



# Newsletter

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## Message from Mr McCoy.

I am delighted to share some highlights from our school over the past week. Our Year 4 children hosted the first class assemblies of the year, which were truly remarkable. They shared our new Bleak Hill Values with tremendous confidence and enthusiasm. Thank you to all the parents and family members who attended and supported our children. You should be very proud of their achievements.

This week has been filled with exciting learning opportunities across our year groups. Year 5 have commenced an important financial education programme with the Debt Aware team, focusing on money management and financial security. Our Year 3 children demonstrated exceptional skills during a football event on Thursday, representing our school with outstanding performance.

We have also been developing leadership skills within our school community. Today, our House and Vice House Captains received training to become Playground Leaders. They will soon be applying their new skills to support play activities across our playgrounds, fostering a supportive and engaging environment for all children.

I would like to draw your attention to a few important notices. Next week marks the conclusion of our first half term. Please note that we return to school for Autumn B on TUESDAY 4th November.

After half term we have the FOBH Battle of the Bags taking place. We would greatly appreciate your support by donating clean clothing that is no longer needed. So, hopefully over half term you can have a bit of a clear out!

On Friday 7th November FOBH will be hosting another 'Breakfast On The Go'. Please join us in the small hall for your hot drinks and snacks, before the school day.

Thank you for your continued support.

## **Merit Award - Children who are a good friend**

	<b>R.O.T.W.</b>	<b>W.O.T.W.</b>	<b>M.O.T.W.</b>	<b>Bronze</b>	<b>Silver</b>	<b>Gold</b>
<b>R Hu</b>	Arabella P-M	Oscar B	Adam L	Jack C	Mollie R	Grace M
<b>R Ma</b>	Lily U	Isla W	Mason E	Thomas F	Dorothea V	Isaac G
<b>R Mo</b>	Manuella M S	Henry T	Toby B	Maddox D	Isabelle S	Erica S
<b>1 Ma</b>	Oliver S	Seb F	Lucas M-B	Ethan M	Olivia M	Sam R
<b>1 Me</b>	Nell H	Alfie P	Ada C	Bobby S	Yasmin G	Lizzy K
<b>1 MR</b>	Elijah V	Freya H	Eesah W	Dexter B	Poppy W	Evelyn L
<b>2 A</b>	Myles B	Eliot D	Imogen C	Indie F-G	Nyla E	Edward C
<b>2 CS</b>	Emilia M-J	Henry P	Isaac Mck	Hope K	George D	Willow J
<b>2 Mc</b>	Aaron K	Ella D	Edward C	Reuben P	Barney F	Raya L
<b>3 H</b>	Spencer D	Carter K	Albie P-S	Harper I	Daniel F	Miya L
<b>3 M</b>	Pippa B	Roman G	Freddy R	Emmie H	Arthur D	Isla N
<b>3 W</b>	Ilaria O'N	Elara J	Nancy S	Willow L	Vinnie F	Frankie F
<b>4 DM</b>	Rose B	Harriet H	Beatrice P	Bradley R	Harrison J	Charlie U
<b>4 H</b>	Annabelle B	Seren A	Harry B	Lucas McM	Freddie D	Mollie B
<b>4 W</b>	Thea H	Annie M	Charlie G	Ella A	Daniel B	Laura B
<b>5 B</b>	Ted R	Amber C	Martha M	Katie H	Daina R	Eloise M
<b>5 Da</b>	Jude H	Izzy P	Gerrard C	Nancy A	Charlie D	Evie F
<b>5 Du</b>	Valentin R K	George M	Jonjo O'B	Tyler H	Fifi N-W	Riley W
<b>6 B</b>	Sky W	Natalie S	Max R	Devon M-S	Hannah K	Finley C
<b>6 M</b>	Freya A	Alfie W	Luke B	Oliver W	Amelia B	Anthony W
<b>6 W</b>	Annabelle S	Frankie M	James D	Mason McC	Bella S	Hawley A

## What's on w/c 20.10.25

### Art Week

20.10.2025	Before School	During School	After School
<b>Monday</b>		<b>Y3 Y4 &amp; Y6 PE</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>		<b>YR Y1 &amp; Y2 PE</b>	
<b>Wednesday</b>		<b>Y5 PE</b> <b>Y4 Eureka Trip</b>	<b>FOBH EYFS &amp; KS1 Film Night</b>
<b>Thursday</b>		<b>YR, Y1, Y3 &amp; Y5 PE</b>	<b>FOBH KS2 Film Night</b>
<b>Friday</b>		<b>Y2, Y4 &amp; Y6 PE</b>	<b>Break Up for Half Term (Return Tuesday 04.11.25)</b>

### KEY DATES AUTUMN B TERM 2025

WEEK	DATES	DAY	ACTIVITY
1	04.11-07.11	MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY	Inset Day—School Closed Return to School / FOBH Battle of the Bags Clothing Collection Y6 Beatles Story Trip FOBH Breakfast on the Go
2	10.11-14.11	WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY	Y1 Blue Planet Trip New Intake 2026 Open Evening Own Clothes Day—Children in Need
3	17.11-21.11	TUESDAY THURSDAY	Y5 Class Assemblies (9.15 5Da 10.15 5Du 11.15 5B) Y5 Jodrell Bank Trip
4	24.11-28.11	TUESDAY	YR Wonderdome Trip (at School)
5	01.12-05.12	MONDAY THURSDAY	Tree Lighting FOBH Christmas Bingo
6	08.12-12.12	MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY	Rock Steady Concert (Monday Group) FOBH Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza Christmas Dinner/Jumper Day/Santa Dash Y3 Quarry Bank Mill Trip
7	15.12-19.12	TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY	Y2 Nativities (9.15 2Mc 10.15 2CR 11.15 2A) Rock Steady Concert (Wednesday Group) Christmas Parties Break Up for Christmas—Return 05.01.25



# BLEAK HILL VALUES



## AUTUMN A

FRIENDSHIP

INTEGRITY

## SPRING A

INSPIRATION

REFLECTION

## SUMMER A

POSITIVITY

RESILIENCE

## AUTUMN B

CHARITY

COMPASSION

## SPRING B

FORGIVENESS

ACCEPTANCE

## SUMMER B

INDIVIDUALITY

TEAMWORK

BLEAK HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL AIMS TO PROVIDE EVERY MEMBER OF OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY WITH AN ENVIRONMENT WHICH ENABLES THEM TO BE HAPPY, HEALTHY AND SAFE, IN ORDER TO BE HIGHLY MOTIVATED LIFELONG LEARNERS.

### FOBH News / Key Dates

Tuesday 4th November — Battle of the Bags

Friday 7th November - Breakfast on the Go

Thursday 4th December - Christmas Bingo

Tuesday 9th December - Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza



### Try Competition

Congratulations to H Ashton as the winner of the Women's Grand Final Try Competition—the winning guess was on Luna R's form (3H). Also well done to Tia R (RMO) who raised the most money in the competition.

Thank you all for your support.



### Friends of Bleak Hill Movie Night

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October - EYFS & KS1 (until 4.50pm EYFS & 5PM KS1)

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - KS2 (until 5pm)

The movie night will be an opportunity for your child to spend time in their class watching a movie chosen by their class. The movie night will run from the end of the school day up to 4.50pm for EYFS and 5pm for KS1 and KS2.

Tickets for the Movie Night are £5.00 per child. Children will receive a drink and popcorn. Tickets are available via SchoolMoney until Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October.

Thank you for your support.

Friends of Bleak Hill



## Clothes Recycling Collection Day

Help us to raise funds and protect the planet!

Drop off your clean and dry clothing items, bagged for recycling!

DATE TO BRING IN YOUR CLOTHES: **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2025**

### What we accept!

Good quality clean clothing, paired shoes, accessories and linens.



Bring bagged donations to our collection point (outside Out of Hours Club) on the day.