

Newsletter

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Message from Mr McCoy.

It's been a fabulous week at Bleak Hill Primary School, and I'm delighted to share some of the exciting events and achievements we've experienced. Our Art Week has been a wonderful celebration of creativity, with engaging art-based activities happening across all year groups. We were fortunate to welcome Neil, a local tennis coach, who worked with various classes and will be running extra-curricular tennis clubs for our children. On Tuesday, our KS2 pupils participated in a Goalball event, which they thoroughly enjoyed. The following day proved to be particularly successful in sports. Our Year 5 and 6 children competed in a Cross Country event, with outstanding results. Isabelle from Year 5 secured Gold in the girls' individual event, while Jenson, also in Year 5, won Silver in the boys' individual event. We are immensely proud of the entire team's performance.

Year 4 had an exciting trip to the Eureka Science Museum. Although their planned ferry crossing was cancelled due to a breakdown, the children remained positive. One pupil shared with me that despite the change of plans, he still had a brilliant day.

I would like to extend a big thank you to the FOBH for organising the Film Nights this week, and to our dedicated staff who stayed after school to host the films in their classrooms.

On a personal note, I'm thrilled to announce a special celebration: congratulations to Mr Dagnall on the birth of his baby girl, Ada, who weighed 6lb 3oz. Both mother and baby are doing well, and Mr Dagnall is navigating the joys of new parenthood.

A few important notices for parents: The land drainage work in the school field will continue over the next month, with the aim of improving our field's usability throughout the year. Additionally, the Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) is expected to be completed by the time we return after the half-term break, which is generating considerable excitement.

Thank you for your continued support. Have a fantastic half-term break, and we look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Tuesday 4th November.

Merit Award - Children who are enthusiastic artists

	R.O.T.W.	W.O.T.W.	M.O.T.W.	Bronze	Silver	Gold
R Hu	Matty J	Sienna C	Ruben S	Molly McB	Alfie McL	Lottie N
R Ma	Sophia S	Emilie B	Florence B	Mason E	Leo J	Roman V S
R Mo	Charlie M	Ayaan I	Alex S	Tia R	Evie C	Nina R K
1 Ma	Elijah C	Zayaan M	Dexter H	Rosa W	Daisy C	Noah W
1 Me	Iris McC-F	Henry D	Alexander H	Caleb C	Billy I	Wena K
1 MR	Toby H	Evie L	Idris R	William D	Everyn N-J	Theo C
2 A	Imogen C	Brody T	Edward C	Oliver McD	Mila C	Myles B
2 CS	Orla S	Nova K	Xander P	Louie G-M	Jackson K	Jacob H
2 Mc	Caleb T	Reuben P	Sky K	Rhys S	Harvey B	Dougie C
3 H	Benjamin M	Ella C	Ava B	Sebastian B	Hadassah B	Benjamin B
3 M	Thomas Q-A	Reuben B	Ella W	Felicity B	Bodhi W	Taliha W
3 W	Nancy S	Vinnie F	Dexter C	Matilda N-C	Hannah C	Harriet L
4 DM	Bobby G	Ella W	Thomas B	Mason P	Bradley R	Evan W
4 H	Isaac E	Sadie M	Sienna B	Harrison B	Harry B	Connie C
4 W	Noah D	Darcey L	Sebastian B-K	Lucy P	Ezri N-J	Hanna S
5 B	Matthew McC	Regan T	Harlen C	Iris J	Eloise M	Amber C
5 Da	Nicole M	Charlotte L	Elliot K	Frankie C	Hugo T	Harriet N-C
5 Du	Isaac G	Regan L	Maddison G	Milo G	Maddie H	Lucy R
6 B	Imogen S	Bethany H	Annie D	Sophia M L	Eleanor C	Joseph S
6 M	Oscar D	Lilly I	Leon T	Andriana C	Joel C	Rhea J
6 W	Zac G	Maisie A	Barkley C	James E	Emily L	Oliver F

What's on w/c 03.11.25									
HALF TERM WC 27.10.25									
03.11.2025	Before School	During School	After School						
Monday		INSET DAY SCHOOL CLOSED							
Tuesday	Tennis Y5 & Y6 - Mr Brien (external provider) 1 of 3 Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am FOBH Battle of the Bags	YR Y1 & Y2 PE	Young Voices Y5 & Y6 - Mrs Williams & Miss Heyes 1 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.30pm						
Wednesday	Football Y3 Y4 Y5 & Y6 - Future Gym (external provider) 1 of 4 Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am	Y5 PE Y6 Beatles Story Trip	Woodland Club Y6 - Mss Webster & Mrs Bate 1 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.25pm Gymnastics YR Y1 & Y2 - Future Gym (External Provider) 1 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.10pm						
Thursday	Football Skills YR Y1 & Y2 - Future Gym (external provider) 1 of 4 Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am	YR, Y1, Y3 & Y5 PE	Gymnastics Y3 Y4 Y5 & Y6 - Future Gym (External Provider) 1 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.20pm						
Girls' Football Y3 Y4 Y5 & Y6 - Future Gym (external provider) 1 of 4 Friday Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am FOBH Breakfast on the Go		Y2 , Y4 & Y6 PE							

FOBH News / Key Dates

Tuesday 4th November - Battle of the Bags

Friday 7th November - Breakfast on the Go

Friday 14th November - Deadline for letter from Father Christmas (*Information being sent home 4.11.2025*)

Thursday 4th December - Christmas Bingo



KEY DATES AUTUMN B TERM 2025

WEEK	DATES	DAY	ACTIVITY	
1	04.11-07.11	MONDAY	Inset Day—School Closed	
		TUESDAY	Return to School / FOBH Battle of the Bags Clothing Collection	
		WEDNESDAY	Y6 Beatles Story Trip	
		FRIDAY	FOBH Breakfast on the Go	
2	10.11-14.11	MONDAY	Y4 Trikidz	
		TUESDAY	Y5 Trikidz	
		WEDNESDAY	Y6 Trikidz / Y1 Blue Planet Trip	
		THURSDAY	New Intake 2026 Open Evening	
		FRIDAY	Own Clothes Day—Children in Need (Payment will go live after half term)	
3	17.11-21.11	TUESDAY	Y5 Class Assemblies (9.15 5Da 10.15 5Du 11.15 5B)	
		THURSDAY	Y5 Jodrell Bank Trip	
4	24.11-28.11	TUESDAY	YR Wonderdome Trip (at School)	
5	01.12-05.12	MONDAY	Tree Lighting	
		THURSDAY	FOBH Christmas Bingo	
6	08.12-12.12	MONDAY	Rock Steady Concert (Monday Group)	
		TUESDAY	FOBH Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza	
		WEDNESDAY	Christmas Dinner/Jumper Day/Santa Dash	
		FRIDAY	Y3 Quarry Bank Mill Trip	
7	15.12-19.12	TUESDAY	Y2 Nativities (9.15 2Mc 10.15 2CR 11.15 2A)	
		WEDNESDAY	Rock Steady Concert (Wednesday Group)	
		THURSDAY	Christmas Parties	
		FRIDAY	Break Up for Christmas—Return 05.01.25	







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 4th 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.