



# Oulton News

## News from Oulton First School

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Autumn 1: Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Christian Focus: Koinonia (Community)

Home Learning Resources:

[Compassion](#) and [Generosity](#)

### Weekly Attendance

C1: 92.0% C2: 93.8% C3: 95.7%

Whole school: 94.2%

Dear Parents,

I hope you had a happy half term break and were able to spend some family time together. The children have settled back into school this week and there has been an improvement in behaviour for learning.

Thank you to those parents that were able to attend the PTFA AGM last night. There were some changes to committee members, which I will update on the website. Fundraising this year will focus on new playground resources for the whole school, a weather station and some new reading books to support fluency in KS1 and pupils in KS2. Events have been planned for the year, which will be communicated through a PTFA newsletter. You have previously received information regarding a wreath making event on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. There are 11 places remaining – please see the attached flyer for information. The next event is the Christmas party at Oulton Village hall on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

### **Flu Vaccination**

Please follow this link for information regarding the flu vaccination.

Parent information: <https://youtu.be/dnqfhcdLZvs>

Student information: <https://youtu.be/JepMe0BkDiI>

### **Asda Rewards**

Between 2 September and 30 November 2024, every time customers shop with Asda using their Rewards app, they can choose a primary school to receive a percentage of their spend. We have signed up to this scheme and already have £65.84 in our cashpot. Please support us raising money for our school: <https://www.asda.com/cashpotforschools>

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### **After-School Clubs**

After school clubs have now restarted and there are a few remaining spaces in dance. Please contact Mrs Elliott if you wish to book a place.

<b>Monday</b>	Choir	3.30-4.30pm	Y1-4	School hall
<b>Tuesday</b>	Yoga	3.30-4.30pm	YR-Y4	School hall
<b>Wednesday</b>	Dance	3.30-4.30pm	Y1-4	School hall
<b>Thursday</b>	Football	3.30-4.30pm	Y1-4	School field
<b>Thursday</b>	Trekkers	3.30-4.30pm	YR-Y4	School hall

Please ensure all outstanding payments are made as soon as possible.

Have a happy and safe weekend.  
Mrs Melling and the team at Oulton.

### **Diary Dates:**

These dates are correct at the time of print but may be subject to change in which case we will inform you as soon as possible.

### **Autumn Term 2 (04.11.24 - 20.12.24)**

- 10.11.24 Remembrance Sunday Service/Procession (Stone town centre)
- 11.11.24 Anti-Bullying Week: Choose Respect/ Odd Socks Day
- 15.11.24 BBC Children in Need Day
- 21.11.24 Stone Light Switch on/choir
- 28.11.24 Non-uniform day for chocolate donations (Christmas Fayre)
- 29.11.24 Inset
- 02.12.24 PTFA wreath making event
- 05.12.24 Choir - Alzheimer's Society (10.45am)
- 06.12.24 Non-uniform day for bottle donations (Christmas Fayre)  
Christmas Fayre at the village hall (6-7.30pm)
- 10.12.24 Class 1 Christmas production (9.30am - refreshments from 9am)
- 11.12.24 Class 3 Christmas production (9.30am - refreshments from 9am)
- 12.12.24 Class 2 Christmas production (9.30am - refreshments from 9am)
- 13.12.24 Family Worship (2.15pm)
- 13.12.24 Advent Concert @St. John's Church (7-8pm)
- 16.12.24 Choir - Advent Window (11am)  
Choir - Oulton Abbey (3.30pm)
- 17.12.24 Christmas Crafts (C1: 9-10am/ C3: 10.30-11.30/ C2: 2-3pm)
- 18.12.24 Christmas Dinner/ Christmas Jumper Day



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19.12.24 Jack and the Beanstalk @ The Gatehouse (YR-Y4)

20.12.24 Christmas Service at St. John's Church (2pm)

End of autumn term

**23.12.24 - 03.01.25: School closed for Christmas holidays**

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