

St Oswald's Primary School



NEWSLETTER

9th March 2026

Inclusive, creative, aspirational, experiencing life in all its fullness

Diary Dates

Tuesday 10th March

Parents' Evening

Thursday 12th March

Parents' Evening

Wednesday 18th March

Year 5 moving up evening—Kirkbie
Kendal

Monday 23rd March

Healthy Me Week Starts

Friday 27th March

Break up for Easter Holiday

Monday 13th April

Summer 1 Term Begins

Thursday 16th April

School Photographs

Mother's Day Room

The Friends of St Oswald's will be holding a special Mother's day room on Friday 13th March, in school time. If your child would like to buy something for their special person please send them with £2 on the day.

All gifts will be pre wrapped and ready.



Mary Wakefield Westmorland Music Festival

A huge well done to our wonderful school choir, who recently represented the school at the Mary Wakefield Westmorland Music Festival.

The children sang beautifully and performed with great confidence. We are delighted to share that they achieved a well-deserved 1st place in the School Based Junior Choir category.

We are incredibly proud of the choir for being such fantastic ambassadors for our school. Thank you to all the parents, carers, friends and family who came along to support them, and a special thank you to Mrs Gilbert for all her hard work preparing the children for the competition.



World Book Day

We had a fantastic day celebrating World Book Day at school. It was wonderful to see so many children dressed as their favourite book characters, and we were incredibly impressed by the effort and creativity that had clearly gone into the costumes.

Staff also joined in the fun, coming dressed as 101 Dalmatians.

It was a brilliant day celebrating reading and a real joy to see such enthusiasm for books across the whole school. Well done to everyone who took part.



Wheelchair Rugby Visit

On 26th February, we were delighted to welcome Nat Pattinson from NP Inclusive Sport into school for some fantastic wheelchair rugby sessions.

Nat, who has represented both Great Britain and Cumbria, introduced the children to the fast-paced and exciting sport of wheelchair rugby. The sessions were full of energy and teamwork, giving pupils the chance to experience the sport first-hand while learning about inclusion and determination.

A huge thank you to Nat for such an inspiring and engaging day – the children absolutely loved it!



Play in a day

Our Year 4, 5 and 6 pupils recently took part in a fantastic Play in a Day workshop led by Konflux Theatre Company. Throughout the day, the children worked hard learning their lines, rehearsing together and preparing for their performance.

In the afternoon, they proudly performed the play *Click Safe* for parents and families in the school hall. Thank you to everyone who came along to support – the children loved sharing their hard work with you.

As well as putting on a wonderful show, the workshop helped reinforce important online safety messages. Through drama and discussion, pupils explored how to make safe choices online and what to do if something doesn't feel right.



Class 2 Lambing Visit

Class 2 recently enjoyed a visit to the South Lakes Lamb Experience in Witherslack. The children had a wonderful morning learning all about lambs and life on the farm.

During the visit, they had the opportunity to feed the lambs their milk, try ear tagging and tail banding, and even sit in a tractor. It was a fantastic hands-on experience and a great way to bring their learning to life.



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