



Newsletter

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Message from Mrs Lawrenson

It is hard to believe that we have reached the end of our first half term in school. We have had a fantastic week and a highlight for us all was watching the Year 5 class assemblies. It was wonderful to be able to welcome parents and carers back into school to watch their children perform. We have all really enjoyed the opportunity to see all five of the St Helens Rugby League trophies today and we have all had our pictures taken with them.

I would like to wish you all a happy half term and I hope you enjoy a week of family time. Once again thank you very much for your continued support.

Merit Award— Children who follow the Learning Charter

	R.O.T.W	W.O.T.W	M.O.T.W	Bronze	Silver	Gold
RR	Oliver H	George M	Darcey L	Ella A	Lucy P	Daniel B
RS	Lucian H-B	Isobel R	Charlie P	Beatrice P	Alex D	Alfie W
RW	George W	Isaac E	Florence S	Lincoln H	Max B	Amelia G
1MA	Frankie C	Harvey T-H	Evie F	Harriet B	Nancy A	Charlie D
1MC	Regan T	Cohan W	Thomas K	Pippa B	Iris J	Jude N
1MG	Arthur H	Nancie J	Dotty D	Ruby C	Ari W	Lottie B
2D	Frankie M	Lucas W	Olivia S	Hallie S	Maisie A	Rosie K
2H	Bethany H	Joseph S	Max R	Eleanor C	Edith K-G	Hannah K
2G	Adam B	Afiyah R	Phoebe C	Leon T	Freya A	Phoebe A
3D	Evan B	River L	George B	Amber H	Imogen J	Henry M
3C	Annabelle K	Georgia W	Max R	Alex B	Emma B	Poppy W
4A	Sam B	Joe B	Alex S	Sophia J	Jessica F	Daniel K
4B	Leo D	Oliver A	Reuben L	Henry C	Aubree H	Cora A
5D	Freya C	Caleb A	Rudy Mc-S	Eloise S	Stefan E	Joshua D
5H	Freya J	Lucas M	Florence C	Belle T	Max M	Dominic W
5W	Georgie C	Chloe T	Max L	Lucy S	Eva R	Evie D
6J	Grace C	Callum S	Joel N	Nathan G	Katie R	Amber D
6M	Ava B	Lily B	Logan S	Lucy W	Max C	Isabella D

Parents' Evening

Our first parents' evenings will be on Thursday 11th November and 18th November. As usual at this time of year, our first parents' evening is a pastoral discussion to see how your child has settled in their new class.

Follow the link to book your appointment.

<https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/BleakHillPrimarySchool@sthelens.org.uk/bookings/s/4m46midpFUm1oSqsnt92A2>



Breakfast Club Friday Dance Off Winners

Well done to Joshua D, Reuben L and James A



St Helens Scarecrow Festival 2021

Bleak Hill are entering the St. Helens Scarecrow Festival 2021. Y5 have taken the lead with its design and linked the creation of the scarecrow to their Tudor topic. You will see the scarecrow outside the school entrance during next week before it will be collected by St Helens Council to be put on display at their Green Festival on 29th (Earlestown) and 30th (St. Helens) as part of a scarecrow hunt.

The scarecrows will be judged by the Mayor of St Helens and the winning school will receive £250 book vouchers, a visit from Willowbrook's mascot and a talk from Andy Reid MBE.



Children in Need—Fancy Dress Friday

On Friday 19th November we will be taking part in Children in Need by holding our own Fancy Dress Friday. Children are invited to come in to school in a fancy dress costume or in their own clothes if they prefer. We will be collecting donations on SchoolMoney leading up to the event.



Nasal Flu Spray

Children whose parents have given online consent will receive their Nasal Flu Spray on Monday 22nd November.

We are collecting donation for Willowbrook through our SchoolMoney payment system.

Earrings

A reminder that earrings are not allowed to be worn in school. Any children who have their ears pierced must have them removed for school after half term, not covered with tape or plasters. Thank you for your support.

Bleak Hill Prospective Parent 2022 Intake Open Evenings

Thursday 4th November 5pm – 6.30pm

Thursday 9th December 5pm – 6.30pm

Y6 Secondary Application Deadline

Reminder to all our Y6 families, the deadline for Secondary School applications is Sunday 31st October.

What's on next week—Remember, your PE days may have changed!

1.11.21	During	After
Monday	YR & Y1 PE Day Y6J Swimming	
Tuesday	YR, Y1, Y3 & Y5 PE Day	
Wednesday	Y2, Y3 & Y6 PE Day	
Thursday	Y2 & Y4 PE Day Y6 Ecolibrium	
Friday	Y4 Y5 & Y6 PE Day	

Friends of Bleak Hill



Thank you and welcome to all the parents that attended our Friends Welcome evening on Tuesday. It was lovely to see so many of you. We are hopeful that over this year we will be able to hold new events and raise much needed funds to benefit all the children at Bleak Hill.

Our AGM will be held on 23rd November at school.

Other ways to get involved...

MORRISONS GROW VOUCHERS:

If you haven't already, select Bleak Hill Primary School on the MyMorrisons app to donate your grow tokens to help us get gardening equipment for our school

<https://itsgoodtogrow.co.uk/school/104773>

We have 250 voucher collected so far so thank you!

EASYFUNDRAISING:

We've raised £708 so far. So thank you!

Sign up to support Friends of Bleak Hill - St Helens on #easyfundraising, they will give you a £5 shopping voucher once you have raised your first £5 - PLUS we will get a bonus £5 donation, it's win, win!

It's simple to join and you can raise FREE donations whenever you shop online with over 5,200 retailers. Sign up here: https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friends-of-bleak-hill-st-helens/?invite=7NZFK9&referral-campaign=c2s&utm_source=ew5sharebox

300 CLUB

Tickets are still available in the SchoolMoney Shop. Get them before the first draw on Friday 5th November.

WEEKLY DRAW £10
CHRISTMAS DRAW £100 & £50
SUMMER DRAW £100 & £50

STIKINS:

Handy labels for clothes, shoes, packed lunch boxes, etc

<https://www.stikins.co.uk/>

School number 35817

CRISP PACKET RECYCLING:

We've raised over £100 by recycling crisp packets. So thank you!

We collect empty crisp packets. Any size, any brand. There's a green wheelie bin near school reception

<https://www.terracycle.com/en-GB/brigades/crisppacket>

AMAZON:

Please shop on AmazonSmile at <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/702242-0>, and Amazon donates to Eccleston Windle Bleak Hill County Primary School Friends Association Also Known As Friends Of Bleak Hill School, at no cost to you.