



# Newsletter

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## *Message from Mr McCoy*

I hope you've all had a great Christmas and a wonderful start to the new year. It's great to have our Bleak Hill family back together again. First off, a big thank you for your patience and understanding with the changes we've had to make to our morning routines due to the snow and ice. Your support really helps us keep everyone safe and sound.

Amidst all the snow, our Year 6 children had an absolutely brilliant time on their trip to Stockport Air Raid Shelters on Wednesday. I'm so proud of their excellent behaviour – they really did us proud!

You know how much we love books and reading, so don't forget that the deadline for our Christmas Reading Challenge is coming up fast. Make sure you get your entries in by Thursday, January 16th. We can't wait to see the unusual places you've been reading over the holidays! We will be sending out our Autumn Term Progress Reports by email this Friday, after 4pm, for all children in Years 1-6. It's a great opportunity to see how your child is progressing, so keep an eye on your inbox.

And last but certainly not least, we are really looking forward to seeing you all at Parents' Evenings next week. It's always such a pleasure to catch up and chat about your child's progress. If you haven't yet booked a slot, please log onto your School Spider app and book a meeting time.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to get in touch. Here's to a fantastic term ahead!

## Merit Award - Children who are enthusiastic learners

|            | R.O.T.W     | W.O.T.W  | M.O.T.W     | Bronze      | Silver      | Gold        |
|------------|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>RHE</b> | Sophia McL  | Ethan Q  | Evelyn L    | Elliott H   | Freya H     | Everyn N-J  |
| <b>RHU</b> | Tilly G     | Lucas B  | Amelia M    | Alexander H | Lucy W      | Charlie H   |
| <b>RM</b>  | Evelyn A    | Elliot A | Sam R       | Harrison S  | Oliver S    | Ada D       |
| <b>1CR</b> | Nia A       | Edward C | James G     | Zak P       | Jasmine H   | Noah R      |
| <b>1M</b>  | Jessica S   | Xander P | David D     | Sophie D    | Jackson K   | George D    |
| <b>1MS</b> | Edward C    | Daniel C | Sky K       | Olivia H    | Barney F    | Dougie C    |
| <b>2Mc</b> | Emmie H     | Arthur D | Taliha W    | Ethan H     | Kayden W    | Roman T     |
| <b>2Mo</b> | Louis J     | Ivy H    | Taylor E    | Karter K    | Albie P-S   | Sebastian B |
| <b>2W</b>  | Matilda N-C | Sadie C  | Ruby W      | Nancy S     | Ollie A     | Alex M      |
| <b>3D</b>  | Isla-Rose R | Ellen H  | Bradley R   | Isobel R    | Penelope P  | Clyde W     |
| <b>3S</b>  | Annabelle B | Emily A  | Max B       | Isaac E     | Sadie M     | Lincoln H   |
| <b>3W</b>  | Lucy P      | George M | George McE  | Ezri N-J    | Theo D      | Blake M     |
| <b>4C</b>  | Frankie C   | Nancy A  | Hugo T      | Harvey T-H  | Jude H      | Evie F      |
| <b>4H</b>  | Harriet D   | Tyler H  | Lottie B    | Breanna H   | Maddison G  | Regan L     |
| <b>4M</b>  | Kaleem T    | Jaxon C  | Ava B       | Tom K       | Pippa B     | Louie R     |
| <b>5B</b>  | James E     | Oliver F | Una Blu Q-D | Alex B      | Jacob H     | Emily L     |
| <b>5Da</b> | Nancy W     | Leon T   | Luke B      | Lilly I     | Hattie H    | Oliver W    |
| <b>5Du</b> | Eleanor C   | Sky W    | Charlie Bri | Edith K-G   | Charlotte F | Camron F    |
| <b>6M</b>  | Jonah H     | Oscar C  | Evie N      | Jaxen H-B   | Georgia W   | Max R       |
| <b>6W</b>  | Evan B      | Amelie P | Bea D       | Finley D    | George B    | Freddie G   |

## What's on w/c 13.01.25

| 13.01.2025       | Before School  | During School   | After School   |
|------------------|--|---|--|
| <b>Monday</b>    |  | <b>YR, Y4 &amp; Y6 PE</b>   | Hama Beads YR - Miss Makin<br>1 of 4<br><b>Exit via main reception at 4.10pm</b>   |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Glow Multisport Y5 & 6 - Miss Woosey<br>1 of 4<br><b>Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am</b>                    | <b>Y1 &amp; Y3 PE</b>   | Young Voices Y5 & 6 - Mrs Williams & Miss Heyes<br>1 of 4<br><b>Exit via main reception at 4.30pm</b><br><b>Parents Evening / MHST Drop-In</b>   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Athletics YR, 1 & 2 - Future Gym (external provider)<br>1 of 4<br><b>Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am</b>    | <b>Y2 &amp; Y5 PE</b>   | Gymnastics Y3 4 5 & 6 - Future Gym (External Provider)<br>1 of 4<br><b>Exit via main reception at 4.20pm</b><br><b>Parents Evening</b>   |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | Athletics Y3, 4, 5 & 6 - Future Gym (external provider)<br>1 of 4<br><b>Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am</b> | <b>YR, Y1, Y3 &amp; Y5 PE</b><br><b>Reception Hearing Screening</b> | Art Class Y3 & 4 - Miss Williams<br>1 of 4<br><b>Exit via main reception at 4.20pm</b><br>Gymnastics Y1 & 2 - Future Gym (External Provider)<br>1 of 4<br><b>Exit via main reception at 4.10pm</b> |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Football Y3 & 4 - Future Gym (external provider)<br>1 of 4<br><b>Enter via Junior Library corridor (KS2 playground) at 8.00am</b>        | <b>Y2, Y4 &amp; Y6 PE</b><br><b>MHST Coffee Afternoon</b>           |  |

### Key Dates Spring A Term

- 14.01.25 Parents Evening / MHST Drop-In / FOBH Meeting
- 15.01.25 Parents Evening
- 16.01.25 Reception Hearing Screening
- 17.01.25 MHST Coffee Afternoon
- 20.01.25 SEND Coffee Afternoon
- 22.01.25 Y3 Trip Quarry Bank Mill
- 28.01.25 FOBH Chinese New Year Disco EYFS/KS1
- 29.01.25 FOBH Chinese New Year Disco KS2
- 30.01.25 Y4 Chinese New Year Trip to Edge Hill
- 07.02.25 NSPCC Number Day—Own Clothes
- 11.02.25 Y3 Assemblies
- 14.02.25 Break-up for Half Term

### FOBH Events Spring A Term

- 14.01.25 FOBH Meeting
- 28.01.25 FOBH Chinese New Year Disco EYFS/KS1
- 29.01.25 FOBH Chinese New Year Disco KS2

