

NEWSLETTER

21st June 2024

Headteacher Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope this newsletter finds you well as we approach the end of another busy term at Blacklow Brow School. We're delighted to report that our Year 6 class assembly was a resounding success! The turnout from parents was fantastic, and we'd like to thank everyone who attended. The children did an outstanding job presenting their work and showcasing their talents. It's wonderful to see how much they've grown and developed throughout the year. This week has been assessment week across the school. We're incredibly proud of all our pupils for their hard work and dedication. Every child gave their best effort, demonstrating the resilience and determination we strive to instil in our students. Well done to all!

We're excited to announce that St Helens Rugby Club has begun working with our Year 5 and 6 students during their PE lessons. This collaboration will continue until the end of the summer term, providing our pupils with expert coaching and an opportunity to develop their rugby skills.

Finally, with temperatures set to rise next week, we kindly ask parents to ensure their children are prepared for the heat:

- Apply sunscreen before school
- Provide a suitable sun hat
- Send a refillable water bottle

Thank you for your continued support in making Blacklow Brow School a vibrant and nurturing learning environment.

Mr D Kenny - Executive Headteacher



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Stars of the week

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



Thomas F

Nursery: Cooper
Reception: Aaron
YEAR 1: Amelia M
YEAR 2: Daniel
YEAR 3: Sophia
YEAR 4: Luna
YEAR 5: Kendall
YEAR 6: Hattie
Afterschool: Claudia



Terrific Timekeepers

We would like to remind Parents/Carers that doors open at 8.20am. Our winners this week were our pupils from Y1 and Y2. Please ensure your child is on the playground by 8.30am as gates shut at this time, ready for lessons to begin.



Dean Trust Active Challenge

If your child is taking part in the Dean Trust Active Challenge on Tuesday, they will need a packed lunch, PE kit, trainers, hat and water (no energy drinks) and will arrive back at 3pm.

DON'T FORGET!

We have an Inset Day next Friday, school is closed to all pupils and will reopen on Monday.

The Sun has Got His Hat on

The Met Office have issued a **YELLOW** Hot Weather Alert for the North West of England between 9am on 24th June to 6pm 27th June. Please ensure your child has sun cream on and has plenty of water with them, sunhats if they have them.



YEAR	ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK:
NURSERY	83.0%
RECEPTION	97.5%
Y1	94.0%
Y2	94.0%
Y3	94.7%
Y4	96.6%
Y5	99.1%
Y6	91.3%
TOTAL	93.8%
YEAR TO DATE	95.8%

What Do I Do Outside School?

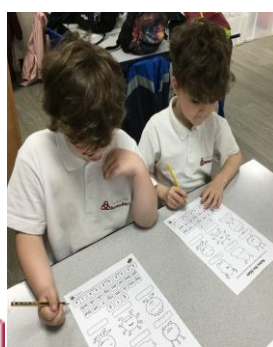
Well done to Reuben from Y4, he plays football as centre mid for Rainhill United Locomotives, and recently won the Champions League for Merseyside (the highest cup in the league). Wow this is amazing, im sure Arne Slot will have is eye on you, and who knows you could be at Anfield one day!



FOCUS OF THE WEEK

Enrichment Clubs

From rounders club to cookery club to masked readers club, there has been something for everyone to enjoy, the children have thoroughly enjoyed their clubs. **Can we remind parents that next week will be the last week for enrichment clubs.** Thank you



Have You Phoned?

If your child is absent from school, you **MUST** ring the school office on 477-8010 to report your child's absence. Thank you



Childcare Choices

Visit Childcare Choices to see what support you might be eligible for, now and in the future, so you can juggle work and life: Childcare Choices | 30 Hours Childcare, Tax-Free Childcare and More | Help with Costs | GOV.UK

Safeguarding

If you have any concerns or worries about a child please contact the Designated Safeguarding Lead Mr Kenny and Deputy Safeguarding Lead Mrs Gibson-Burkert. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility and all people in the school community have a statutory duty to act on any concern. You can always ring Mash on 0151 443 2600.



WORDS OF THE WEEK

ENGLISH
Rickyety
MATHS
Quadrilateral



SEND

We have our SEND Parent Surgery available on Thursday's from 1:45 onwards, to book a 15 minute slot, please email Mrs Humphreys on Send@BlacklowBrowSchool.co.uk Or contact the school office



All wraparound care is to be booked through the MCAS parent app. Our numbers are capped, so please remember to book, as we may not have availability on the day. If you have booked an afterschool sessions and no longer require it, please email the school office ASAP. Thank you

Dates for your diary

27th June: Enrichment Clubs finish
11th July: Sports Day
16th July: Y6 Leavers Assembly 9.30am
17th July: Y6 Leavers Assembly 1.30pm
19th July: Finish for Summer Holidays @ 1pm

If children are not collected at the normal pick up time of 3pm OR are late being collected from an afterschool activity, they will go into afterschool which is chargeable as follows:

½ hour from school close time= £3 per day
1 hour from school close time= £5 per day
anything after 1 hour up until 5.30pm = £12.50 per day
(Late after 5.30pm - £1 for every minute late)