



# OXTON ST SAVIOUR'S NEWS

## Newsletter - October 2023



*'Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up' - Galatians 6:9*

### HARVEST FESTIVAL



A huge thank you to all who donated much needed goods to this year's Harvest Festival. Items were collected for local charity, The Charles Thompson Mission and a beautiful assembly was held highlighting this year's school focus on 'thanking God for our gifts'. It was a special service and all the children sang.

### Annual Winter Flu Vaccine

Nasal spray vaccinations will be taken place on **Monday 30th October** in school. If you haven't already done so, please consent by clicking [here](#). A copy of this information is available on the school website letters tab.

### SCHOOL AMBASSADORS

At Oxton we are proud that our children want to make a difference in their school community and their world. After half term, we will be introducing Pupil Ambassadors as positive role models within the school community and our joint aim is to make suggestions for improvements for our community. We will be introducing the following working groups of Pupil Ambassadors at Oxton:

Eco | Sports | Science | Reading | RE | Road Safety

The children will meet with their group leaders every month to work on matters close to their hearts. Look out for further updates in the next newsletter.

### Remembrance Service



On Tuesday 14th November there will be a Remembrance Service held at Church for all pupils. All parents are invited to come along. Help with walking is needed so if you are able to assist, please let the school office know.

### Applying for Free School Meals

If you are in receipt of universal credit and you have children in F2 or KS1, then it is still really important to register for Free School Meals. Although your children may be having a universal infant free school meal (UFSM) in school, applying officially means the school receives extra funding. To see if you qualify click [here](#).

### GOODBYE and GOOD LUCK

After over 7 years at Oxton, we say the fondest of farewells to Mrs Mulla who will be leaving us at the end of this half term (20.10.23) to start an exciting new role. This advancement in her career is a well deserved achievement. She will be greatly missed by everyone in school and we wish her every success for her bright future ahead.

### Diary Dates

Although the on-line school calendar is the best way to keep up-to-date, here are some key dates:

**Mon 30th Oct:** Back to school

**Mon 30th Oct:** Flu immunisation day

**Wed 1st Nov:** Years 5/6 Tatton Park

**Thurs 2nd Nov:** F2 children at Church (1:45) CHURCH WALKERS NEEDED!

**Tues 7th Nov:** Yr6 to Liverpool John Moores University - Chemistry Day  
Day (further information to follow)

### Dangerous Parking....Again!

Yet again, we have had local residents understandably upset by selfish parent parking. One lady had a car park over her drive way, preventing her from leaving her home. There have been reports of unacceptable behaviour from parents when they have been asked by residents to park considerately. May we ask that you please park with respect and show our children the example they deserve.

### SPORTS EVENTS



**Football:** The LFC Foundation held a football tournament at Vauxhall Sports Club last week. Year 5/6 drew 3, won 1 and lost 1, finishing 4th overall. For the start of the new season this was a great result.

**Cross Country:** Various events have been held over recent weeks with children across all year groups taking part. The atmosphere at these events are full of fun and the children really enjoyed themselves...which is what it's all about!

### Year 4 Swimming Week w/c 30th October

Pupils must bring in a towel, swim wear, (goggles & hat if required) and a packed lunch from home each day for the whole week. PE kit must be worn all week.

God our Father,  
I come to say  
thank you for your love today.  
Thank you for my family  
and all the friends you give to me.  
Guard me in the dark of night  
and in the morning  
send your light.  
Amen