



BROADSTONE HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week 21 ending 14th February 2025



Welcome to the Broadstone Hall Primary School Newsletter!

HEADTEACHERS NOTE:

I would like to take this opportunity before we break for the half term holidays to extend an appeal to our larger Broadstone community from **Daryll Falconer, Countryside Officer** on behalf of **Reddish Vale Country Park**.

The floods of New Year's Day deposited huge amounts of plastic and litter on the river banks throughout Reddish Vale. Since then, dedicated volunteers have turned out daily to clean up and remove this waste. However, there is still lots to do.

On **Wednesday 19th and Friday 21st February 10am – 2pm**

there will be an organised litter pick in Reddish Vale, with River Rangers from United Utilities present.

We would love if as many volunteers as possible could attend to help out. All equipment will be provided and refreshments will be available from the lovely **Sarah Underwood & The Coffee Bean Dream** also in situ.

Please put these two dates in diary as something to do over the February half term, even if you can only give an hour or two, **EVERYONE is welcome!!!**



AND THE WINNERS OF BGT ARE.....

Kaleb-M K 5SH – Singing

(Bruno Mars/ Lady Gaga)

Eva C-S 6JL – Lyrical Dance –

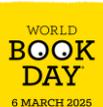
(Everybody Want to Rule The World)

Brilliant show today; thank-you to

each and every

contestant that took

part! Well done!



WORLD BOOK DAY

Y1-6: Thurs 6th March

There won't be PE or games for any class on that day & no swimming either. Instead, the full day will be dedicated to

World Book Day with lots of exciting activities planned to promote the love of reading. Book tokens will be distributed in class shortly. These will be valid until 31st March 2025.

EYFS: Friday 7th March

N.B Nursery & Reception will have their WBD the **next day** due to Reception attending "Jack & The Beanstalk" on Thursday 6th March. We ask that children wear full uniform for the school trip & dress in colours red, blue or purple on Friday.

Y6 SCIENCE

This week, as part of their Animals (including humans) unit in Science, Year 6 dissected and explored a sheep's heart.



FOB RAINBOW DRESS UP DAY FRIDAY 28th FEBRUARY

We have had enough of the cold wet dreary weather; so we are going to BRING ON SPRING with our **FOB Rainbow Dress Up Day 28th February 2025.**

The idea is very simple; *after feedback from parents & interest in Poverty Proofing you can dress brightly IN ANY COLOUR*

YOU WANT! All we ask in exchange is for an item donated in **THE COLOUR ALLOCATED TO YOUR YEAR GROUP** below of either food/gift/bottle which will then go together to make hampers to be won in the **FOB EASTER RAFFLE!**

One of our most popular raffles, the hampers are outstanding!

N: Any colour

Rec: Red donation

Y1: Orange donation

Y2: Yellow donation

Y3: Green donation

Y4: Blue donation

Y5: Purple donation

Y6: Pink donation



HALF TERM HOLIDAY ACTIVITY PACK

The latest Children's activity pack from the Trans Pennine is filled with lots of exciting holiday activities that will keep young minds entertained during the February half term break.

The pack will encourage them to embark on a sensory walk to record what they hear, see, and smell, or to join an exciting I-spy adventure. Little chefs will enjoy making delicious jam tarts, while creative minds can craft colourful animals out of salt dough. They'll be able to challenge themselves with our February word search and test their knowledge with our quiz before diving into the first instalment of Mandy Mole's adventure along the Trans Pennine Trail.

at: <https://www.transpenninetrail.org.uk/welcome-to-our-childrens-page/>



PARENTS EVENING DATES

YEAR N-YEAR 6 (10mins each)

Tuesday 11th & Wed 12th March

@ 15.40-18.00

***BOOKING DEADLINE* N-YEAR 6:**

Tuesday 25th February @12noon.



WRITER OF THE WEEK:

Reception:

RBW "Confident"- Charlie G We are super impressed at how confident Charlie has been during his phonics sessions this week and he has tried especially hard with his blending. Keep up the good work Charlie. 😊

RLR "Confident" – Theo A It has been wonderful watching Theo's confidence grow and seeing him put his hand up to answer question during whole class sessions. Well done Theo

RLE "Resilience" – Isla H for coming in with a smile every single day!

Year 1:

1CL Jaida B for writing some super sentences following our -es suffix rule. Well done!

1CR Lainey B for working so hard on her handwriting and choosing the correct suffix when writing plurals.

Class 1/2:

Kayden TS for excellent writing! Kayden has been using the -es suffix when writing plural words. Great work!

Year 2:

2SH Millen C for writing a fantastic fact file about Amelia Earhart.

2MK Isla N For writing a super fact file about Amelia Earhart, including conjunctions. Well done, Isla!

Year 3:

3VH Violet H for working hard to write super sentences this week using adverbs, conjunctions and lovely language.

3SN Jonah C for impressing me with his knowledge on conjunctions, he did a really good job explaining why they are used and was able to identify when they were incorrectly used in an example. I have also enjoyed reading your work on mummies. Well done.

Class 3/4:

Pixie T for writing a great embalmer's diary and trying her best in all writing.

Year 4:

4EE Etta H for great effort with her diary of an embalmer.

4DM Evelyn D for some great ideas in your diary of an embalmer. You have worked hard to try and include all of the features needed in this text. Super work!

Year 5:

5CB Macie B for always being willing and optimistic to share her writing with the whole class.

5SH Max C great sentence work about our class book, The Boy at the Back of the Class. Super punctuation too.

5LK Archie O for trying extra hard in his writing this week to read back sentences for errors. He has also tried super hard to use correct spelling which is fantastic, well done!

Year 6:

6JL Ted C for amazing effort in writing this week. Your dual narrative is brilliant and you switch into the different characters seamlessly. I'm really looking forward to what else you can produce this year.

6ZW Niya HB for a brilliant historical dual narrative!

6CM Lily B for an outstanding dual narrative based on the WW2 story 'Once'

STAR OF THE WEEK:

Boathouse 2

Ollie S Ollie has shown great enthusiasm in our class book. He has done some good listening this week and is always a kind friend. Well done Ollie.

Reception:

RBW Elsie F Elsie has been a superstar this week. Her behaviour and contributions during our carpet sessions have been wonderful and she has shown great independence and maturity in our provision. You have made us all smile Elsie, well done.

RLR Saoirse C for being an all round superstar and always trying hard. Well done Saoirse!

RLE Maria D for being a kind and helpful member of our class and for developing in confidence and putting her hand up more and more to offer up her ideas.

Year 1:

1CL Freddie H for always making the right choices and being a pleasure to teach. Freddie always tries his very best and has made us really proud with some great writing!

1CR Esme C for always trying her best when working independently & becoming more confident with her ideas.

Class 1/2:

Alfie S for a fantastic week in class! Alfie has been trying so hard with his reading and phonics, we are very proud of him!

Year 2:

2SH Elena C for working incredibly hard this week in lessons.

2MK Euan W For a great week and for being ready to learn.

Year 3:

3VH Maddie W for working incredibly hard in all lessons.

3SN Matilda E for being a kind classmate and always being on task. I am happy to see you getting involved more during class discussions. Keep it up, we love hearing your great ideas!

Class 3/4:

Blythe W Blythe has great general knowledge and asks some super questions, which helps our learning.

Year 4:

4EE Isaac M for being polite, kind, helpful & a good partner.

4DM Isabelle W for being a kind and enthusiastic member of 4DO. Thank you!

Year 5:

5CB Muhammed R for his excellent attitude to learning and for creating a powerful piece of art to stand up to Racism.

5SH Mia R for always trying hard and for being a kind friend to others.

5LK Arlo C for outstanding effort! He has shown that he is ready to learn all week and has tried his hardest in every lesson. His confidence in Maths this week has blown me away!

Year 6:

6JL Ava R for showing such kindness to younger children school this week. You have such a caring nature, Ava and I'm so proud of you for this.

6ZW Asaph H for demonstrating respectful, mature and responsible year 6 attitudes to learning and the school community.

6CM Madison S for an outstanding attitude to learning this week. She has shown resilience and responsibility when editing her writing and improving in her maths.