

St Oswald's Primary School



NEWSLETTER

24th September 2025

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Diary Dates

Monday 29th September

Harvest Festival

Running Club Starts

Monday 13th October

Wheelchair Basketball

Tuesday 21st October

Parents' Evening (letter to follow)

Wednesday 22nd October

Nasal Flu Vaccines

Thursday 23rd October

Parents' Evening (letter to follow)

Friday 24th October

Half Term Begins

Monday 3rd November

Autumn 2 Term Starts

Class 1 at High Borran

Tuesday 4th November

Class 2 at High Borran

Monday 10th November

Class 3 at High Borran

Tuesday 11th November

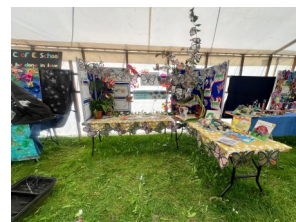
Class 4 at High Borran

(High Borran letters to follow)

County Show

Class 2 had a fantastic time attending the Westmorland County Show last week! They enjoyed the various activities and exhibits, making it a fun and memorable day for everyone.

A special thank you to Mrs. Walton, Mrs White and Josie for organising and putting our school display together – it looked great!



OPAL Award

We're pleased to share that our school has now achieved the Silver Award in the OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) scheme. This reflects the progress we have made in developing our outdoor play provision and the positive impact it is having on children's playtimes.

We will continue to build on this success and look forward to keeping you updated as we continue to make playtimes exciting.



Harvest Festival

This year's harvest festival will take place on Monday 29th September at 9.15am in St Oswald's Church. Parents and carers are welcome to attend. Each class will be presenting their own contribution, as well as a selection of songs that we will sing as a whole-school ensemble.



Class 1 & 2 Display in church

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High Borrans

We are delighted to share that we have once again arranged a wonderful opportunity for the children to experience outdoor education at High Borrans Outdoor Centre near Ings. During their visit, the children will be able to take part in activities such as canoeing, caving, and other adventurous challenges.

This year, the trip will not be residential. Instead, each class will enjoy a day visit to the centre. The dates are as follows:

- **Monday 3rd November – Class 1**
- **Tuesday 4th November – Class 2**
- **Monday 10th November – Class 3**
- **Tuesday 11th November – Class 4**

Further details, including what your child will need to bring and information about the cost, will be sent out in a letter soon.



Snacks

We'd like to remind children to bring healthy snacks to school for break times, such as fruit, vegetables, or breadsticks. Chocolate, biscuits or crisps are not allowed. Healthy snacks help keep energy levels up and support concentration throughout the day. If you are looking for inspiration as to what you could send your child with, we would recommend following @MyFussyEater on Instagram.

Nut-Free Reminder

Please remember that our school is a nut-free environment as some children have severe allergies. Packed lunches and snacks should not include any nuts or peanut butter.

Easy Fundraising

Just a reminder that we are still signed up to the Easy Fundraising scheme, which is a great way that you can help to raise valuable funds for the school. The link to sign up to support our school is below.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stoswaldsceps/?invite=8DDVBJ&referral-campaign=c2s>

