

ST OSWALD'S SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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The weekly newsletter aimed at keeping you
up to date with life at St Oswald's School

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Together at St Oswald's, we love, learn, respect and appreciate

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Reflection

In this Sunday's gospel, we hear about a bad judge and a widow who would not give up. Jesus teaches us the importance of justice, of praying and of never giving up hope.

God of justice and wisdom,
Help us to keep on praying and never to doubt that you will be with us always.
Amen.

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Year 1 Class Assembly

Reminder to parents/carers that next **Friday 24 October**, is our Year 1 Class Assembly, which takes place in the school hall, at **9am**.

Invites have been sent home!

The theme of the Year 1 assembly is **Creation**.

We look forward to the children's wonderful performance. Everyone welcome!



St Oswald's Facebook page

Thank you to everyone who has followed our new Facebook page. Please click on the link below to follow the page if you already don't, here you can find out about all the fantastic events that happen in school!

<https://www.facebook.com/share/15UCgdChqp/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

Please, if you have not already, complete the Google form, that has been sent out to all parents/carers via email, to give permission for your child to appear on the School Facebook page.

The page will help you to keep up-to-date with events and happenings in school.

The google form for photo permission can be found [here](#).



Open days for EYFS (Nursery & Reception Classes)

Our next Open Day is next **Monday—20th October**, 1.30– 2.30pm. Please share this date with anyone if their child is starting school (Reception) next September 2026.

Please come and take a look around our wonderful new nursery, everyone is welcome.

You will meet our EYFS team and take a look around our Nursery and Reception classrooms and outdoor facilities. You will get a feel for our lovely school and have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have.

Anyone who would like to visit please contact the school office on 01925 813015.

Parents, carers, prospective or current - everyone is welcome!

Tour dates and times are below:

Monday 20 October, 1.30pm—2.30pm

Friday 7 November, 1.30pm—2.30pm

Thursday 20 November, 2.30pm —2.30pm
& 6pm—7pm



Year 6 Condoover Residential

Our Year 6 class leave for Condoover Hall next Tuesday morning. Can children please arrive to school at **9.15am**, with their bags and enter via the back of the school hall. Parents/carers can come into the school hall with the children.

Please can any medicine be clearly labelled in a bag ready to hand over to Mrs Orwin.

Maths Winner!



Recently we were contacted by Mrs Shaw, the Head of Mathematics at Cardinal Newman Catholic High School.

Jack from Year 4, entered a competition in the maths department on their Opening Evening and won!

Mrs Shaw came into school to surprise Jack and present him with his fabulous prize. Thank you Mrs Shaw and well done Jack, keep up the amazing Maths work!

Foodbank Helper

Well done to one of our Year 5 pupils, Henry, who helped out at the food bank last week with cubs. Henry found out all about the food bank and why they are so important.

Great work Henry, we are so proud of you!



Halloween & Bonfire Safety



This afternoon PCSO Becky Shevlin visited school, to talk to the children about Halloween and Bonfire Night safety.

The PCSO presented two assemblies to KS1 and KS2. They spoke to the children about keeping safe when 'trick or treating' and when watching bonfires and firework displays.



St Oswald's Firework Spectacular

As our school firework event approaches please can we reiterate that under no circumstances are people allowed to smoke/vape or drink alcohol on the school premises.

Please **DO NOT** bring your own fireworks/sparklers.

Also all persons under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult at all times.



Harvest Foodbank Friday Collections

Our Mini Vinnies continue to lead our school in supporting Warrington Foodbank, who help people in need in our community.

Thank you so much to parents/carers for their contributions to the collections to date.

We will continue collecting items for our final week on **24th October**.

Items needed by the Foodbank are:

**TEA, UHT MILK (GREEN OR BLUE),
COFFEE, SUGAR, CUSTARD, JAM, RICE
PUDDING, TINNED MEAT, TINNED VEG,
TINNED FISH**

Your support is very much appreciated.



Stars of the Week

Rec The Whole Class

Y1 Sophie

Y2 Victoria & Penelope

Y3 Abel

Y4 Kayleb

Y5 Henry

Y6 Max

MFL Callum (Y6)

Music Zimi (Y3)

Well done to all our stars!

**Join us for our next Celebration Assembly on
Friday 7 November, at 9am.**

Whole School Attendance

October 13–17 2025

Class	Attendance Percentage
Rec	100% - Excellent
Y1	92%
Y2	98.5% - Excellent
Y3	96.5%
Y4	91.5%
Y5	96.9%
Y6	98% - Excellent

98%+ Excellent

96 - 97% Good

95% Satisfactory

91-94% Unsatisfactory

<90% Poor

Whole School attendance this week was 96%

**CONGRATULATIONS TO RECEPTION WITH THE BEST
ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK**



Diary Dates

Tuesday 21 October–Friday 24 October
Year 6 - Conover Hall residential, Shropshire

Friday 24 October
Year 1 Class Assembly
School Closes–October half term

Friday 31 October
Deadline for Year 6 Applications for Secondary School

Monday 3 November
School reopens–Autumn 2 half term
Other Faith Week–Judaism

Tuesday 4 November
Year 5–Smoke Tent
Firework Extravaganza at St. Oswald's, 6pm gates open

Wednesday 5 November
Flu Immunisations Reception–Y6

Thursday 6 November
Judaism assembly/workshop in school with Ann Angel

Friday 7 November
Celebration Assembly–9am

Monday 10 November–Friday 14 November
Anti-Bullying Week
Theme–Power for Good

School Meals 20–24 October 2025



Monday 20 October
Pizza (v)

Chinese Noodles (v)

Tuesday 21 October

Turkey Dinner (v)

Cheese Flan (v)

Wednesday 22 October
Spaghetti Bolognese (v)

Thursday 23 October
Bruch Lunch (v)

Friday 24 October
Crumbed coated chicken served with chunky chipped potatoes, peas or baked beans
Oven baked fish stars
Quorn Nuggets (v)

Jacket potato option also available daily.
(All options are subject to change if needed).

School meals now cost £3.05 per day

Tickets are now on sale for our firework night via ParentPay or the school office!

St. Oswald's Catholic Primary School
presents

FIREWORK

Spectacular

*A Night of Dazzling Lights,
Food, Refreshments & Snacks*

Join us for an evening filled with awe and wonder and a breathtaking firework display. Bring your friends and family for a night of dazzling lights, fun and memories.

TUESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER 2025
6PM GATES OPEN, FIREWORKS AT 6.30PM

£5 per ticket / £20 Family ticket,
get yours now from the school office or phone
01925-813015