



OSGODBY NEWS

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OSGODBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Welcome Back!

Welcome back to another half term here at Osgodby! I hope you have all enjoyed your half term holidays and are gearing up for all the exciting things we have in store this half term. Autumn term 2 is always a busy one in school but there is so much to look forward to. Read on to find out about the goings on in school this term!

Harvest Thanks

Thank you to everyone who attended our harvest festival. We would also like to thank everyone who sent a donation in aid of our chosen charity (Show Racism the Red Card).

We managed to raise £140 from the sale of produce. Well done to Year 6 on their excellent sales

Show Racism the  Card

Super Hero Day

Just a quick reminder that we will be supporting World Diabetes Day by dressing as superheroes on Friday 15th November. Please send your child with a donation for this very worthy cause!

This will double up as our Children in Need event too.



Curriculum Update

Curriculum is currently a very hot topic in the world of education. At Osgodby, we endeavour to offer a broad and balanced curriculum but, as always, there is still room for improvement.

We, like many schools across the country, are currently working on progression, breadth and contextual relevance of our curriculum. As part of this work, we would really like to hear your views on what should be taught.

To this end, we sent out a questionnaire before half term. Thank you to everyone who has already returned these. If you have not yet completed yours, we would really appreciate you taking a few minutes to put your ideas down on paper. With your help, we can ensure that our curriculum is relevant and impactful.

Skills Audit

Thank you to everyone who completed the recent skills and interests audit. We clearly have some very talented parents here at Osgodby!

We have already had some great offers of help and support. We always welcome parent volunteers in school and would be happy to have you if you feel that you can give us the time.

We will be in touch with those of you who have offered help in the near future—thank you

Dates for the Diary

Friday 1st November Halloween Disco 5:30 - 7

Friday 15th November Superhero Day

Sunday 17th November Chess Championship at Osgodby - more details on the way!

Saturday 30th November Choir singing at Market Rasen 12:30

Friday 6th December Christmas Bingo at the village hall 6:00

Tuesday 10th December Infant nativity at village hall 2:00

*** Wednesday 11th December NOW NATIVITY EVE PERF AT 6.00**

*** Thursday 12th December NOW OPEN CLASSROOM 3.00-4.00**

Monday 16th December school pantomime trip (Cinderella—Drill Hall, Lincoln)

Tuesday 17th December juniors carol service at Kirkby-cum-Osgodby Church 6:00

Wednesday 18th December Christmas dinner and parties

Thursday 19th December last day of school and Christmas jumper day for the charity 'Keep Santa Safe' (Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance)

Friday 20th December Christmas holidays

Monday 6th January return to school

DATES CHANGED DUE TO GENERAL SLECTION AS THE HALL IS A POLLING STATION

Christmas Market Choir

We have been invited to sing at the Market Rasen Christmas Market again this year. The event takes place on Saturday 30th November and we will be singing at 12:30. I will shortly be recruiting my choristers. If your child is interested in joining us, you will receive further information very soon!



Poppies

Poppies have arrived in school. If you would like your child to buy one, please send a donation into school. Year 6 will be selling them in the mornings.

Christmas Bingo

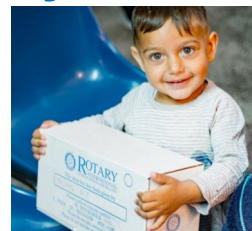
After the fantastic response to our Easter bingo, we have decided to run a Christmas bingo this year. The event will be organised by our school council. Any donations of Christmas chocolates / food would be very appreciated. The event will be running on Friday 6th December. Doors open at 6:00 for a 6:30 start

Halloween Disco

Just a quick reminder that we will be having our Halloween disco tonight Friday (1st November). I look forward to seeing you all in your costumes!



Rotary Shoebox Appeal



Shoeboxes are now available in school.. As well as being for a great cause, this is a nice way for us to give a little back to The Rotary Club who have been so generous towards the school in the past. You can find out more at the link below:

<https://www.rotaryshoebox.org/>

Please let Mrs Greig or Mrs Langford know if you would like a box sending home

PLEASE RETURN YOUR BOX BY FRIDAY 15th NOVEMBER AS THE ROTARY ARE COLLECTING ON MONDAY 18th NOVEMBER