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St Osmund's Catholic Primary School Pupil Newspaper

NEWS TODAY:

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and much more.

Can you
find the
hidden egg
on every
page?

World Book Day

By Evie & Kesane (Yr%)



Our World Book Day, on March 3rd, was a fantastic success. The children at St.Osmunds school really enjoyed this experience. Many kids loved dressing up and ditching their school uniform. Even the teachers enjoyed dressing up as well. We had an amazing morning including a magnificent parade. The school had a Roald Dahl theme and the front courtyard was transformed into 'the world of our imagination', filled with balloons, bubbles, candy decorations and even snow. I wish you could have seen it!



World Book Day continued..

The BFG workshop - KS1

The children in KS1 took part in a workshop based on *The BFG*. They had a great time pretending to be giants and catching dreams.

Rose (Reception) - 'It was so much fun and I dressed as Sleeping Beauty.'

Grace (Yr 1) mentioned she was acting as the main character, the BFG, and that she dressed up as The Cat in the Hat. It was great.

Rosa (Yr 1) dressed up as Snow White and had a great experience.

Lana (Yr2) dressed as Hermione . She said it was magnificent.

Thomas (Yr2) said 'We jumped into the amazing book of BFG and it was full of excitement. I dressed up as Aslan.



Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Workshop

KS2 enjoyed a *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* Workshop delivered by Perform.

Malaika (Yr5) 'It was very interactive and it blew my mind.'

Octavia (Yr5) 'The workshop was super cool and full of excitement.'

Aoife (Yr 6) 'I enjoyed being eliminated!'

Erion(Yr5) - loved acting out all the characters especially Charlie.

Eugenia (Yr5) 'It was super!!!'

SPORT

The Carabao Cup

This year, Liverpool beat Chelsea 11-10 on penalties in the Carabao Cup final. For some reason Kepa (Goalkeeper) missed his penalty and sent the ball way over the bar! Eduardo Mendy was subbed for Kepa Arrizabalaga because they thought Kepa could save the penalties. Who would have thought that it would come down to goalkeepers scoring penalties, not saving them!

The Winter Paralympics

72 medals were won across six sports in the Winter Paralympics. China topped the medal table with 18 gold medals and Ukraine came second with 11 gold medals. It was 10 days full of action and commentators said 'it was a competition highlighted by youngsters, showing a bright future for the sport.' Sadly, GB came in 14th place with New Zealand close by. Both with 1 gold medal.

The Six Nations!

France were Six Nations Champions for 2022. They won the Grand Slam finishing at the top of the table with 25 points. Ireland were a close second with 21 and England finished in third place.

By Hugo and Joshua Yr 4

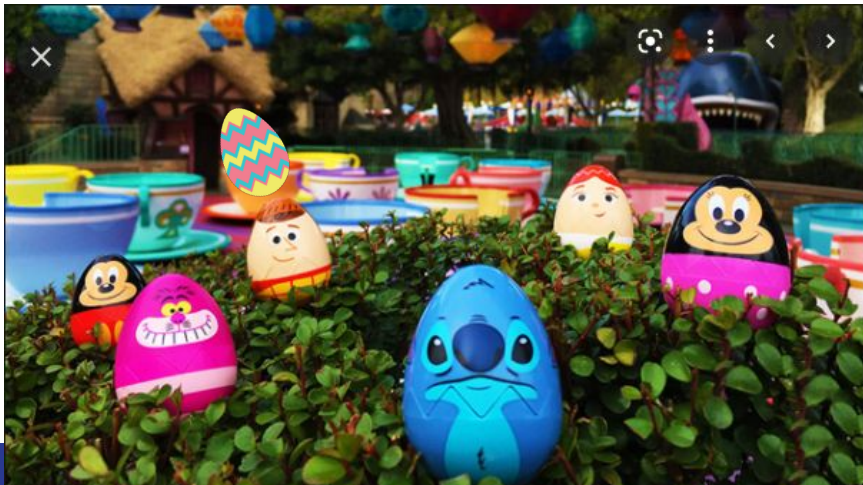


Eggstravaganza

By Eugenia, Evie and Paulina (Yr5)

Have you been inspired by the creative Eggstravaganza competition? If so, why not make a Disneyland themed creation

If you want to make a Disney themed eggstravaganza then all you need is: as many eggs as you want for your eggstravaganza, a hot glue gun or tape or glue, markers, pictures of your favourite disney character, fake or real grass, a background scene and a cardboard box. Next turn your cardboard box into a landscape, you will need this box to create your mini Disneyland. Once you've done this add your fake/real grass to your box and glue on your background scene, then copy the picture of your disney characters onto your eggs. I would use a stand for your egg so that you won't mess up your hands or eggs if you've managed to stay clean well done! If not that's fine, then wait for your eggs to dry. Ok once your eggs are dry you can stick them onto your scene (If you're finding this tricky do ask an adult or whoever's taking care of you for help). If you want to get more created you can add some rides if you want to make it a bit more realistic!





Mother's Day is a special day celebrating mothers. It's held on Sunday 27 March, this year. It is always the 4th Sunday of Lent. It is a very special day as they get to relax and celebrate with their families.

Mother's Day started in the 1900s when Anna Jarvis commemorated her mother's death and created Mother's day for all the sacrifices they make as mothers. Today Mother's day is celebrated as a day to relax and take a break from all their work.

Mother's day is the biggest day of flower buying in the year so as a way to celebrate your mothers you can make them feel special with a bouquet of flowers. Mother's Day is one of the most popular days to eat out so why don't you treat your mother for dinner out. In the UK around 30 million cards are sent for mothers day so wherever your mother is make her a card to make her feel special.

Make sure you make your mother feel special using some of our tips and help make her feel relaxed this mother's day.



By Phoebe and Kesane (Yr5)

Easter Cake Recipe

By Phoebe and Kesane (Yr5)

STEP 1

Heat the oven to 180C/160C fan/gas 4. Oil and line the base and sides of two 20cm cake tins with baking parchment. Whisk the oil, yogurt, eggs, vanilla and zest in a jug. Mix the flour, sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg with a good pinch of salt in a bowl. Squeeze any lumps of sugar through your fingers, shaking the bowl a few times to bring the lumps to the surface.

STEP 2

Add the wet ingredients to the dry, along with the carrots, raisins and half the nuts, if using. Mix well to combine, then divide between the tins.

STEP 3

Bake for 25-30 mins or until a skewer inserted into the centre of the cake comes out clean. If any wet mixture clings to the skewer, return to the oven for 5 mins, then check again. Leave to cool in the tins.

STEP 4

To make the icing, beat the butter and sugar together until smooth. Add half the soft cheese and beat again, then add the rest (adding it bit by bit prevents the icing from splitting). Remove the cakes from the tins and sandwich together with half the icing. Top with the remaining icing and scatter with the remaining walnuts. *Will keep in the fridge for up to five days.* Best eaten at room temperature.

Ingredients

230ml vegetable oil, plus extra for the tin
100g natural yogurt
4 large eggs
1½ tsp vanilla extract
½ orange, zested
265g self-raising flour
335g light muscovado sugar
2½ tsp ground cinnamon
¼ fresh nutmeg, finely grated
265g carrots (about 3), grated
100g sultanas or raisins
100g walnuts or pecans, roughly chopped (optional)

For the icing

100g slightly salted butter, softened
300g icing sugar
100g soft cheese



Make Your Own Easter Card

Materials



By Evie, Paulina and Kesane (Yr5)

Two pieces of black paper

A piece of white paper

Two pieces of pink paper

One piece of lilac paper

A piece of sky blue paper

A piece of light teal paper

A blue, black, white and green felt tip pen

A scissor and glue



Easter Wordsearch

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FLOWERS
 HIDING
 CARROT
 BUNNIES
 CELEBRATE
 BASKET
 CHICKS
 BONNETS
 CHOCOLATE
 HOPPING
 CAKES
 PARADE

By Samuel and Charlie (Yr3)



Easter Jokes

What is the
Easter bunny's
favourite type
of music?

Hip-Hop!

How does the
Easter bunny
stay fit?

Eggs-ercise

Why shouldn't
you tell an
Easter egg a
joke?

It will crack
him up!

By Adeel (Yr3)



What happened to
the Easter bunny
when he got in
trouble in school?

He got
eggspelled

How does the
Easter bunny
dry himself
after a
shower?

By hare dryer

Where does
Christmas
come before
Easter?

In the
dictionary

Ukrainian Refugee's



By Aaliyah (Yr6)

As you probably already know there is ongoing conflict between Russia and Ukraine. Because of the bombing and fighting Ukraine is no longer a safe for most people. Ukrainian's are coming to countries like Poland and England to seek refuge. By coming to countries and cities, like London they have to travel a long way just to be safe. There are many stories of bravery and courage from refugees. An 11 year old boy travelled 600 miles all by himself to the Slovakia border with a phone number written on his hand.

**Loving God,
We pray for the
people of Ukraine,
for all those
suffering or afraid,
that you will be
close to them and
protect them.**



Sausage - Our Therapy Dog

By Kian (Yr6)

Sausage is a one-and-a-half-year-old dog, who would be 13 years old through dog years. Sausage is a sausage dog who has had to do several types of training (and is still continuing through them).

She has her own small home! It's a tiny pyramid with a carpet on the inside! She comes to visit St Osmund's and several other schools as a therapy dog, but I am sure St Osmund's is her favourite!

Sausage is a girl, but believe it or not, the much more fuss sausage receives, the happier she is. She also shakes her head trying to pretend to be cold, which is her way of trying to obtain more fuss.

Mr Bacon, Sausage's owner, has special treats that enable him to perform a wide variety of tricks such as spinning, trying to roll over, and plenty of others; Sausage is indeed very cute!

Sausage had a tryout throughout 2021 to see whether she might settle in our school; she visited all around school, meeting classes and individuals, and then when the verdict came in, Sausage was allowed to remain.

Sausage, a cute and friendly dog,.
She is well loved and has a warm
place in our school.



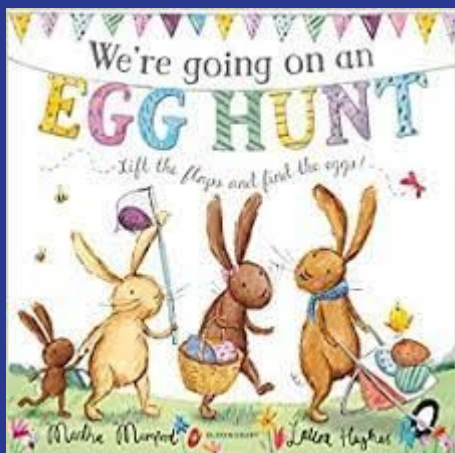
Book Reviews

By Kesane and Eugenia (Yr5)

A marvellous book recommended for KS1!

We are going on an Egg Hunt! By Laura Hughes

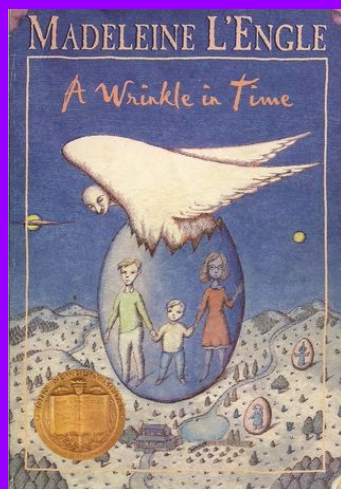
This book is so exciting but can you find all the missing eggs? The bunny family go on an amazing journey to find the eggs but the big bad wolf is coming so they better RUN! We rate his book 10/10 and hope you enjoy it too.

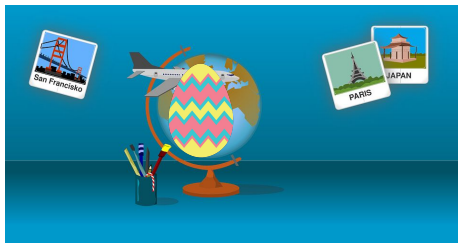


Key stage 2

A Wrinkle in Time by Madelene L' Engle

Charles and Meg and their friend Calvin go back in time to find out what happened to their missing father. But can they get past the evil forces that get in their way and travel through space? We rate this book 8/10. This book has been transformed into a movie.





Travel: Spain

By Beltran and Pelayo (Yr6)

BEACHES

Spain is a country in Europe, Spain is located in the south-west corner of the continent. The Capital city of Spain is Madrid, Madrid is in the centre of Spain. Spain is very well known for its beaches in the south such as Tarifa in Cadiz, Nerja in Malaga, Playa de la Barrosa in Barrosa and Playa del Cristo in Estepona, Malaga, are well known.

MONUMENTS

However, Spain not only boasts beautiful beaches but also has numerous landmarks with monuments like the Segovia Aqueduct in Segovia. Segovia is a construction of Roman-era origin and has stood for over 2,000 years and is considered one of the most valuable monuments in Spain.

Top 3 places to visit

1.Barcelona

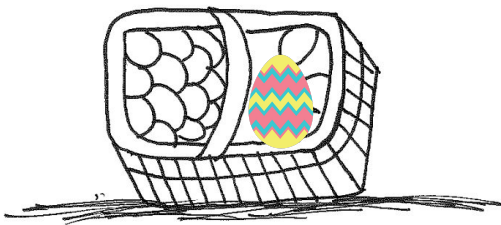
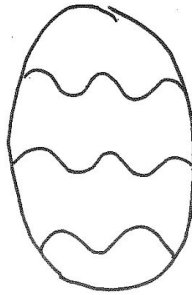
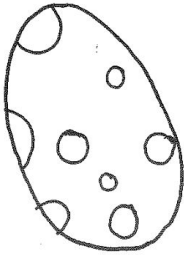
Barcelona is the country's second city but it is Spain's most popular destination for international visitors.

2.Madrid

3.Seville



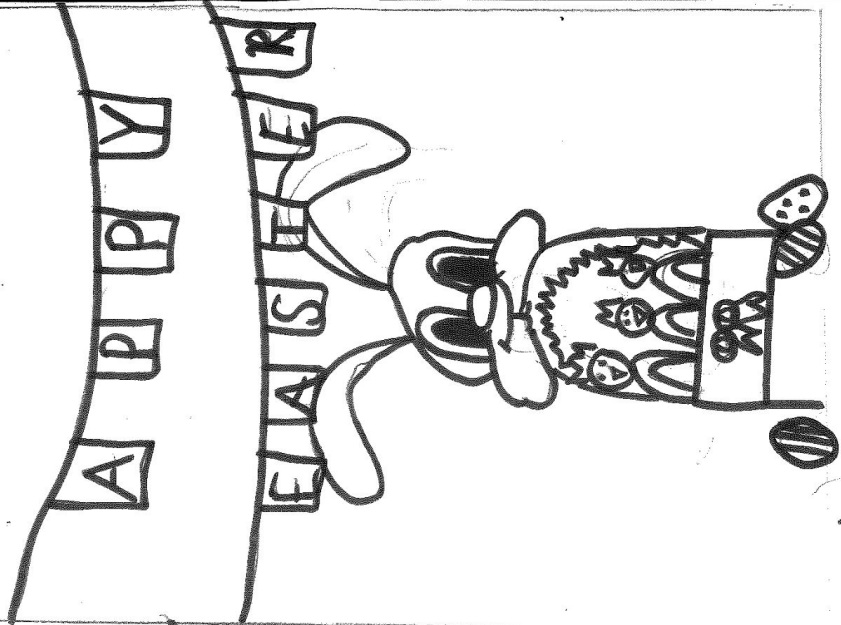
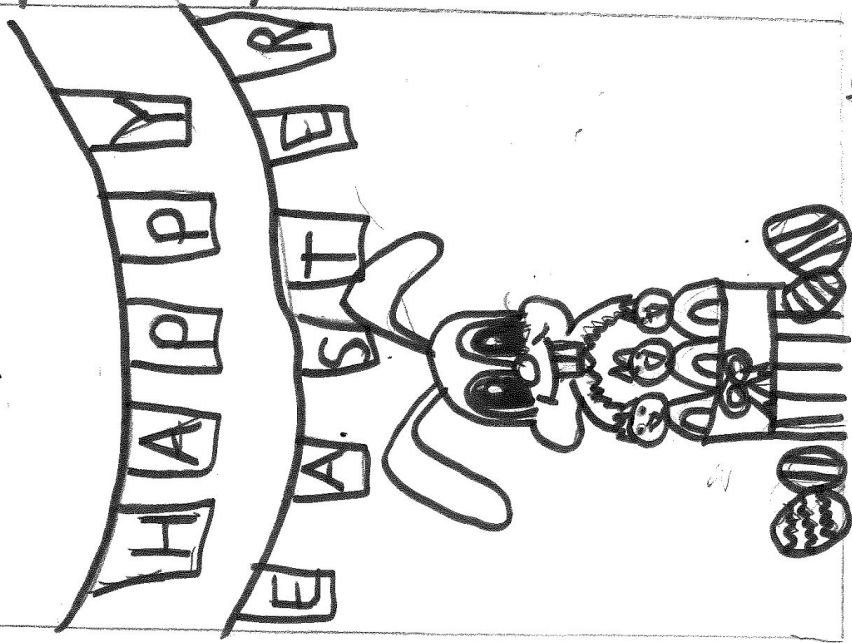
Easter Colouring



By Jack (Yr6)

SPOT

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By Aoife (yr. 6)

