ST MARTINS SCHOOL



21 March 2025

What a week its been for St Martins School! I am sure many of you will already have seen on social media and the local press the fantastic event that took place in Oswestry with a visit from HRH Duke of Edinburgh.



Excitement filled the air as **Prince Edward** visited **OsNosh**, the inspiring community kitchen and café at The Centre in Oswestry. OsNosh transforms surplus food into **delicious**, **nutritious 'pay as you feel' meals**, ensuring no good food goes to waste.

To mark the occasion, **50 dedicated volunteers**, including supporters from local organisations and students from **St Martins School**, gathered for a special buffet lunch prepared by **OsNosh founder Ben Wilson**.



"With help from our incredible volunteers and students, we've taken surplus food collected this week and turned it into a **global feast fit for a Prince**," said Ben.

OsNosh has built a strong partnership with St Martins School and the St Martins Unlimited Enterprise team, collaborating on various initiatives such as cooking masterclasses, educational visits to local organisations, and hands-on experience in their kitchen. This ongoing collaboration continues to inspire and empower students while strengthening community ties. Ms

Weaver who leads St Martins Unlimited and took the team on the visit said "St Martins School students had a truly memorable experience meeting HRH, and I was delighted to support OsNosh during this special with The selection and the state of the state

cial visit. The students were a credit to the school, and we look forward to continuing our collaboration with OsNosh in the future "

Thankyou to everyone who supported Comic Relief today—I have never seen such a massive queue for the cake sale! I have had so much fun creating the joke book! So a big thank you to everyone who contributed; we are close to £700, parent pay will remain open in case you missed it today. Here's the link again to the annual 318

Educational Trust survey—The 3-18 Education Trust Parent Survey



Have a lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy



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Congratulations to both the year 8 girls netball and boys football team that represented us brilliantly at Oswestry school this week.

Toby Green was excellent in goal and Oscar Heathcock led very well from defence in the football tournament. The boys drew twice and lost once.

Hannah Newman and Lia Nunnerley displayed lovely netball with amazing interceptions and passing in their tournament. The girls won two matches, lost three matches and drew their final match against very strong opposition.

Finally, a massive well done to Harry Nunnerley for being selected again for Wales u15 Academy football squad against Swansea FC on Wednesday 9th April- we wish him the very best!



On Wednesday Nursery had a visit from PCSO 'Policeman Pete'. As part of Beep Beep Day he talked to the children about the importance of strapping into their car seats and sitting nicely in the car and also holding hands and listening to grown-ups when crossing the road.

He showed us around his police car and those that wanted to were able to have a sit in it ... they were even allowed to switch on his blue lights. The children that wanted to were able to try on some uniform.

Once again, the children did us

proud, listening to policeman Pete, and asking some really good questions. Well done everyone!



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Easter Services - parents/carers are invited to attend. If you do not wish your child to walk to the church for the service, please let your child's class teacher know.

Wednesday, 9th April at 9:15 AM: Nursery to Year 2 service at School in the Arts Centre

Thursday, 10th April at 2:30 PM: Year 3 to Year 6 service at St. Martins Church

Dates for the diary

- 7 & 8 April—GCSE Art practical exam
- 8 & 9 April— Activate & Advance parents evenings
- 9-11 April—GCSE speaking exams for year 10
- 10 April—nursery's last date before Easter
- 10 & 11 April—Skool of Rock—whole school show (date change)
- 14-25 April—Easter Holidays
- 1 May—year 9 parents evening
- 5 May—bank holiday
- 8 May—Bingo (new date)
- 9 May—GCSE exams start



Creative Clay Creations! Our Year 3 and 4 students recently took part in an exciting clay lesson, where they designed and sculpted their own imaginative creations. After carefully painting them with acrylic paint, they added a shiny finish using PVA glue. Well done to all the students for their fantastic creativity and hard work!

