



NEWSLETTER

28th January 2022

Headteacher Message

Dear Parents and Carers,
This week at Blacklow Brow, we have had a whole school focus on the quality of English sessions across school. Mr Latham and I have been busy visiting classrooms to join in on a number of reading, writing and phonics sessions. We are happy to report that all children were fully engaged in their high-quality texts and are creating some wonderful writing. In year 2 for example, they have started reading 'The Bear and the Piano' focussing on reading comprehension questions to support with their upcoming SAT's in the summer term.



Mr D Kenny
Executive Headteacher

If you have a child in our Year 2 class, please ensure you attend one of our 'Parental SATs information' sessions next week; see Year 2's Class Dojo page for more information. On Monday of this week, Mr Latham sent out a message asking for any parents, carers or grandparents who would be interested in coming into school to read with pupils to get in touch with the school office. The response has been fantastic and I would encourage anybody who is willing but a little apprehensive, to have a chat with Mr Latham regarding expectations and what we can do to support. Have a fantastic weekend. Mr D Kenny – Executive Headteacher

Star of the week

Congratulations to this week's Stars. We are very proud of you.



Honey Billington

NURSERY: Bodie O'Hare
Charlie Gilhooley
RECEPTION: Rosie Connell
YEAR 1: Holly Chesters
YEAR 2: Luna O'Hare
YEAR 3: Phoebe kynaston-kemp
YEAR 4: Ruby Wileman-Kirby
YEAR 5: Emily Burke
YEAR 6: Harvey Gossage
PPA: Nathan Goldstone
Afterschool: Sheena Corcoran

Terrific Timekeepers



Can we remind Parents/Carers that doors open at 8.20am. Our terrific timekeepers for this week arewait for it our pupils from Nursery, Y1,3,4 and Y6! Wow this is amazing, lets aim for a full house next week.

Date Change

The Young Voices concert will now take place on the

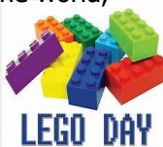
**26th May
2022.**



YOUNG VOICES
The largest school concerts in the world!

National Lego Day

Today is National Lego Day. The colourful plastic bricks known as Lego have entertained children (and adults) around the world for nearly 70 years. Lego is used to make toy buildings, vehicles, anything imaginable. Did you know, that around the world, seven Lego sets are sold every second. That's more than 600,000 every day.



ParentPay

There are still parents who are receiving texts and outstanding balance payment slips. Please don't wait for a second embarrassing reminder and ensure you have funds available in your account.



YEAR	ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK:
NURSERY	90.6%
RECEPTION	96.7%
Y1	94.2%
Y2	98.2%
Y3	95.7%
Y4	95.0%
Y5	96.7%
Y6	98.3%
TOTAL	95.7%
YEAR TO DATE	95.7%

What Do I Do Outside School?

Well done to Claudia from Y1. Claudia attends LIPA and loves going, she recently took her exam to get her Rose Award and smashed it. Well done, you are a Superstar! LIPA today, Hollywood tomorrow!



FOCUS OF THE WEEK

The children have been subitising this week and learning their numbers to three. We played subitising bingo and were able to group ourselves into three, extending our knowledge to 4 and 5.



Year 4

Year 4 have been continuing to investigate sound. They have recorded the pitch and amplitude of sounds at different distances and then analysed the results.



Football News

Year 5&6 Girls played really well in their friendly football match against St. Anne's this week. Well done girls!



WORDS OF THE WEEK

MATHS – Equivalent

ENGLISH – Equality

After School

Please email the school office to book your afterschool requirements. Our numbers are capped, so please remember to book, as we may not have availability on the day. **If you have booked an afterschool session and no longer require it, please email the school office ASAP.** Thank you

LATE PICK UP FROM SCHOOL

If children are not collected at the normal pick up time of 2.50pm OR are late being collected from an afterschool activity, they will go into afterschool which is chargeable as follows:

1/2 hour from school close time= £3 per day
1 hour from school close time= £5 per day
anything after a 1 hour stay up until 5.30pm = £10 per day
(Late after 5.30pm - £1 for every minute late)

Dates for your diary

7th February: PTA Valentines Disco

18th February: School closes