**Social Media Policy**

This policy explains how our association uses social media. It is available and applies to all members of our association. A copy of this document will be held within the PTA document file which is maintained by the Secretary. The policy will be reviewed at least once a year and issued to all members of the PTA for whom an email address is held, this document is also on the school website.

St Oswald’s PTA currently only uses Twitter - @PTAsaintoswalds. The twitter account is maintained by the PTA Member who is also a school staff member and will be hosted in line with St Oswald’s Catholic Primary School social media policy.

**Permitted members and usage**

**The twitter presence will be utilised for:**

• the advertisement of PTA activities and fund-raising events

• to show people what the PTA has achieved and to thank local supporters

• to communicate PTA meetings/AGMs

• to recruit new members or volunteers to assist at PTA events

**Twitter will not be used:**

• to facilitate the running of the association

• for personal correspondence between members

• it is not intended for discussing any aspect of St Oswald’s Catholic Primary School other than the PTA and its activities

• to promote any business other than where this is done for the benefit of the PTA and with its permission Inappropriate tweets or comments, can and will be removed by the administrator and the PTA retains the right to block any user who continues to make inappropriate use of the group.

This document has been reviewed and issued on 9.10.23 at the AGM

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