



Newsletter

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Message from Mr McCoy.

I am delighted to share some recent highlights from the last week. Our Year 5 class assemblies were truly remarkable, showcasing the children's passion and enthusiasm for reading, with a particular focus on books by Roald Dahl. Thank you to all our Y5 parents and family members who joined us on Tuesday to support our children; you should be super proud of them.

Wednesday marked an exciting milestone for our school with the launch of our new Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA). Every class had the opportunity to experience this fantastic new facility during the launch day. A special mention must go to Mr Morley, who spent the entire day outside (braving the cold) to facilitate the first matches on the MUGA. The area is now fully timetabled and will provide an excellent resource for our PE sessions. Thank you again to the FOBH for all the fundraising over the last 18 months, without it we would not be able to have this facility.

On Thursday, our Year 5 children embarked on an educational trip to Jodrell Bank, expanding their knowledge about space. On the same day, some of our Year 3 children represented the school at a Dodgeball event, demonstrating the exceptional skills and team spirit that we have come to expect from our children.

Important Notice: I would like to remind parents that filming for our new school promotional video will take place on Wednesday, 26th November. Please make a note of this date.

We continue to be proud of the achievements and enthusiasm of our children across all year groups. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Merit Award - Children who show mutual respect

	Oracy Champion	R.O.T.W.	W.O.T.W.	M.O.T.W.	Bronze	Silver	Gold
R Hu	Bradley M	Darcie B	Sonny W	Rory B	Grace M	Sienna C	Adam L
R Ma	Thomas P	Adeline N	Thomas F	Bella K	Isaac G	Sophia S	Dorothea V
R Mo	Ayaan I	Casper O	Beni E	Kurtis G	Eva C	Daisy R	Freyja G
1 Ma	Leo W	James M	Ethan M	Evie D	Elliot A	Sam R	Ada D
1 Me	Lizzy K	Charlie H	Caleb C	Amelia C	Billy I	Lucy W	Yasmin G
1 MR	Elizabeth P	Poppy W	Arthur M	Elliott H	Theo C	Iris H	Elijah V
2 A	Oliver McD	Myles B	Elsie S	Zakary P	Noah R	Edward C	Nyla E
2 CS	Emilia M-J	Willow J	Penny W-P	Orla S	Louie G-M	Sophie D	George D
2 Mc	Lucy J	Rhys S	Barney F	Hollie G	Daniel C	Aurelia L	Harvey B
3 H	Ella C	Ben B	Miya L	Sienna C	Albie P-S	Ren K	Carter K
3 M	Arthur D	Isla N	Felicity B	Sophie M	Pippa B	Finley McC	Roman T
3 W	Ilaria O'N	Caleb W	Nancy S	Jayson B	Isla M	Bobby H	Leo R
4 DM	Charlie U	Joseph U	Hattie H	Harrison J	Clyde W	Finley W	Isla-Rose R
4 H	Sadie M	Penny T	Lottie C	Lucas McM	Luke R	Molly H	George W
4 W	Lucy P	Aria B	Ezri N-J	George K	Darcey L	Harrison C	Annie M
5 B	Ted R	Amber L	Isla S	Daina R	Jude N	Robyn L	Matilda B
5 Da	Jenson P	Emily A	Harvey T-H	Reuben M	Eva R	Harriet B	Frankie C
5 Du	Lucy R	Ryan S	Jonjo OB	Molly F	Harry Z	Milo G	Nancie J
6 B	Charlotte F	Charlie Bri	Amber S	Poppy B	Charlie Bru	Evie S	Max R
6 M	Andriana C	Joseph H	Amelia B	Anthony W	Freya A	Poppy F	Alfie W
6 W	Penny O	Marcie L	James E	Emily L	Jacob H	Hawley A	Maisie A

What's on w/c 24.11.25

24.11.2025	Before School	During School	After School
Monday		Y3 Y4 & Y6 PE	
Tuesday		YR Y1 & Y2 PE <i>YR Wonderdome Experience</i> <i>Order Deadline-Christmas Dinner</i>	Young Voices Y5 & Y6 - Mrs Williams & Miss Heyes 4 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.30pm
Wednesday	Football Y3 Y4 Y5 & Y6 - Future Gym (external provider) 4 of 4 Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am	Y5 PE <i>School Filming Day</i>	Woodland Club Y6 - Mss Webster & Mrs Bate 4 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.25pm Gymnastics YR Y1 & Y2 - Future Gym (External Provider) 4 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.10pm
Thursday	Football Skills YR Y1 & Y2 - Future Gym (external provider) 4 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) 4 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.20pm
Friday	Girls' Football Y3 Y4 Y5 & Y6 - Future Gym (external provider) 4 of 4 Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am	Y2, Y4 & Y6 PE	

FOBH News / Key Dates

Thursday 4th December - Christmas Bingo

Tuesday 9th December -Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza

Wednesday 10th December—Breakfast to Go!



KEY DATES AUTUMN B TERM 2025

WEEK	DATES	DAY	ACTIVITY
4	24.11-28.11	TUESDAY	YR Wonderdome Trip (at School)
		WEDNESDAY	School Filming Day
5	01.12-05.12	MONDAY	Tree Lighting (2.30pm)
		THURSDAY	FOBH Christmas Bingo
6	08.12-12.12	MONDAY	Rock Steady Concert (Monday Group)
		TUESDAY	FOBH Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza
		WEDNESDAY	FOBH Breakfast to Go/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 2CS 11.15 2A)
		WEDNESDAY	Rock Steady Concert (Wednesday Group)
		THURSDAY	Christmas Parties
		FRIDAY	Break Up for Christmas—SCHOOL CLOSSES 1.30PM & NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB—

Festive
Christmas
Dinner

SERVED ACROSS DECEMBER

SLICED TURKEY
QUORN FILLET
MASHED & ROAST POTATOES, STUFFING,
GRAVY, SEASONAL VEGETABLES
FROSTED CHOCOLATE CAKE

  




Stan Pennington Allotments
**Christmas Fundraising
Event**

*Come and meet
Santa!* **£5**

Sunday 7th December
10.00am - 2.00pm
Festive Fun for All

Santa's Cabin, Santa's sleigh, Tombola,
Raffle, Cakes, Hot dogs, Chips,
Kiddies Activities, plus so much more...

Santa's Grotto £5 per child including gift, discount for larger families*

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Bleak Hill Primary - Christmas Events 2025

Date	Time	Details	Cost/Booking Information
ALL DECEMBER 1 st -19 th	Every Day	FOBH Lindt Christmas Raffle - Advent Calendar – Daily Opening	Tickets in School Money Shop
Monday 1 st December	2.30pm - 3pm	Christmas Service / Tree Lighting - Christmas carols around the tree (provided by Windle Parish Council) - Parents Welcome (NB this is weather dependent – if indoors unfortunately we cannot invite parents). Arrival from 2.15pm. Children can be collected straight after tree lighting from their classroom doors.	
Tuesday 2 nd December	1:15pm-3:00pm	YV Choir to visit Ruskin Lodge to sing for residents**	Informed via Spider
Thursday 4 th December	5.45pm - 9pm	FOBH Christmas Bingo (Doors open 5.45pm, Eyes Down at 6pm!)	Tickets in School Money Shop
Monday 8 th December	12:45pm-3pm 2:30pm-3pm	YV Choir to visit Eccleston Court to sing for residents** Monday Group Rock Steady Concert (<i>Parents of the children in Monday Rock Steady Concert welcome</i>)	Informed via Spider
Tuesday 9 th December	End of school – 4:10pm EYFS 4:20pm KS1 4:25pm KS2	FOBH Tea with Santa & Christmas Extravaganza	Payment on School Money
Wednesday 10 th December	8.20am-9am All Day 11:30am-1:30pm	FOBH Breakfast to Go! Non uniform with Christmas Jumper or Christmas outfit for Santa Dash (<i>Trainers required & Santa hats/boppers can be worn</i>) – Bring A Tin for the Foodbank Christmas Dinner	Christmas Dinner to be pre-ordered on School Grid (£3.10 for KS2, free for EYFS/KS1)

Thursday 11 th December	9am-12pm 1:30pm-3pm 4:15pm-5:15pm	KS2 Christmas Experience – St Andrews Church YV Choir to visit Willowbrook to sing for residents** - minibus YV Choir to visit Tesco Extra St Helens' Linkway to sing	Informed via Spider Permission/Details on Spider
Friday 12 th December	12:45pm-3pm	YV Choir to visit Waterside to sing for residents**	Informed via Spider
Tuesday 16 th December	9:15 am 10:15am 11:15am PM	<u>Y2 Nativities</u> 2Mc Nativity (<i>doors open 9am for prompt start at 9:15am</i>) 2CS Nativity (<i>doors open 10am for prompt start at 10:15am</i>) 2A Nativity (<i>doors open 11am for prompt start at 11:15am</i>) Talent Show (KS2 Children Only) – audition information to follow – this is a school only event – unfortunately parents are not invited.	Maximum of 4 people per family - no ticket required
Wednesday 17 th December	9am - 12pm 10:30am-12:30pm 2:30pm-3pm	Altru Christmas Pantomime Performance YV Choir to visit Henbury Court to sing for residents** Wednesday Group Rock Steady Concert (<i>Parents of the children in Wednesday Rock Steady Concert welcome</i>)	Informed via Spider
Thursday 18 th December	AM PM	Christmas Parties (<i>Children to come in their party clothes</i>) FOBH Christmas Raffle	£1 a ticket (cash) available in class from Mon 15 th Dec
Friday 19 th December	<u>1.30pm</u>	<u>School Closes for the Christmas Holiday</u>	

**A selection of pupils from the Young Voices Choir will take part in each choir event to ensure every child attends one of the visits