

Osbourneby Newsletter



Friday 7th March 2025

SAFEGUARDING



Stalking and Harassment

Did you know that one in 5 women and one in 10 men will experience stalking. Far from being harmless, research shows that half of domestic stalkers will act on threats they have made. 40% of domestic abuse related deaths involved stalking by the perpetrator prior to the death. If you are experiencing stalking or harassment take it seriously and report it! The Suzy Lamplugh trust have great information on their website: [Suzy Lamplugh Trust](https://www.suzy-lamplugh-trust.org/)

Want your child to do well? Attendance Matters...

Where can parents get support and advice?

Children may struggle to attend school for a wide range of reasons.

If your child is struggling to attend school, both the school and the local authority also have responsibilities to help you to support your child's attendance.

In most cases, if your child's attendance level is falling, the school will contact you to explore the reasons and discuss what help can be put in place to help you overcome the barriers they are facing.

If your child is struggling to attend school, you can expect the school to meet with you, and your child if they are old enough.

The school will want to understand the reasons for their absence and what support you or they need to overcome the barriers to attendance they are experiencing.

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

SAFEGUARDING QUESTION OF THE WEEK



How do you stay safe at school?

(Follow the school rules, listen to your teacher, tell an adult if something worries you)

Online Safety

Kids love gadgets, and smartwatches— available to buy from as little as £20.00 online—make a tempting gift. As with any type of mobile technology, though, smartwatches can pose risks to children, unless they are used safely. Receiving unwanted calls, cyber– stalking and distracting a young person when they're crossing the road are all known risks

associated with smartwatches. However, these devices can bring plenty of benefits for children and parents alike. Please see attached the '10 Top Tips for Safely Using Smartwatches '



Word Book Day -Wooden Spoons

World Book day this year was on Thursday 6th March. We sent home a wooden spoon for your child to decorate over the half term holiday. It could have been any character from your child's favourite book. Please see below your spoons!

Thank you to all of the children (and parents) and staff for bringing in their lovely creations. We have Pikachu, Princess Jasmine, The Cheshire Cat and many more.



Parents Evening—Remember to book

We will be holding Learning Conversations on Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th of March between 4.00pm—6pm in the School Hall.

Children in Reception, Years 1,2 and 3 will be able to book via Parentmail—Booking forms will be available to book from 6pm on Friday 14th March. This will allow you to book a 10 minute slot with your child's class teacher to discuss your child.

Years 4, 5 and 6 parents will be contacted by the school office to book appointments.

If you have any problems booking, please contact the school office.

SEND Children have already had their Learning Conversations and do not need to book to see their child's teacher again.



Easter Fair



Planning is going well for the Easter Fair on the 4th April. We already have stalls booked and are looking for more stall holders who would like to take part. Stalls cost only £5, plus a donation to the raffle. Stall holders can set up from 2:30 and doors open to the public from 3:00– 5:30. We will be inviting the whole of Osbournby and are hoping to replicate the great community spirit that we saw at the Christmas carol concert! The PTFA will be providing refreshments. If you know anyone that might like to have a stall please spread the word and ask them to contact the school office to reserve a spot!



Lincolnshire Fire & Rescue Visit

This week the children in Digger Bees and Carpenter Bees had a visit from Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue. They came to do a Safe and Well in Lincolnshire talk. It was to teach the children how we can keep safe and well in the event of a fire.

In partnership with Lincolnshire County Council, Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue have told us about the website they use to get information to parents and children. Please see the link below.

<https://staywise.co.uk/public>

StayWise

Staywise—Provides a range of resources to support the learning of safety topics related to the emergency services. Please take a look at the website, there is lots for your child to do, for example, printable worksheets and puzzles and literacy and numeracy based tasks. After studying about Fire and Rescue, you can also explore topics from other emergency services including Police, Ambulance, Coastguard and Mountain Rescue.



PTFA—Tuck Shop Friday and Book Sale

Thank you to all of the children and parents that have stopped to buy sweets and books this afternoon. We have had an incredible amount of books donated so we have now decided to run Tuck Shop Friday and the Book Sale every Friday at 3.30pm, until the end of the term.

Children's books 50p Adult's books £1.00.

Thank you to everyone that has kindly donated to our book sale.



After School Clubs Term 4

Thank you for all of your interest in Cooking Club this term. Unfortunately it is now **FULL**.

There are still some spaces at after school clubs for Term 4 —please book your space on Parentmail—New Forms were sent out last week.

DAY	CLUB	OPEN TO	Times	Cost	Led by:
Monday	Science Club	Years 3,4,5,6	3:30-4:30	£3.50 per week	Mr Johnston
Monday	Cooking Club	Reception to Y6	3.30-4.30	£4.50 per week	Mrs Bide & Mrs Saunders
Tuesday	Art Club	Reception to Y6	3:30-4:30	£5.50 per week	The Hub
Tuesday	Basketball	Y2 to Y6	3:30-4:30	£3.50 per week	Inspire Plus

PTFA—Shake It Up Friday

On **Friday the 14th of March**, The PTFA will be holding 'Shake It Up Friday'

It will be a non uniform day, trainers will be allowed. You can also wear nail varnish, have a temporary hair colour using a hair spray or even have temporary tattoo's.

The cost will be £2.00

Jewellery rules will still be in place, please see the School Policy on our website.



NO Hoop Earrings allowed

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event	Notes
17-23rd March	Neurodiversity Week	More information to follow
21st Mar	Red Nose Day	More information to follow
25-26 Mar	Learning Conversations	Book your Learning Conversation from 6pm tonight.
3rd April	Class 2 Egyptian Afternoon	Mrs Saunders class will be holding an Egyptian event for parents at 2:30pm
4th Apr	Easter Fayre	Easter Fayre in the Village Hall 3pm—5.30pm

SCHOOL TERMS AND HOLIDAYS 2024/2025

TERM 1 (Autumn)

First Day of Term Wednesday 4th September 2024

Last Day of Term Friday 18th October 2024

TERM 2

First Day of Term Tuesday 29th October 2024

Last Day of Term Thursday 19th December 2024

TERM 3 (Spring)

First Day of Term Monday 6th January 2025

Last Day of Term Friday 14th February 2025

TERM 4

First Day of Term Monday 24th February

Last Day of Term Friday 4th April 2025

(Please note Good Friday 18th April/Easter Monday 21st April)

TERM 5 (Summer)

First Day of Term Wednesday 23rd April 2025

May Bank Holiday Monday 5th May 2025

Last Day of Term Friday 23rd May 2025

TERM 6

First Day of Term Monday 2nd June 2025

Last Day of Term Tuesday 22nd July 2025

**** TRAINING DAYS (School closed to pupils)**

Monday 2nd September 2024

Tuesday 3rd September 2024

Monday 28th October 2024

Tuesday 22nd April 2024



Celebration Assembly

Each Friday we hold a celebration assembly to recognise the hard work and achievements of our pupils.

We awarded **“Worker of the Week”** to:

Bumblebees - Joshua M

Digger Bees - Isabella

Carpenter Bees - Finley



And we also awarded **“Osbornby All Star”** to:



Bumblebees - Noah

Digger Bees - Harry K

Carpenter Bees - Teddy

“Forest School Award” - Maxx and Harry K



“Osbornby Sports Star” - Ava-Louise

Congratulations!