

# The

# Ossie

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## Key Stage 2

### School Council

#### Year 3

In Year 3 we have made a brilliant start to our first year in the junior building. We have been enjoying writing all about ourselves in our Literacy lessons and have been learning about the history of local area! We even had the opportunity to take a walk around Old Swan as part of our research about our local area and had great fun visiting lots of interesting places around our school. We have also been lucky enough to have Swimming lessons this half term which we have really enjoyed!

*Sienna McVey & Thomas Whittingham*



#### Year 4

Year 4 have been extremely busy during this half term. In our Literacy lessons we have been looking at explanation texts and the features of them, while in Science lessons we have been learning all about the digestive system which has been very interesting. We have also been lucky enough to have PE with Miss Wright this half term, where we have been working on our gymnastics skills, as well as being able to make some delicious food in our cookery lessons with Mrs. Dixon.

*Evie Henry, Dylan Hanlon & Leann Albert*

Our new school councillors have all been selected this half term. We have two new councillors from each class in KS1 and KS2, who were voted for by the other children and teachers in their classes. All of our councillors are very proud to have been elected and have already been working hard and looking at ways to make our school even better! We also had some especially good news, as our very own Alice Carroll was selected as a Junior Lord Mayor, voted for by school council representatives from all of the schools in the Liverpool Borough. We would like to say a huge congratulations to Alice for such a magnificent achievement!

#### Year 5

In Year 5 we have been working extremely hard this half term. In our Literacy lessons we have enjoyed learning about the story of the Selfish Giant, while in Maths we have been working on our Multiplication and Division. In our Geography lessons we have been learning all about the water cycle and the different stages of a river's journey while we have especially enjoyed our Science lessons, where we have been learning all about the planets of the Solar System in our Earth and Space Topic.

*Cadence Maxwell, Maisie O'Sullivan & Terris Liang*



#### Year 6

In Year 6 we have had a very busy start to our final year in St. Oswald's! We have been working hard on our long division in Maths, whilst in our Science lessons we have been looking at the circulatory system, finding out all about the fascinating way in which our hearts pump blood around our bodies. In our History lessons we have been learning all about World War 2 and the impact it had on Liverpool which has been really interesting, whilst we have also been enjoying our Computing lessons with Mr. Keegan.

*Sophie Murray, Alice Carroll & Jack Roberts*

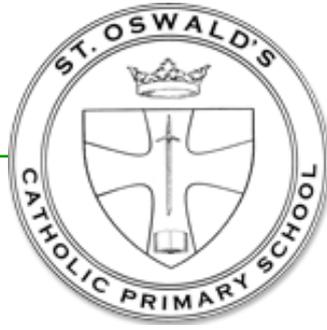


## Macmillan Coffee Morning!

Earlier this half term, we made cakes to be sold in our charity cake sale. Each year group had their own amazing cake sale, with many people in each class bringing in beautiful cakes of all different flavours, and everybody wore bright vibrant colours, some people even wore their pyjamas! Many of the cakes were then taken down to the giant cake sale in the infant's hall, where there was also a raffle of some of the most spectacular cakes that people had brought in. It was extremely popular, and we managed to raise lots of money for the Woodlands Hospice, Willowbrook Hospice and MacMillan! We would like to say a massive thank you to everybody for taking part in such a successful event and helping to raise money for some wonderful causes!

*Sophie Murray*





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Together with Jesus, we will Learn and Grow in Faith

## Enterprise Week!

The penultimate week of this half term in school was Enterprise Week, which involved each year group deciding on a product that we were going to make and sell for charity at our Enterprise Fair. In our lessons throughout the week, we designed our products, carried out market research, worked out costing and profit margins and finally created our products. The products ranged from bath bombs to stress balls, picture frames to keyrings, with some fantastic results. We all really enjoyed the week and were able to raise money for some amazing causes. Thank you to everybody who came and took part in our Enterprise fair for your support!

*Sophie Murray*



### Good Luck Mrs. Knight!

We would like to say a massive good luck to Mrs. Knight, who is retiring after 28 years of working in our school. Thank you for being a wonderful teaching assistant Mrs. Knight, we are all going to miss you and we wish you the best of luck in the next chapter of your life!

## Early years

### Nursery

In September, Nursery welcomed lots of new children to our school and have been teaching them all about our school rules. It has been a really busy half term for us, but all of our new children have settled in really well! We have especially enjoyed learning all about the Autumn season, as well as learning lots of nursery rhymes which has been a lot of fun!

*Sophie Murray, Maisie O'Sullivan, Jack Roberts & Alice Carroll*



### Reception

In Reception we have been working really hard during this half term. We have worked really well in our Phonics lessons, as well as continuing to develop our adding skills in Maths. We have also been looking at learning and sharing in our RE lessons, while we have especially enjoyed make some amazing bath bombs as part of our work for Enterprise Week!

*Sophie Murray, Maisie O'Sullivan, Jack Roberts & Alice Carroll*



## Key Stage 1

### Year 1

It has been a very busy start to the year for everybody in Year 1, with us taking part in lots of enjoyable activities. In our Maths lessons we have learning all about ordering numbers, as well as working on our addition and subtraction skills! In our Literacy lessons we have been finding all about some local Liverpool heroes such as Steven Gerrard and The Beatles, which has been very interesting and a lot of fun. We have also been going organic as we created reusable bags for Enterprise Week!

*Sophie Murray, Maisie O'Sullivan, Jack Roberts & Alice Carroll*



### Year 2

In Year 2 we have been very busy during this half term! In our Literacy lessons we have learning all about the differences between fiction and non-fiction texts, while in our Maths lessons we have been working on column addition. In Science, we have been learning all about the dangers of plastic and the effect it can have on wildlife, while also learning all about The Great Fire of London which has been very interesting!

*Sophie Murray, Maisie O'Sullivan, Jack Roberts & Alice Carroll*

### Autumn Collective Worship Themes

Week 1 - Getting to know you/families

Week 2 - Values

Week 3 - Rules

Week 4 - Hopes/Dreams

Week 5 - Our Lady/Rosary

Week 6 - Autumn/Harvest

Week 7 - Memories