PM - 5:45PM

For further information
contact: Mo Javaid 07983-
967-266

Visit our website:
www.goplaysandwell.co.uk

Join us for FREE pop-up play sessions in
Oldbury!

Enjoy after school sessions full of fun, arts &
crafts and activities for families aged 6-12 (up to
16 with SEN-D)



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ACTIVITY TIMETABLE – MARCH 2023

After-school sessions run between (3:15 to 5:45pm) - Holiday Sessions run between (10:00am and 5:00pm)

**Times may vary due to settings / events, see sessions below for further details.*

Activities to include...

- A wide range of board games
- Broad range of arts and crafts, seasonally themed
- A range of outdoor team building games, dodge ball, parachute, team rally's
- Music
- Play station
- Quizzes, word searches, puzzles
- Lego
- Themed activities for Wellbeing and health eating
- Archery
- Football



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MARCH 2023

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	2	3	4	5
				EBENEZER CHURCH B69 4SL 3.15-5.45PM			
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	OLDBURY LIBRARY B69 3DE 3.00-5.30PM	BLEAKHOUSE LIBRARY B68 9DS 3.00-5.30PM		EBENEZER CHURCH B69 4SL 3.15-5.45PM			
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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	27	28	29	30	31		
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Please find attached posters for new FREE Oldbury Go Play after-school clubs which are open to all children aged 6-12 and also the February half-term programme.

Here is the new website for the Holiday activities and Food (HAF) programme including a sign-up facility for any children not yet registered <https://holidayactivities.sandwell.gov.uk/>



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Dates for your Diary

Month	Date	Event
March	2 nd	World Book Day – children to come dressed as book characters
	6 th	RE parent workshop for year 5 parents 9 - 10
	7 th	Y6 SATS meeting for parents and pupils 2.30 in hall
	8 th	Nursery visit Warley Woods for Forest School AM Reception visit Warley Woods Forest School PM
	14 th	RE parent workshop for year 1 parents 2 -3
	14 th	Parent Consultation day 8am – 7pm Reception, Y2, Y4 & Y6
	15 th	Parent Consultation day 8am – 7pm Nursery Y1, Y3 & Y5
	16 th	10.45 Nursery Mother's Day stay and play session 2.15 reception Mother's Day stay and play session
	20 th	RE parent workshop for year 3 parents 2 -3
	22 nd	9 – 10 Parent meeting about Maths curriculum meeting for parents – All parents welcome
	23 rd	RE parent workshop for year 2 parents 2 -3
	29 th	Early Years Easter Performance 9-10
	30 th	KS1 Easter Performance
	30 th	Year 5 trip to National Space Centre
	31 st	Break up for Easter Holidays
April	17 th	Term Starts
	24 th	Early years bedtime story event 9am in hall
	26 th	Computing Parent Workshop 9 – 10
May	1 st	School Closed – Bank Holiday Monday
	2 nd – 5 th	Year 3 and Year 4 residential trip to Frank Chapman
	8 th	School Closed – Bank Holiday Monday
	9 th – 12 th	YEAR 6 SATS WEEK – ALL YEAR 6 PUPILS MUST ATTEND.
	15 th	RE parent workshop for year 3 parents 2 -3
	17 th	9 – 10 Parent meeting about The Arts (art & design, music) curriculum meeting for parents – All parents welcome
	26 th	Break up for half term
June	5 th	Term starts
	5 th – 9 th	Year 4 multiplication tests
	9 th	Year 6 Trip to Harry Potter Studio Tour London 7.15 – 5pm
	12 th – 16 th	Year 1 phonics screening tests
	13 th	Y4 trip to Londonderry Baptist Church 09:00 - 12:00



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	15 th	EYFS Father's Day stay and play 9 – 10
	15 th	RE parent workshop for year 2 parents 2 -3
	19 th	RE parent workshop for year 4 parents 2 -3
	26 th	RE parent workshop for year 5 parents 9 - 10
	27 th	RE parent workshop for year 6 parents 2 -3
	27 th	Early Years Sponsored Walk 9.30 – 11.30
	28 th	Sports Day at Thimblemill Rec
July	14 th	Reports out to parents
	18 th	Year 6 Prom @ Thimblemill Recreation Ground 6pm – 8.30pm
	20 th	Nursery Graduation 9 – 10
	21 st	Year 6 leavers Assembly 1.30pm approx.
	25 th	Break up for Summer Holidays

There are 2 training days to confirm dates for. More dates will be added as the weeks go on.