

# Newsletter

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2024



Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

## Year 6 Return From Dol-y-Moch – 1.15pm Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October.

Twenty of our Year 6 pupils, in addition to Mrs Oluremi, Miss Carey & Miss Ashton are currently having a fabulous time in Wales at beautiful Plas Dol-y-Moch in Snowdonia National Park. They are due to return on Sunday at 1.15pm. Please can all parents ensure that they are ready and waiting outside school to collect your child **ON TIME**. Any changes or updates will be posted on Twitter. It is upsetting for both the children and the staff if parents are not there ready and waiting to bring their child home as everyone will be tired after being away for such a long time on a residential visit and we end up having late collections. Thank you.



## Dog's Trust Day

On Monday we were joined by Sarah from Dog's Trust for the day. She led a fantastic whole school assembly followed by workshops in Years 2,3,4 and 5. The aim of the day was to teach the children how to behave safely around and look after dogs and also about the work of the trust. Everyone enjoyed the sessions.



## Family Mass – Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October 11.30am

We warmly invite all pupils and family members to join us for our first Family Mass of the school year on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 11.30am in church. This is a special mass to also welcome our youngest pupils & families in Nursery and Reception classes. We ask God to bless them as they begin their journey of learning and faith at St Osburg's School.



## Living Streets Project

A group of children who regularly walk to school joined a charity called 'Living Streets' this week on a walking discussion around the local roads. Living Streets have been commissioned by Coventry City Council to gain the views of residents and users of Coundon Road, Barras Lane, Lower Holyhead Road and Upper Hill Street about what it is like to walk along those roads either to school, work or in and out of the city centre. The aim is to get views and ideas about how those routes could be improved for pedestrians. The children enjoyed being consulted and the team were very impressed with their engagement. They gave lots of good ideas such as fixing the barriers by the ring road, clearing litter and leaves, filling in potholes, more dropped kerbs and removing graffiti. Well done to Natasha, Ellie-Grace, Mussie, Felix, Ansson and

Sophie! Thank you to any parents who spoke to the team after school. You can also give your views on a questionnaire. We will be sending the link out to all families.

**Secondary Admissions** Reminder – applications for secondary school spaces for our current year 6 pupils need to be in by Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024. It is really important that you complete your application on time and also that you put a first, second and third choice of school down just in case you do not get your first choice. You can apply online at [www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions). If you require any assistance please contact Miss Carey or Mrs Fowler who will be happy to help you. ☺

The deadline for secondary school place applications is 31 October



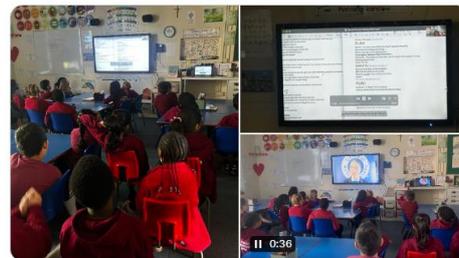
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## Top Tweets (X) from this week. Follow us @SaintOsburgs to see more.

Art club had a great time on Tuesday creating autumn owls. It was lovely to see all the creative ways the children decorating them 🦉



Year 5 & 6 are joining with KS2 to attempt a @GWR largest poetry lesson with @lauramucha 🎨📖 #NationalPoetryDay



Year 3 children continued creating their presentations on Marie Curie and learnt how to add and format images from the internet.



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## Dance Showcase Assembly

We would like to invite parents of pupils in Years 2 and 3 to a Dance Showcase Assembly on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 9.20am. The children are excited to share a few of the dances that they have been learning with Ricky over this half term. Please do try to join us if you can. 😊

## Introducing Asda's Cashpot for Schools!

If any of our families shop at Asda every time you scan your Asda Rewards card, Asda will donate 0.5% of your shop to a primary school of your choice! Download the Asda Rewards app today, opt in to Cashpot for Schools adding St Osburg's as your chosen school, and Asda will do the rest. You've got until the 30<sup>th</sup> November to donate.



## Message From West Midlands Police:



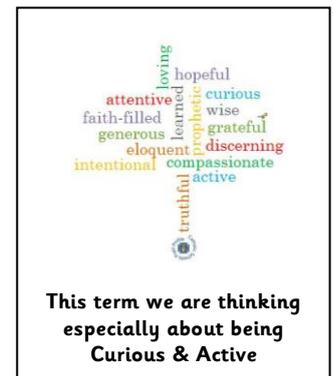
'Recently we have noticed an increase in Burglaries in Coventry. There has been a rise in school drop off and pick up times most specifically. Our ask is or all parents to be extra vigilant and to utilise all methods they can to deter and prevent this happening to them. Anyone acting suspicious please call Police on 101 for non emergency or 999 if urgent.'

Attendance & Punctuality – Whole school for this week: 96.7% 😊 Fantastic attendance this week!

Mrs Roberts Year R		Miss Doran		Mrs O'Shea Year 2		Mr Dingley Year 3		Mrs Bardell Year 4		Mrs Oluremi Year 5		Mrs McDevitt Year 6	
98%	1 late	98%	3 lates	91.8%	4 lates	95.6%	5 lates	93.6%	2 lates	97.7%	2 lates	100%	1 late

## Next Week at a Glance:

Date	Time	Activity
<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Oct</b> Year 4 PE and swimming kits	AM AM 3.15-4pm 3.15-4.15pm	Mission Assembly Y4 swimming lessons Creative Club (Y3,4,5,6) Netball (Y5/6)
<b>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Oct</b> Years 1,2,3, wear PE kits to school	AM PM 3.15-4pm 3.15-4pm 3.30pm	Ricky Dance Charlie Cook's Drama Workshops (Y1/2) Running Club (Y3,4,5,6) Lego Club (Y3/4) & Art Club (Y1/2) Governors Resources Meeting
<b>Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Oct</b> Year 1 and 2 wear PE kits to school	AM 12.30-1.15pm 3.15-4.15pm 3.15-4.15pm	Precious Lives Workshops – Y5/6 Lunchtime sports with sports coaches Year 2,3,4 football training Pop Choir (Y3,4,5,6)
<b>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> Oct</b> Reception Class PE kit day - NEW Year 5 & 6 wear PE kits to school	All day AM 12.30-1.15pm 3.15-4.15pm 3.15-4.15pm	World Mental Health Day Skint2Mint money workshop – Y6 Lunchtime sports with sports coaches Year 1/2 multi-sports skills <b>NO FOOTBALL TRAINING – Match v Christ The King (away)</b>
<b>Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Oct</b> Year 3 and 4 wear PE kits to school	9am AM 12.30-1.15pm	Friday Assembly Mental Health workshop SBITC – Y6 Lunchtime sports with sports coaches
<b>Sun 13<sup>th</sup> October</b>	11.30am	Family Mass with the Parish Reception & Nursery Class Welcome Mass



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