



# Broad Oak Primary School

## Newsletter

Thursday 9th July 2026

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### A Word from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week our pupils spent two half days in their new classes for next year. We hope that the children enjoyed their visits and are looking forward to September.

Next week we prepare to say goodbye to our Y6 cohort of children. I am sure that you will all join with me in wishing them every happiness at their new schools. As a year group they have impressed me greatly, not least in their recent production of The Lion King Kids. The children performed for the whole school as well as two performances for family members. The team work and camaraderie was wonderful to see – Well done to you all!

Now that the production is out of the way, the Y6 celebrations can begin! Today the children are visiting Alton Towers and looking forward to their Leaver's Assembly, Cinema trip and Pizza Party next week.

Yesterday our Y1 children went on their trip to Knowsley Safari Park. The children had a wonderful time seeing some of the animals that they have been learning about up close!

On Sunday 12th July we will be holding our Summer Fair on our school field from 12-3pm. The weather is set to be good and we hope that you will be able to join us to mark the end of another busy year at Broad Oak. It is still not too late to return the raffle tickets that were sent home to sell. There are some wonderful prizes to be won, and the raffle will be drawn on the day.

On Monday you will receive your child's end of year report. In EYFS these will be e-mailed directly to you on Arbor. In

KS1 and KS2 you will receive an email link on Arbor directing you to our assessment portal - DC Pro. If you experience any difficulties with this please do not hesitate to contact the school admin team.

In our end of year assembly on Friday 17th July we will be celebrating all of those children that have achieved 100% attendance, something to be rightly proud of. The children will receive a special certificate and a small gift from school.

As we begin to prepare for the summer break, we have included a reminder of the term dates for next year. Please note that school closes at 1.30pm on Friday 17th July and re-opens to pupils on Wednesday 2nd September 2026. We kindly remind families that returning to school late due to travel outside of holidays will result in a penalty notice.

Finally, I must inform you that Ameena Khan will be leaving Broad Oak at the end of this term to take up a similar role at another school. As many of you will know, Ameena has been the play leader at our After School Club for many years, initially working for BOSH before joining the Broad Oak team. I know that she will be missed by many children and families. I am sure that you will want to join me in wishing her every success at her new school. Our club will continue and we will be informing families of the new arrangements prior to the summer break.

Best wishes,

**Mr. Kevin Corteen.**  
Headteacher.

Attitude

Behaviour

Courage

Determination

Enthusiasm

Friendship

Resilience

## Attendance:

Our attendance target for this academic year remain at 97%. Our whole school attendance figure for the Autumn and Spring term was 93.8% The Manchester LA average percentage was 94.9%.

Average attendance to the week ending 15.05.26 was 93.5%

The following classes had attendance above our school target of 97% W/E 03.07.26:

Pine - 97%, Hazel - 98%, Rowan - 97%, Spruce - 97%.

No classes had attendance above our school target of 97% W/E 26.06.26:

## UN Rights of the Child – Rights Respecting School Award:

In the last couple of weeks, through our assemblies, we have been exploring the following four articles from the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.

### The identified articles are:



## Star of the week:

The following children were celebrated in our assembly on 2nd July:

Elm - Laiba, CJ & Zaynah, Pine - Hunter & Zayaan, Ash - Madalief, Hasan, Romy & Benji,

Beech - Aneesha, Hema, Hasnain & Ibrahim M, Hazel - Sofia, Ayla, Sophia & Kalista,

Aspen - Leo & Abdelmajed, Spruce - Mustafa, Izaan & Ibrahim.

The following children were celebrated in our assembly today:

Elm - Taj, Awab & Zorayz, Pine - Yusuf & Hamza, Ash - Aria, Ayah & Lulu,

Beech - Yusuf, Abi, Sofia, Louie & Narayan, Hazel - Amari, Lina & Alissa.

## Reading Raffle Results:

### Tuesday 30th June

KS1 Nikki (Pine)

LKS2 - Zeyneb (Hazel)

UKS2 - Buddy (Rowan)

### Tuesday 7th Jul

KS1 - Zidan (Pine)

LKS2 - Hanna (Hazel)

## The Summer Reading Challenge 2026

arrives soon, bringing the music-themed

### Read to the Beat!

and 55 free-to-borrow books for children to enjoy through libraries in Scotland from June and in England & Wales from July.

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**READ to the BEAT**

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We had an amazing time in after-school club, exploring under-the-sea activities, celebrating the start of the World Cup, and building dens in the forest. We even added a colourful rainbow-hat club during the heatwave.

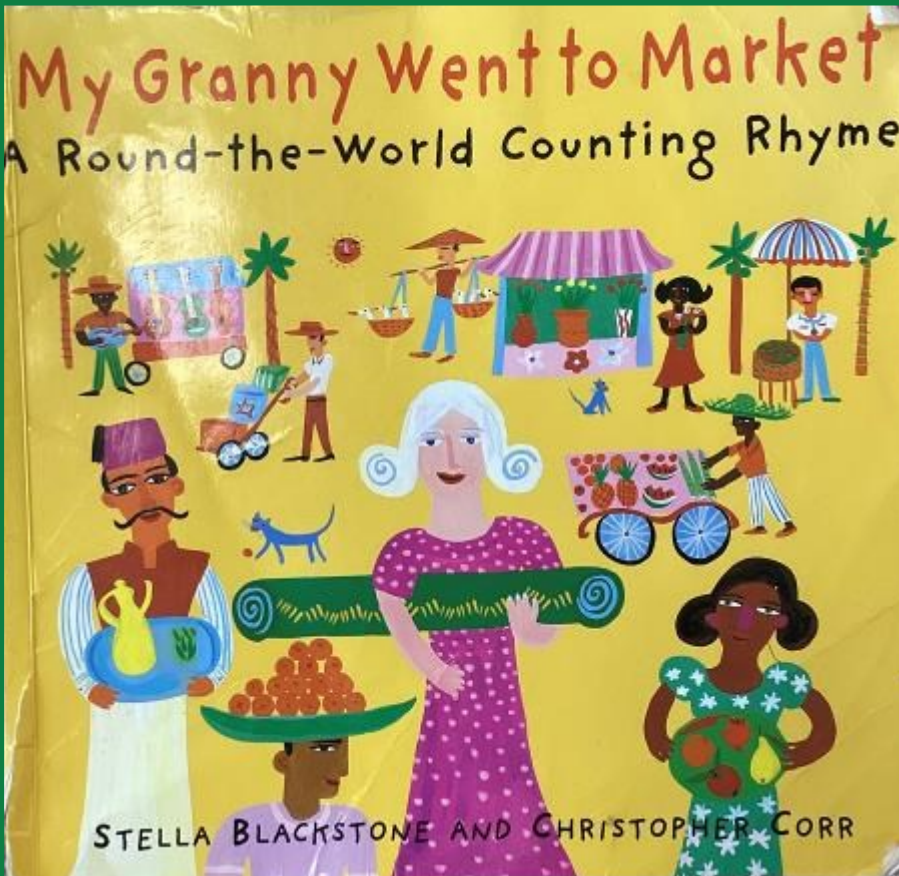




Year 6 have been busy rehearsing their end-of-year production of *The Lion King*, bringing the story to life with energy and teamwork.



In the Nursery as well as having fun, we are having an adventure exploring and making different objects that Granny bought from around the world. But also we are trying to imagine and design the buildings that we think might have looked like in the countries that Granny visited for her shopping around the world.



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# School Holidays 2026/2027

Term / Holiday	School Closes	School Opens
<b>Autumn Term</b>	-	Wednesday 2nd September 2026
<b>Autumn Half Term</b>	Thursday 22nd October 2026 at 3.20pm	Monday 2nd November 2026
<b>Christmas Holiday</b>	Friday 18th December 2026 at 1.30pm	Tuesday 5th January 2027
<b>Spring Half Term</b>	Friday 12th February 2027 at 3.20pm	Monday 22nd February 2027
<b>Easter Holiday</b>	Thursday 25th March 2027 at 1.30pm	Tuesday 13th April 2027
<b>May Day</b>	Monday 3rd May 2027 (School Closed)	-
<b>Summer Half Term</b>	Friday 28th May 2027 at 3.20pm	Monday 7th June 2027
<b>Summer Holiday</b>	Tuesday 20th July 2027 at 1.30pm	-

## Staff INSET Days

Date
Tuesday 1st September 2026
Friday 23rd October 2026
Monday 4th January 2027
Monday 12th April 2027
Wednesday 21st July 2027

## Bank Holidays

Holiday	Date
Christmas Day	Friday 25th December 2026
Boxing Day	Saturday 26th December 2026
New Year's Day	Friday 1st January 2027
Good Friday	Friday 26th March 2027
Easter Monday	Monday 29th March 2027
May Day	Monday 3rd May 2027
Spring Holiday	Monday 31st May 2027

# WE ARE NOW ENROLLING NEW STUDENTS

INTO OUR DANCE ACADEMY!



JOIN US EVERY WEDNESDAY

..... IN THE SCHOOL HALL (TERM TIME ONLY)

## STREET DANCE CLASSES

AGES 4-8



4.30PM -  
5.15PM

&

AGES 9+



5.30PM -  
6.15PM

TAKE PART IN



ANNUAL  
SHOWS



EXAMINATIONS



COMPETITIONS

TO BOOK CONTACT

LAURA - 07534196695



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FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS!

# SUNDAY FUNDAY MANCHESTER DAY 2026

SUNDAY 26 JULY  
11:30AM-5PM

MANCHESTER  
CENTRAL LIBRARY  
(ST PETER'S  
SQUARE)

£2 Face painting  
Crafts  
Performances  
and much more!



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ALL  
IN.**

**HOLA  
R'KID**



**GRAN  
AMOR  
MGR**



**MCR  
BARCELONA**

# OLD BEDIANS JUNIORS RECRUITMENT DAY

REGISTER FROM 10:30AM, 12TH JULY,

📍 OLD BEDIANS SPORT CENTRE, MILLGATE LANE, M20 5QX

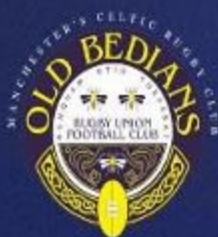
**WANT TO TRY RUGBY? RECRUITING BOYS &  
GIRLS CURRENTLY IN RECEPTION TO YEAR 7**

## PLAYER BENEFITS:

- WEEKLY TRAINING & MATCHES
- SALE SHARKS EXPERIENCES
- SPONSORED KIT
- QUALIFIED COACHES
- CHEAPEST FEES IN THE AREA
- A SEASON'S SUPPLY OF HOTDOGS
- MATES FOR LIFE

**PRIZES FOR EVERY NEW PLAYER!**

# BELONG TO BEDIANS!



CONTACT US BELOW, OR SEND US A DM:

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**Kidslingo**

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**2<sup>ND</sup> JUNE 2026**



**Y2-6**  
**SPANISH**  
**AFTER SCHOOL**  
**CLUB**



**TUESDAYS**

**3:20-4:20PM**



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# PSC

PRIMARY SPORTS COACHING  
LIMITED



## Whit & Summer Holiday Camps

### Sports, Dance and Gymnastics



- Norris Bank Primary School, Heaton Moor
- Moss Hey Primary School, Bramhall
- St Thomas CE Primary School, Heaton Moor
- Broadstone Hall Primary School, Heaton Chapel
- Norbury Hall Primary School, Hazel Grove
- St Catherines RC Primary School, Didsbury
- Acacias Primary School, Burnage

**2 Day Girls Football Camp at St Thomas Primary School**  
26th and 27th May

**Standard day:** 9am - 3.30pm (£26)

**Extended day:** 8am - 5pm (£30)

#### Free HAF Places

We have Free HAF places for children who are eligible for 'benefits related free school meals' at most of our camps. Please email [info@primaryscl.co.uk](mailto:info@primaryscl.co.uk) to find out how to book.

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# Holiday Camps Calendar 2026

		St Thomas CE Primary School Heaton Moor	Broadstone Hall Primary School Heaton Chapel	Moss Hey Primary School Stockport	Norris Bank Primary School Heaton Moor	Norbury Hall Primary School Hazel Grove	Acacias Primary School Burnage	St Catherines RC Primary School Didsbury	St Marys Primary School Moss Side
Activities		Multi Sports, Dance and Gym	Multi Sports	Multi Sports	Multi Sports	Multi Sports	Multi Sports	Multi Sports	Multi Sports
WHIT	Tues 26th - Fri 29th May	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓ TBC		
	Mon 1st - Fri 5th June	✓		✓		✓		✓	
	Mon 8th June	✓							
SUMMER	Mon 20th - Fri 24th July						✓ Thurs & Fri		
	Mon 27th - Fri 31st July	✓	✓ Mon - Thurs	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Mon 3rd - Fri 7th Aug	✓	✓ Mon - Thurs	✓	✓	✓		✓	
	Mon 10th - Fri 14th Aug	✓	✓ Mon - Thurs	✓	✓	✓		✓	
	Mon 17th - Fri 21st Aug	✓	✓ Mon - Thurs		✓	✓	✓		
	Mon 24th - Fri 28th Aug	✓ Mon - Wed			✓ Mon - Wed		✓ Tues & Wed		✓ Mon - Wed



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To find out more information visit our website [www.primaryscl.co.uk](http://www.primaryscl.co.uk)

## PSCL Whit Holiday Camps

Some days are already full at our Whit camps, have you secured your place?

Click the link below to book your place at your favourite Ofsted registered setting:

[Broadstone Hall Primary School, Heaton Chapel](#)

[Moss Hey Primary School, Bramhall](#)

[Norbury Hall Primary School, Hazel Grove](#)

[Norris Bank Primary School, Heaton Moor](#)

[St Catherine's RC Primary School, Didsbury](#)

[St Thomas CE Primary School, Heaton Moor](#)

## Girls Football Camp

Our popular girls only football camp will be open on **Tuesday 26th May** and **Wednesday 27th May**.

Find out more about our camps at <https://www.primaryscl.co.uk/holiday-camps/>

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out. If you have any questions please reach out to Kelly at [info@primaryscl.co.uk](mailto:info@primaryscl.co.uk)

# BE SAFE THIS SUMMER

FOLLOW THESE SIMPLE TIPS TO KEEP YOU,  
YOUR FAMILY, AND YOUR FRIENDS SAFE.



## SUN SAFETY

- Use sun cream with UVA and UVB protection
- Sun cream should be SPF 30 or higher
- Avoid the sun between 11am-3pm
- Know your skin type and how to protect it
- Drink plenty of water
- Wear a hat and sunnies



Scan the QR code for  
sunburn advice



## WATER SAFETY

- Swim in places that have a lifeguard on duty
- Never swim alone
- Take warm clothes with you to get changed into afterwards
- Make sure your phone is fully charged
- If you get into trouble in the water float on your back in a starfish shape and call for help

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water safety advice



## TRANSPORT SAFETY

- Take care when crossing roads, tram lines and train lines - use crossing points
- Wear a helmet when on a bike or scooter



Scan QR code  
for ideas for  
the holidays



## WATER SAFETY CODE

If you fall in, follow the **Water Safety Code**.



# FREE FOOTBALL SESSIONS FOR GIRLS

GIRLS AGED 5-11

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**When:** Every Sunday!

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