



OLD TOWN INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

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WEEKLY BULLETIN: Friday 26th September 2025

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| Monday 29th September 2025 | Drama club after school – bookings made via Arbor. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i> |
| Tuesday 30th September 2025 | Year 1 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit Football Club after school – bookings made via Arbor. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i> |
| Wednesday 1 st October 2025 | Reception and Year 2 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit Archery Club after school – bookings made via Premier Education. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i> |
| Thursday 2 nd October 2025 | Nursery and Year 2 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit |
| Friday 3 rd October 2025 | Reception and Year 1 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit |

| Spellings for week commencing 29.09.25 | |
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| Year 1 | be, you, all, are |
| Year 2 | Group A: child, kind, paint, train, make, cake, eight, weigh Group B: light, rain, feet ship, chin, sing, the, to |

Headlines

- BIG thanks to our PTFA who have agreed to part fund the pantomime tickets this year. I know from feedback last year, that this 50% contribution from the PTFA will be greatly appreciated and really help our school community in these financially challenging times.
- Many thanks to everyone who attended the class teacher 'Getting to Know You' sessions. Hopefully you can now put some faces to names. Please remember that you can always contact a class teacher by using the class email addresses that were shared in our first newsletter of the year. If you were unable to make one of the sessions over the past fortnight and would like an appointment with your child's teacher, please drop them an email and they will be happy to arrange a convenient time.
- This year we are evaluating the different trips that take place across the school. We are currently looking at changing some of our destinations and would welcome some parent

feedback in relation to costings. Over the next few weeks we will be writing to you to gain your thoughts.

Key dates

- Thursday 23rd October 2025 PTFA Halloween Disco – times TBC
- Half Term: Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October 2025.
- Tuesday 4th November PTFA Fireworks Scavenger Hunt after school
- Oakdale Junior School Open Evening Tuesday 4th November at 1700
- Parents Evenings: Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th November 2025
- Friday 21st November 2025 Non-uniform day
- Christmas Fayre: Saturday 29th November 2025. Time TBC
- Reception Nativity: Monday 15th December 2025, 0915am
- Year 1 and 2, 'An Old Town Christmas' at St James' Church: Tuesday 16th December 2025
- Trip to Lighthouse Pantomime: Wednesday 17th December 2025
- Visit from Santa: Thursday 18th December 2025
- End of Term at 1315: Friday 19th December 2025
- Health Week: Week commencing 14th April 2026
- Sports Day: Friday 17th April 2026: Nursery and Reception (am), Year 1 and 2 (pm)
- Old Town Community Picnic: Friday 1st May 2026, 1200-1400



Old Town Infant School and Nursery

Open Evening
Wednesday 15th October 2025 from 4pm- 5.30pm
Come and see us – children welcome!

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We look forward to meeting you!

The poster features a blue background with a white boat on the left and a girl in a hijab on the right. At the bottom, there are illustrations of a boy on the left and another boy on the right, with colorful coral and seaweed on the seabed.



PTFA



AUTUMN NEWSLETTER

Welcome back!

The PTFA (Parent, Teacher, Friends Association) have had their first meeting of the new school term, and are busy behind the scenes planning lots of exciting events for Autumn/Winter at Old Town.

We need you!

The PTFA relies on parent volunteers to plan and host events - no offer of time or help is too small. If you would like to find out more or get involved please email us at: oldtownptfa@gmail.com

Oh yes they did!

Thanks to your generous donations at events during the 2024/25 school year, the PTFA was able to subsidise the cost of this year's panto tickets by 50% - we would not be able to offer such a generous donation without your continued support - THANK YOU!

Did you know?

We are designing a website for online ticket booking - watch this space for more information!

Find us on Facebook by searching: Old Town Infant School & Nursery PTFA



Save the Date!



Thursday
23rd
October

Halloween
Disco Party

Tuesday
4th
November

Firework
Scavenger Hunt

Friday 21st
November

Non Uniform
Day

Saturday
29th
November

Christmas
Fair

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