

SS OSMUND & ANDREW'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL, BOLTON

NEWSLETTER: Wednesday 15th October 2025



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Our Next Break:

School closes at 3.15pm on **Thursday 23rd October 2025**. We reopen at 8.45am on **Monday 3rd November 2025**.

MissionStatement

Together in **Love**, Growing in **Faith**, A journey of **Hope**.

Together in **Love**, **Faith** and **Hope**.

St Osmund was a bishop. In **Faith**, he inspires us to pray.

St Andrew was an apostle. In **Love**, he inspires us to serve.

Blessed Dominic Barberi was a student. In **Hope**, he inspires us to work hard to become the best we can be.

Thought for the Week:

Please chat through at home with your child(ren) the school's Thought for the Week which on Monday will be:
I try to stand up for myself and others without hurting others.



The Sacramental Programme

The next date is to attend is:

Sunday 19th October at 11am Mass at St Osmund's Church.

Urban Outreach

Thank you for all your kind donations last week towards our Urban Outreach appeal.

Christmas Fair

Christmas is fast approaching! After last year's huge success, we will be holding our Christmas Fayre on **Thursday 20th November 3.15pm – 5pm**. We are busy organising lots of fun stalls and activities, and we will keep you updated. In preparation for the Christmas Fayre, we will be holding the following own clothes days on:

Friday 7th November – we are asking for bottle / gift donations.

Friday 14th November – we are asking for chocolate / gift donations.

If anyone has any unwanted gifts that they would like to donate as prizes, these would be gratefully received and can be sent in anytime between now and the Fayre.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us run these events

Spooky Disco

On Thursday **16th October**, we will be holding a Spooky Disco after school, 3.15pm-4.30pm.

For children attending:

- *Physical tickets will not be sent home. Each class will have a list of who has bought tickets.*
- *Children can bring an outfit to school with them on Thursday to get changed into.*
- *Children will be given a drink as part of the cost of their ticket.*
- *We will be selling sweets and glow sticks.*
- *Children will be released after the disco from their normal class doors at **4.30pm**. The usual collection gates will be open (**The Tansey Green pub carpark and Brodick Drive**).*

Parish Event: This Year's Monster Ball

First Saturday in half term - **Saturday 25th October** at 7pm till 10:30pm. £3.50 per ticket: Children **MUST** be accompanied by an adult. Held at St Osmund's Church Hall next to St Osmund's Church on Long Lane. Fancy dress and pumpkin competition. Adults and children welcome to dress up. Tuck shop, hot dogs, bar, disco, prizes, fun and games. Tickets available from the school office. Please send your money in an envelope, with the name of your child and the number of tickets you require.



Autism Spectrum Parent Workshop

Due to the popularity of their "Autism Spectrum Parent workshop" which is running next week, Woodbridge SEND Service are running another course "Developing Play skills"



If any parent/carers feel that may find this useful, please could you share the flyer with them.

Parent Workshop- Developing Play Skills

Fri 21st Nov 9.30-10.30

£15 per family

Book here: [Woodbridge SEND service / Training](http://www.woodbridgesend.co.uk)

DATES FOR DIARY

Below are important Dates for Diary for the next few weeks.

16.10.25 – Spooky Disco
3.15pm – 4.30pm

21.10.25 – Year 6 heights
and weights.

23.10.25 – Autumn Craft
Session EYFS.

23.10.25 – School closes at
3.15pm for half term

More dates for diaries can
be found [here](#).

CLASS ASSEMBLIES

All parents and Carers
invited into school to watch
their children: 9am start

- **Foundation** – Friday 1st May
- **Class 1** - Friday 13th February
- **Class 1/2 & Class 2** – Tuesday 11th November
- **Year 3** - Friday 22nd May
- **Year 4** – Friday 28th November
- **Year 6 (Leavers)**
Assembly Thursday 16th July

ROLL OF HONOUR

Class Awards

Attendance Award goes to the class with the best attendance – **Class 2 99.67%**
Caritas Award for the Class of the Week, for politeness and showing Love, Faith and Hope – **Class 5A**
Golden Bin for the class who have kept their classroom the tidiest – **5O**

Roll of Honour – Half Term Awards

The parents of all children on the Roll of Honour for getting a certificate are warmly invited to our school assembly on Monday at 9am to see their child receive their award.

Foundation: Thomas C for such an enthusiastic approach to learning and super recall of phonics sounds!

Foundation: Darcie D-M for being a confident member of our nursery class!

Year 1: Charlie L for settling into Year 1 so well! Trying hard and really impressing us with the vocabulary he is using in the correct context in Art!

Year 1 / 2: Azad S for having a great first half term. He always works hard and tries his best!

Year 2: Rogan K for his 'can do' attitude in all of his learning. Rogan is always challenging himself and takes great pride in his work, what a great start to Year 2!

3O: Luke W for always being polite, hardworking and producing excellent work in all of his subjects. Well done Luke.

3A: Joshua G for always striving to do his best and for being an exemplary, polite and hardworking student. Your dedication and positive attitude make you a wonderful role model to others.

4O: Sofia S for an excellent half term of hard work and determination. Keep it up, you have made so much progress.

4A: Oliwia P for her kind choices and studied attitude. Well done!

5O: Lillie O for her maturity, hard work and good humour.

5A: Amira I for working consistently hard all half term and making super progress!

6O: Noah J for being an excellent role model and for trying his best 100% of the time.

6A: Lottie C for her quiet determination and excellent effort in every piece of work she does!

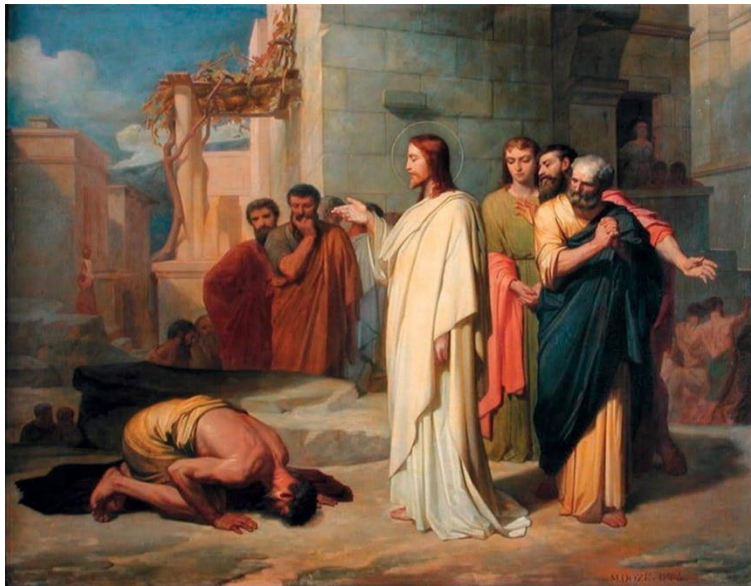
Guitarist of the half term: Loui G for making good progress. Loui also has excellent manners and a mature attitude.

Artist of the half term: Archie N (3A) for his absolutely amazing enthusiasm in all his Art lessons. Well done Archie!

'But as for you, be strong and do not give up, for your work will be rewarded'

2 Chronicles 15:7

The Gospel Reading of the Week (next week): Please share this with your child.



(Luke 17: 11-19)

On the way to Jerusalem, Jesus drew near a village where he found ten lepers waiting to meet him. Keeping their distance, they called out to him, “Jesus of Nazareth, have pity and help us!”

Jesus saw their suffering and said, “Go and show yourselves to the priest.”

They set off to see the priest and, on the way, they realised that their leprosy had been cured! As the others ran to find the priest, one of the ten went back to find Jesus. He threw himself down before him, praising God and thanking Jesus for his kindness. “Were the others not cured too?” Jesus asked. “Yet only one has bothered to thank God for his goodness.” Then he said to the man, “Now go and see the priest, your faith in God has made you well.”

Wednesday Word

The latest edition of the Wednesday Word can be found [here](#).



The Jubilee Year, Pilgrims of Hope



ATTENDANCE

Well done to **Class 2** who had the highest attendance last week, for the 2nd week running! Their attendance was **99.67%** Whole school attendance last week was as follows:

Foundation	98.18%
Class 1	94.58%
Class 1/2	96.55%
Class 2	99.67%
30	94.29%
3A	94.58%
40	98.61%
4A	91.58%
50	93.67%
5A	95.67%
60	93.85%
6A	93.21%
Whole School	96.68%



PARISH INFORMATION



Mass Times this Weekend

- Saturday: 5.30pm at St Osmund's
- Sunday: 9.30am at St Teresa's
- Sunday: 11.00am at St Osmund's

The latest Parish Newsletter and further Parish information, please visit the Parish [website](#).

Reminder of the Week.

Phone Numbers

It is very important that school has an up to date phone number so that we can contact you in the case of an emergency. Please ensure that if you have changed your mobile number, that the office has been informed. Thank you.

All of our reminders and important information can be found on our [website](#).