



Child Summer Camp at OLQOH from Friday 26th July to Friday 2nd August

Using some grant funding from WSCC, OLQOH staff are able to provide daily child care from 26/7 to 2/8, from 10am to 2pm.

Children will be able to be dropped to school from 9.45am, and will participate in a range of activities including sport, computing, arts & crafts and baking. Children would need to bring a packed lunch with them, wearing home clothes, please.

If you would like to book for your child to attend all or some of the camp session, priced at £20 per day, **please book by contacting the Office, info@olqoh.com**

See you at the Fete tomorrow.



Gates open just before noon.

Miss it, miss out!

Reminder

Don't forget that OLQOH is closed on Monday for Staff Training.

Discovery Week 2024

Takes place w/c 19th July, with highlights for this Summer

including:

- Street Dance
- Rock Climbing
- Medical Mavericks
- Olympic Boxing
- Boogie Bounce
- The Silent Disco!
- Sports Day

To allow us to make Discovery Week possible, OLQOH has

applied for funding and the Governors and Friends of School also contributing to

cover costs. However, we do require some support from Parents and Carers, and are requesting a £12.50 voluntary contribution from each pupil, please (green card payments acceptable).

Payments can be paid via ParentMail and are due by 1/7/24, please.

Sports Day

Sports Day takes place on Friday 19th July.

Reception, Y1 & Y2 will begin Sports Day just after 9am, with tea, coffee, soft drinks & snacks available throughout.

The photography team will also be onsite throughout this session, which will conclude around 11.30am.

From around 11am, Langley Green Scouts also hope to be onsite selling burgers and hot dogs.

KS2 Sports Day will begin at 1pm and run until 3pm.

Children will need to wear house colours, please, and will also need to bring a named hat and named water bottle with them, please.

Parents and carers welcome.

Portacabin Office

Over the next few weeks, we will be setting up our temporary Portacabin Office, which will be in use during building works at OLQOH.

Works are scheduled to begin in late July and to be completed in early November.

For this period, the Office will open from 8.40am each morning, rather than 8.30am.

Staff will also be using the far gates to access school each day, rather than the main gates.



Dispatches from Our Lady's

SPORTS REPORT

(Ann Westgate)

On Monday 3rd June OLQOH attended a 'Quad Kids' athletics competition on the athletics track at K2.

The teams were made up of 5 girls and 5 boys with 14 teams competing.

There were 4 activities; a standing long jump, a howler throw, a 75 metre sprint and a 600 metre run. Each competitor had to participate in all 4 activities.

It was well organised with each child rotating around the activities between plenty of short drink breaks for recovery.

The children all worked very hard at each event, putting in 100% effort.

The 600 meter run was very challenging for all the children! I was very proud of all of them, who, without exception, completing the event to the best of their ability making sure they crossed the finishing line regardless of how tired they were.

We had excellent throwing from Matthew and amazing effort in the running events from Shaylin and Jonah.

The day ended with some fun non-scoring relays around the track.

The standard was very high at all the events with OLQOH placed 7th out of 14 teams, which was an excellent result for us on the day.

The children all had a fantastic day full of excitement and fun.

I was very proud of all the children from their behaviour, to the effort they all put in, to the support they provided for one another.

Many thanks to staff and parents for all of their support.'



Good luck to the OLQOH Staff supporting the upcoming Mid-Sussex Triathlon in aid of

Ashalayam, competing against other Bosco CET settings.

Our starting line up are:

- Krstina Foote
- Dawn Fox
- Sarah and Phil Marsh (photo'd below)



We're proud of you all!

Going For Growth

'The church currently finds itself in the midst of "Ordinary Time" during a long stretch of the Christian year that starts around late May / early June, at the end of the Easter season, and goes right through to the end of November / early December.

Ordinary time sees no major Christian Festivals and, in that sense, can be viewed with a degree of boredom! But essentially, it's a time where the church continues to reflect on the person and work of Jesus Christ. Crucially it's a time of growth.

The summer months in our gardens sees growth and flourishing; lawns always seem to need mowing, weeds removing, summer annuals planted, fruits and vegetables tended. Plants need both sunshine and rainfall, fertilizer keeps them healthy and helps them grow strong. "Ordinary Time" in the church is the same. Growth comes in many ways. There is spiritual growth, enabled as we pray, worship, learn and spend time together as followers of Christ. We grow in faith and discipleship and we grow closer to Jesus and to one another.

Perhaps over the summer months we can reflect on what growth means to us as individuals and communities and turn 'Ordinary' time into one of 'extraordinary' vision where God moves in us.

St Paul said to the church at Corinth, "I planted the seed in your hearts and Apollos watered it, but it was God who made it grow." (1 Corinthians 3:6). May God work in each of us as we enjoy the summer months and seek to be fruitful in our communities and neighbourhoods.'

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