



NEWSLETTER

Selattyn C. E. Primary School

14th November 2025

This terms Collective Worship theme is: **TRUST**

Small School, Big Heart



Children in Need

Thank you for all your donations towards children in need today. We have raised a fantastic **£97.44** for the Children in Need Charity.

PTA Christmas fayre

PTA are hoping to hold the Christmas Fayre on Friday 12th December at 3 – 4:30. However, they are in need of extra helpers to run stalls and with organising in advance. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Marie or Alys from the PTA or contact the school office. PTA would also be grateful of any donations from local businesses towards the raffle. Sign up sheets have been put up outside Class 1 & 2 for donations to go towards Class hampers for the raffle. Please put your name by items you will donate. Donations can be left in the boxes in reception.

Tempest Photos

All children had their photos taken on Monday and details were sent home with how to order a copy of your child's photo. If you would like free delivery to school, please place your order with Tempest by Monday 24th November.

Careers Fayre

Year 6 pupils had an interesting visit to the Futures Fayre at Alderford Lake on Wednesday they were able to visit stands from various types of colleges, businesses & careers (And collect lots of free gifts!).

Dance Festival

14 children from Years 3 and 4 have volunteered to take part in the Dance festival on 26th November at The Marches School. An email has been sent to the parents of the children who have asked to take part. Please complete the form ASAP to confirm their attendance.

Deva Experience Trip – Class 3

Class 3 pupils will be going to the Deva Experience in Chester on 24th November – [please see details in this letter](#)

Email Issues

We are aware that there are still issues with emails sent from school going into family's junk email. We are working with IT and Arbor to resolve the issue.

Names in Uniform

Please can all clothing be clearly marked with your child's name. We have no way to know who these items belong too if they are not marked.

Diary Dates

Next Week

Mon	Outdoor learning – Class 2 3:30 – After-school clubs
Tue	P.E. Class 3 & 4 3:30 – After-school clubs
Wed	P.E. Class 2 3:30 – After-school clubs
Thur	P.E. Class 1 DCP Drums 3:30 – After-school clubs
Fri	9 -10:25 – Little Badgers P.E. Class 3 & 4

Future Dates

18 th Nov	Open Afternoon
24 th Nov	Class 3 (Yr 4) Trip to Deva Museum
26 th Nov	Dance Festival Yr 3 & 4
15 th Dec	2pm Christmas Service
16 th Dec	2pm Christmas Service
17 th Dec	Pantomime
18 th Dec	Christmas Lunch / Party
5 th Jan	PD Day
6 th Jan	Return to school
25–27Mar	Bryntysilio residential

Question of the week

What do ideas feel like?

Stars of the Week

Class 1 – Isaiah

Class 2 – Bodhi

Class 3 – Madeline

Class 4 – Noah

Highest
Attendance:

Whole School: 96.80%

Class 1: 93.80%

Class 2: 97.30%

Class 3: 98.90%

Class 4: 97.40%

CLASS NEWS

Class 1

We have had another productive week in Class 1. This week we continued learning our phonics, with Year 1 learning all the ways that 'oo' can be written, and Reception learning the 'e, u and r' phonemes. We also began our class text 'The Night Box' by Louise Greig. In Numeracy, we have been learning how to count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10, using a hundred square. In Science, we have begun our topic of 'Materials'. We sorted everyday objects into items made from wood, plastic, glass, metal and other, and investigated their properties. In Geography, we continued learning about 'Where we are in the U.K?', by investigating different types of maps and aerial photographs. The children then used their knowledge, working in pairs, to create their own 'Messy Maps' of the classroom. In D.T, the children created templates to make their hand puppets. In R.E, we began learning about 'The Nativity' and started to learn carols for the Christmas Concert. Have a great weekend everyone!

Class 2

Friday again! This week seems to have flown by! The children have been busy starting their new topics. In Science, they were sorting different objects according to their materials and discussing why particular materials are chosen. Yesterday, we looked at how schools have changed over time and created a timeline showing some differences. We are excited to investigate the history of our school and gather memories from those who can remember being here. Thank you to those parents who have already responded. We are hoping to gather some photos and information to construct a class timeline for the school. In Literacy we have been empathising with the main character, Wilf, and remembering times when we have been lost. In maths, we are beginning to get our learning of times tables underway. Next week we will be starting some work on fractions. It was great to end the week in colourful clothing and give to such a worthwhile charity. Have a great weekend!

Class 3

We have had another busy week in Class Three. As we head towards Christmas the parts to the Carol Concert have been shared with the children. Everyone in class has been given a short piece to practise and learn as part of their homework. We will continue to rehearse next week. In maths we have moved on with our work and are now focusing on measurement and how to convert various units. This has included some measuring and estimating. For our English sessions we have been revising different tenses and learning which tense to use in different contexts. In Design Technology we have been looking at adapting a recipe and had fun making biscuits this week! Have a great weekend everyone!

Class 4

Well what an end to the week! We have been indoors all day due to the constant rain! However, we had some great outfits for Children in Need. Thank you for your donations. The cake sale also did well at the end of the day (despite the rain) thanks to our One Voice Team. Today for our Design & Technology, we have been working on our embroidery skills for our stuffed toys. Lots of children surprised themselves in their own abilities and I'm sure if you have any socks that require darning, the children are ready to help now!! In Literacy we have started our new book; Tom's Midnight Garden and we have looked at the language used within the text. This led to some amazing descriptive writing today. We have been working on shape in maths and will be starting a new topic next week. Have a lovely weekend everyone!

PARISH CHURCH OF ST. OSWALD, KING & MARTYR, OSWESTRY
ST. OSWALD'S PARISH CHURCH CHOIR

THE MERRY OPERA COMPANY

A professional Opera Company is looking for

**Children and Young People from 9 to 18 years
who would like to sing in a**

Performance of Engelbert Humperdinck's Opera

HANSEL UND GRETEL

(Sung in English)

**On Saturday 13th December
at 2.00pm and 7.30pm**

**If you are interested auditions will be held on Saturday
15th November
from 10.00am**

**Please contact Mike Donkin
Director of Music at St. Oswald's
to book a time
on 07779 917724 or by email to
mikedonkin44@gmail.com**

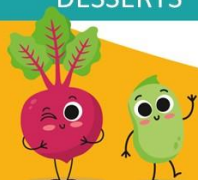
**Rehearsals will be held on
Wednesday afternoons (after school hours) and Saturday mornings**

Week commencing
1/09
15/09
29/09
13/10

MENU CYCLE WEEK ONE

Autum Term

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Tuna Pasta bake	Minced Beef Puff Pastry Pie	Roast Chicken with Gravy	Meatball sub With homemade Herby Tomato sauce	Homemade Chicken Sweetcorn Pizza
VEGETARIAN	Cheese & Tomato Parcel	Quorn Sausage	Homemade Cheese and Onion Pie	Vegetable Lasagne	Homemade Cheese & Tomato pizza
EVERYDAY FAVOURITES	Chicken burger	Premium Pork Sausage	Handmade Sausage Roll	Chicken Nuggets with Tomato Ketchup	Fish and chips
SIDES	Sauté Potatoes Sweetcorn	Mashed Potato Baked Beans	Yorkshire Pudding Roast Potatoes Carrots & Broccoli	Herby Diced Potatoes Sweetcorn	Chips Peas
AVAILABLE DAILY	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad
DESSERTS	Chocolate angel delight or Fruit Salad	Iced bun or Jelly	Ice Cream or Fruit Salad	Strawberry Yogurt or Jelly	Raisin Shortbread or Fruit Salad



Food Allergies and Intolerance
If you require information on allergies or suffer from a food intolerance, please speak to a Team Member before you order your food and drinks.



Jacket Fillings Cheese/Beans/Tuna
Sandwich Fillings Ham/Cheese/Tuna
Served with Tortilla Chips



Week commencing
8/09
22/09
6/10
20/10

MENU CYCLE WEEK TWO

Autum Term

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Fish Fingers	Chicken Wrap	Roast Gammon with Gravy	Chicken pasta bake	Homemade Peperoni Pizza
VEGETARIAN	Veggie Burger	Tomato & Vegetable Pasta Bake	Vegetarian Cottage Pie	Homemade Quorn Sausage Roll	Homemade Cheese & Tomato pizza
EVERYDAY FAVOURITES	Beefburger	Cheese & Ham Turn Over	Meatballs in Gravy	Hot Dog with Tomato Ketchup	Salmon Fishcake
SIDES	French Fries Garden Peas	Oven Baked Wedges Sweetcorn	Yorkshire Pudding Roast Potatoes Carrots & Broccoli	Pasta Peas	Chips Baked Beans
AVAILABLE DAILY	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad	Jacket potatoes Sandwiches Seasonal Salad
DESSERTS	Vanilla Muffin with Frosting or Fruit Salad	Peach Yogurt or Jelly	Ice Cream or Fruit Salad	Homemade Choc Chip Cookie or Jelly	School Sprinkle Cake or Fruit Salad



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