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# Join us for Oundle's Christmas Market

Oundle Town Council will hold its annual traditional Christmas Market on Saturday 7 December 2024 from 10am to 5pm.

With over 100 stalls filling the Market Place, Queen Victoria Hall, and West Street with a fabulous array of food, gifts, and goodies - you're sure to find that perfect gift or something extra special just for you.

Santa will be in his Grotto outside The Talbot Hotel surrounded by his reindeer, sleigh, and elves, with the Fun Fair close by to entertain the kids. There will be lots of festive cheer to enjoy, with a Brass Band and carol singing by the Christmas Tree on Market Place, and the wonderful Herbie Lamb Quartet will return for a live performance in Queen Victoria Hall.

Get ready for some Christmas magic! Gather by the Christmas tree at 3:30pm for the switch-on and see our dazzling Christmas light display. You won't want to miss this festive moment!



A map of the stalls and details about the free parking will be posted on Oundle Town Council's website <u>oundle.gov.uk</u> and Facebook page <u>@www.oundle.gov.uk</u> at the end of November.











Oundle Town Council
Newsletter

**Autumn edition** 

will be on our website from November 2024 & available in print at Fletton House & in some shops in Oundle.

### **Oundle Markets Survey**

During September and October, Oundle Town Council have listened to the views of traders and residents to understand how the Thursday and Farmers' markets can be improved for the benefit of all. We are very grateful to the 120+ individuals who have provided their input so far, either via meeting the Councillors at the market, or via the survey. Oundle Town Council will provide an update on the findings, and any actions to be taken as a result, in the December Advertiser and on our website oundle.gov.uk









## Discover Your Community

The Oundle Yarn Bombers are a well-loved part of the community, known for their vibrant, imaginative displays that brighten the town. Their colourful knitted creations enhance the Market Place lampposts, benches, trees, and even the local bus stop, adding a cheerful touch to everyday spaces. The group meets most Fridays at 2:00pm in The Hub at Fletton House for a "knit & natter" session. Whether you're a seasoned knitter or just starting out, you're welcome to join them. Over a friendly chat and a cup of tea, members exchange tips and expertise, collaborate on exciting new projects, or seek help with their personal creations. These meet-ups provide a perfect mix of creativity, relaxation, and social connection in a warm, welcoming space.

#### Did you know?

The Oundle and Ashton War Memorial is the centrepiece of the town's Remembrance Sunday' event. It was constructed in 1920 and unveiled that year by the notable head of Oundle School, F. W. Sanderson. It originally commemorated the 68 local lives lost during the First World War, and was updated to include dedications to the 27 additional lives lost in the Second World War. It is classed as a Grade II listed building and is an important construction in the town's centre. The names of the people commemorated on the Memorial can be found on the Imperial War Museum's website **tinyurl.com/oundlememorials** 

Thanks to Oundle Museum for this information.

Remembrance Sunday - Parade on 10 November 2024  Approximate timings	
14.00pm	Roads around the War Memorial are closed
14.25pm	Band & parade "steps off" & marches to & around the War Memorial
14.30pm	The ceremony including wreath laying starts with representatives of the King, MP, councils, members of the armed services, local schools & youth groups
14.50pm	The parade moves to St Peters Church for service
15.45pm	The parade marches to New Street & salutes in front of the Great Hall

# LIVE STREAMING

Remembrance Sunday
Parade will be live
streamed on Oundle Town
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