Bleak Hill Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Friday 27th November 2026

Message from Mr Dagnall

Thank you to the parents, carers and family members who joined us for the Art Gallery on Monday afternoon. It was a pleasure to welcome you into school to see the children's work on display. Portraits can be purchased on School Money until Friday 4th December.

This week, we celebrated History Day at Bleak Hill. The children gained further disciplinary knowledge, building on the learning they have already completed in this area. Days like this give children the opportunity to apply their understanding in a memorable way.

Yesterday, Altru delivered exciting anti-bullying performances. These performances further enhance our teaching in this important area, reinforcing the messages we promote every day across the school.

Next week, our Tree Lighting event marks the start of the festive period at Bleak Hill. We would be delighted if parents, carers and family members could join us. Gates open at 2.15pm, with the event starting at 2.30pm.

Thank you once again for your continued support. Have a great weekend, and we look forward to starting our festivities together.

KEY DATES AUTUMN B TERM 2026

	DATES	DAY	ACTIVITY
5	**30.11-04.12**	**TUESDAY**	Tree Lighting
		THURSDAY	FOBH Christmas Bingo
6	**07.12-11.12**	**MONDAY**	Rock Steady Concert Monday Group
		TUESDAY	FOBH Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza
		WEDNESDAY	Christmas Dinner / Christmas Jumpers / Santa Dash / FOBH Breakfast on the Go
		FRIDAY	Altru Pantomime
7	**14.12-18.12**	**TUESDAY**	Y2 Nativities
		WEDNESDAY	Rock Steady Concert Wednesday Group
		THURSDAY	Christmas Parties / FOBH Christmas Raffle
		FRIDAY	Break Up for Christmas at 1.30pm—No ASC Club Available —Return Monday 04.01.27

What's on w/c 30.11.2026

30.11.2026	Before School	During School	After School
Monday		**Y4 & Y6 PE**	Drawing Doodlers Y1 & Y2 – Miss Makin & Mrs Nelson 4 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.15pm Judo Y4 Y5 & Y6 – Sports Education (external provider) 4 of 4 Exit via main reception at 4.20pm
Tuesday		**Y1, Y2 & Y3 PE** **Tree Lighting** **2.30pm** **Parent arrival from 2.15pm** **(No disabled parking available from 1.45pm)** **Weather Permitting**	Young Voices Y5 & Y6 - Mrs Williams & Miss Heyes 5 of 5 Exit via main reception at 4.30pm
Wednesday		**Y1 & Y5 PE**	
Thursday		**YR, Y2, Y3 & Y5 PE**	**FOBH Christmas Bingo** **Doors open 5.30pm, Eyes Down 6pm**
Friday		**YR, Y4 & Y6 PE**	

Merit Award - Children who show mutual respect

Class	Oracy Champion	R.O.T.W.	W.O.T.W.	M.O.T.W.	Bronze	Silver	Gold
RHu	Roman V-C	Kaia R	Harry C	Isla F	Carter H	Pippa B	Charlie G
RMa	George G	Edward K	Benedict B-K	Jaxon B	Jack B	Sonny G	Ava T
RMo	Ezra B	Percy L	Arthur P	Abel C	Isabella G	George P	Shekeanah M
1CS	Rory B	Mollie R	George B	Ilaria B	Adam L	Ada G	Melissa C
1Ma	Tia R	Freddie M	Bob D	Eva C	Evie C	Freyja G	Poppy W-P
1Me	Roman V-S	Leo J	Florence B	Lottie H	Emilie B	Ralph B	Theo B
2A	Oakley J	Amelia M	Tilly G	Ollie M	Alexander H	Yasmin G	Arlo D
2JM	Jacob H	Kganya D	Dexter H	Jamie D	Noah W	Evelyn A	Amelia M
2KM	Jake R	Evie L	Idris R	Elizabeth P	Albert R-G	Kimberley R	Iris H
3Ha	Jacob R	Una W	Hope K	Emilia M-J	Sophie D	Jacob H	Isaac M
3He	Sky K	Hollie G	Aurelia L	Aaron K	Mason P	Harvey B	Finan H
3W	Edward C	Gracie H	Zak P	Nancy M-S	Brody T	Imogen C	Nia A
4F	Pippa B	Roman T	Belle F	Celine M	Arthur D	Theo C	Lottie A
4MR	Freddie G	Bobby H	Harriet L	Caleb W	Leo R	Sadie C	Ilaria O'N
4W	Miya L	Frahzer N	Ben B	Amelie L	Daniel F	Carter K	Rosie G
5B	Seb B-K	Ezri N-J	Blake M	Noah D	Ella A	Darcey L	Aria B
5D	Florence S	Freddie D	Sienna B	Emily A	Luke R	Harry B	Seren A
5S	Ellie H	Bea P	Harrison J	Penelope P	Alfie W	Bea C	Sienna C
6B	Amilia N	George M	Ryan S	Harry Z	Maddie H	Harriet D	Nancie J
6M	Evie F	Elise O	Jacob R	Charlie D	Luca D	Emily A	Isabelle P
6W	Tom K	Ava B	Robyn L	Archie J	Amber C	Elijah C	Katie H

Friends of Bleak Hill

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December - Lindt Christmas Advent Calendar
03.12.2026 - Christmas Bingo
08.12.2026 - Tea with Santa / Christmas Extravaganza -
09.12.2026 - Breakfast on the Go
17.12.2026 - Christmas Raffle



Bleak Hill Primary - Christmas Events 2026			
Date	**Time**	**Details**	**Cost/Booking Information**
ALL DECEMBER 1st-18th	Every Day	FOBH Lindt Christmas Raffle - Advent Calendar – Daily Opening	Tickets in School Money Shop
Tuesday 1st 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.	
Wednesday 2nd December	12:45pm-3:00pm	YV Choir to visit Waterside to sing for residents**	Informed via Spider
Thursday 3rd December	5.30pm - 8pm	FOBH Christmas Bingo (Doors open at 5.30pm, Eyes Down at 6pm!)	Tickets in School Money Shop
Monday 7th December	2:15pm-3pm	Monday Group Rock Steady Concert *(Parents of the children in Monday Rock Steady Concert welcome – doors open 2pm).*	
Tuesday 8th December	9am-12pm 12:45pm-3pm End of school - 4:10pm EYFS 4:20pm KS1 4:25pm KS2	KS2 Christmas Experience – St Andrews Church YV Choir to visit Eccleston Court to sing for residents** FOBH Tea with Santa & Christmas Extravaganza	 Informed via Spider Payment on School Money
Wednesday 9th December	8.20am-9am 11:30am-1:30pm All Day	FOBH Breakfast to Go! Christmas Dinner (Deadline to order on School Grid Friday 27.11.26). Non uniform with Christmas Jumper or Christmas outfit for Santa Dash *(Trainers required & Santa hats/boppers can be worn)* – Bring A Tin for the Foodbank	 Christmas Dinner to be pre-ordered on School Grid (£3.20 KS2, free EYFS/KS1)
Thursday 10th December	12:45pm-3pm	YV Choir to visit Willowbrook to sing for residents** - minibus	Permission on Spider

Friday 11th December	9am-12pm	Altru Christmas Pantomime Performance	
Monday 14th December	1:30pm-3pm	YV Choir to visit Ruskin Lodge to sing for residents**	Informed via Spider
Tuesday 15th December	9:15 am 10:15am 11:15am PM 4:30pm-5:30pm	**Y2 Nativities** 2KM Nativity (*doors open 9am for prompt start at 9:15am*) 2A Nativity (*doors open 10am for prompt start at 10:15am)* 2JM Nativity (*doors open 11am for prompt start at 11:15am)* Talent Show (KS2 Children Only) – audition information to follow – this is a school only event – unfortunately parents are not invited. YV Choir to visit Tesco Extra St Helens' Linkway to sing	Maximum of 4 people per family - no ticket required Permission/Details on Spider
Wednesday 16th December	10:30am-12:30pm 2:15pm-3pm	YV Choir to visit Henbury Court to sing for residents** Wednesday Group Rock Steady Concert *(Parents of the children in Wednesday Rock Steady Concert welcome – doors open 2pm).*	Informed via Spider
Thursday 17th December	AM PM	Christmas Parties (*Children to come in their party clothes)* FOBH Christmas Raffle	 £1 a ticket (cash) available in class from Mon 14th Dec
Friday 18th December	**1.30pm**	**School Closes for the Christmas Holiday**	

**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