Friday, 13th November 2026

St. Rocco's Elf and Reindeer Run.

Dear Parents and carers,



We are very excited to share that Chapelford Village Primary School will be taking part in this year's **Elf & Reindeer Run on Friday 4th December in support of St. Rocco's Hospice.** This festive fun run is a wonderful way for all children to get active, enjoy the Christmas spirit, and help raise money for a local charity that means so much to our community. Our school council team will be organising this event.



What is the Elf & Reindeer Run?

It's all about having fun while helping others. Your child will join their classmates by running, walking, or skipping around the playground, wearing their own special elf hat. Children in EYFS and Key Stage 1 will run one lap of the school whilst Key Stage 2 will run two laps. The school council have already recruited the help of Mr Capper, who will as you would expect, make the challenge even more fun, festive, and possibly have a couple of little surprises up their sleeve!

About St. Rocco's Hospice

St. Rocco's provides specialist care and comfort to local people in Warrington who are living with life-limiting illnesses, as well as supporting their families. Less than 20% of the hospice's funding comes from the government, so community fundraising is essential to help keep their doors open. We are very pleased to be getting involved in such a worthy cause and to do our part to support.

How You Can Help

- Encourage your child to take part with lots of festive spirit! They should come to school on Friday 4th December **dressed in their PE kits**, with coats weather appropriate, all ready for the exciting challenge.
- Help them to raise money by donating online through our fundraising page using the QR code below.



- Share the QR above with lots of your family and friends and help spread the word. Every little bit makes a big difference

Why It Matters

Last year, schools and nurseries across Warrington raised over £26,000 for St. Rocco's Hospice. We are incredibly proud because our school raised over £6,000 of that total to help St. Rocco's. We were, indeed, the highest fundraising school in 2025, which meant our school council were invited to visit St. Rocco's to see how your kind donations are used. We are very excited to be a part of raising money again this year to support patients and families in our local area, who rely on this vital care and hopefully we can make this Christmas extra special for those who need it most

Thank you, as always, for your continued generosity and support. If you have any questions, please contact me via email: a.astley@cvps.omegamat.co.uk.

Yours sincerely,

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