



**A huge thank you to those parents who were able to join us for our Parents' Consultation Day. I hope you agree that it was a fantastic day with lots of positives shared!**

**Another reason to celebrate this term was during our Shining Star and 100% attendance assemblies—thank you to the families who came to join us for these.**

**I am pleased to share that our year 6 pupils have recently been working hard on their mock SATs tests. Their results have been excellent and we are so proud of them.**

**Wishing you a 'hoppy' Easter!**

**Mrs Steward  
Principal**

### **Fundraising**

The OSPA cake sale was an amazing success and raised a huge £514.69 towards our school funds! Staff members baked and bought delicious cakes to sell during break times. The cake sale generated a fantastic atmosphere for our pupils and we thank all of our families for your generosity in supporting our cake sale.



### **British Science Week**

Everyone at OSPA had a fantastic time celebrating British Science Week. We started the day off with an amazing assembly in which Mr Shanks (from OAT) demonstrated some live experiments. He turned transparent liquids into bright colours in front of our very eyes; it was very impressive. Then our family members joined us for some live science sessions on our classrooms. The whole school was packed; it was amazing to have so many people celebrate an excellent day with us! Thank you to everyone who came!



### **Charity**

**Red Nose Day!**

A huge thank you for all of the generous donations on Red Nose Day. We raised £ 267.07 for Comic Relief and had a brilliant day taking part in a range of activities. We absolutely loved the effort that the children and parents went to with creating their fantastic crazy hair styles! Here are just a few of the wonderful creations:



### **E-Waste Bin**

Sar Metals LTD have kindly donated an E-Waste bin to OSPA so we can continue our exciting journey of being an eco friendly school. Having the E-Waste bin means we can recycle broken items such as: computers, telephones and laptops instead of them going to landfill. Our pupils and families will, in time, also have the opportunity to recycle using the E-Waste bin. Watch this space!



### Gruffalo visit



### Mayoral Fund Donation

Our Green Influencer group have been working hard to turn our Friendship Garden into a tranquil relaxation garden that pupils can use during their breaks and lunch times. We received a generous donation from the Mayor of Grimsby of £250 to support us in this project. Some of our pupils met Mister Mayor and discussed their development of the area with him and shared their passion of all things green. We thank Mister Mayor for his kind donation.



### Nursery Visit to the Ducks

The children went for a local walk to see the ducks but when we arrived there wasn't any there. The children sang 5 Little Ducks and decided if we put some food in the water hopefully some ducks would come... and it worked! A beautiful big swan arrived to greet us. The children were very excited and had a wonderful time.



### The Green Project

Kenya, Latvia, and Mexico class had a fantastic time taking part in the Green Power project with Grimsby Institute. After completing a wind energy workshop in school, they attended a graduation ceremony at the college. They were each awarded a certificate and had a photo taken in their gorgeous emerald green gowns! Well done guys; we're so proud of you!



### Visit to Asda

Nursery children enjoyed a trip to Little Asda this term. They have been learning about vegetables and how they grow. The children made a shopping list of the ingredients that they needed and helped to buy the ingredients. They all worked together to carefully chop the vegetables up and used them to make a delicious vegetable soup. The children enjoyed tasting the soup and even asked to go back to get more ingredients to make tomato soup.



### Diary dates

22nd April— Earth day  
Week commencing 9th May— Year 6 SATs week  
1st May—Bank holiday—school shut  
8th May - Bank holiday—school shut  
Week commencing 8th May— Year 6 SATs week  
19th-21 May - Peak District trip  
23rd May—NSPCC coffee morning 9-11am

### Term dates

**31.03.23** School closes for Easter break  
Bank Holidays – Fri 7th April, Mon 10th April  
**17.04.23** School opens after Easter break  
**26.05.23** School closes for half term  
Bank Holidays – Mon 1 May, Mon 8 May, Mon 29 May  
**05.06.23** School opens after half term  
**25.07.23** School closes for the Summer break