# BHM WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



'Learn, Love & Live: Without Limits'

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2025

#### MESSAGE FROM MRS DRAPER...

This week's Open Evening was a wonderful reminder of what makes our school such a special place. Welcoming new families and visitors gave us the opportunity to see our school through fresh eyes—and to appreciate just how much we have to be proud of. Visitors often comment on the positive atmosphere that can be felt the moment they walk in, and I couldn't agree Parents' Evening will take place on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November. Please ensure you book your slot as soon as possible so that we can continue to work in partnership with you and your child.



## AWARD WINNERS 🏫



	Star of the Week	Christian Values	Spirit of the Games
Rec	Ethan	Emmie	Caiden
Y1	Tommy	Harper	Delilah
Y2	Mia	Kenny	Vinnie
Y3	Albert	Jacob J	Laila
Y4	Dalton	Sophie	Kanoa
Y5	Alfie	Skylar	Wren
Y6	Olivia	Thea Georgia	

Well done to Jenson and Skylar in Y5 and Louie in Y4 who all received a SHINING STAR awards this week. Jenson did some fantastic independent Geography work and Skylar and Louie produced brilliant pieces of writing. Well done! Stanley in Y4 achieved a RESILIENCE award this week too!



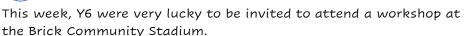
## End of Year Treat - Running Totals



Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
£16	£1	£9	£11	£0	£0	£25



#### SHOW RACISM THE RED CARD!





The focus of the day was to 'Show Racism the Red Card' and children spent time learning about this topic in more detail. In addition to this, the children were given the opportunity to have a stadium tour and even access the family zone (an indoor play centre.)

Year 6 really enjoyed their day on Tuesday learning about such an important topic and just before leaving, they even had chance to meet some of the Wigan Athletic players – what a fantastic experience for all!







#### **WEEKLY ATTENDANCE**

#### This week's attendance:

Reception - 97.8%

Year 1 - 98.1%

Year 2 - 99.2%

Year 3 - 98.2%

Year 4 - 94.8%

Year 5 - 92.7%

Year 6 - 94.3%

ATTENDANCE

This week's winners were Year 2. Due to our Y6 Coffee, Cake and Calculations workshop in the hall, the attendance winners will be announced in Monday's worship. Year 2 will have £7 added to their class wallet and get a roll on the monopoly board.

Well done to Reception, Y1 and Y3 who got **over 97%** attendance and earned £1 towards their class total.

### UPCOMING EVENTS



Date	Event			
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Reception & KS1			
October @	Family Assembly			
9am				
Wednesday	School closes for half			
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	term break			
@3:15pm				
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	School reopens for			
November	Autumn 2			
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 gym project starts			
November				
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Y5 Class Assembly –			
November @	Armistice Day			
9am				
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Reception & Y6 Height			
November	& Weight checks			
Wednesday	Y3/4 Just Join In			
12 <sup>th</sup> November	Sports trip (invite			
	only)			
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Odd socks day			
November				
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Evening			
November				
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	INSET DAY – school			
November	closed			
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> &	Expect Respect			
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	workshops Rec-Y6			
Wednesday	Y6 WW2 workshop			
19 <sup>th</sup> November				
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Own Clothes Day –			
November	donations for the			
	church fair tombola			
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Church Christmas Fair			
November	in the school hall. All			
2-5pm	welcome!			
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#### GIRLS FOOTBALL

On Monday, our girls football team attended a football tournament at Williams Fosters in Ince. This event gave the children the opportunity to showcase some of the skills which they have been practicing with Paul, our football coach.

The girls really enjoyed being part of a competitive event and hope to attend more events like this later on in the year - well done girls!





#### PUBLISHED WRITER!

Well done to Connie in Y5 who entered a Young Writer's competition in her own time. Her creative writing was selected to be published in the 'Young Writers' Annual Showcase 2025' collection. Well done on an amazing achievement Connie! #WITHOUTLIMITS

## COFFEE, CAKE & CALCULATIONS

Thank you to all our Y6 parents who joined their children on Friday morning for a Maths lesson with Mr Collins.

Parents and children alike were put through their paces, covering a range of topics such as fractions, decimals, multiplication and more.

It was great to see everyone get stuck in together!



#### SAFEGUARDING: Friday Focus...

#### Halloween and Children's Safety - Child **Accident Prevention Trust**

Halloween can be an exciting time of year for children, dressing up and going out after dark. But, whilst Halloween is supposed to be spooky there are some horrors that families will want to avoid.

So, here are some top tips for a safe Halloween that you can remember for all the right reasons.

How to keep children safe this Halloween 12 top tips

Please note – As a Christian school, we do not acknowledge or celebrate Halloween in any way, however we do understand that our pupils celebrate this event outside of school.

#### BEDFORD METHODIST CHURCH

Community Hall Breaston Avenue, Leigh WN7 3DJ

Looking for something to do in the school holidays? Why not come along to the Community Hall for our

## FAMILY FUN BEETLE GAME AFTERNOON

on Wednesday, 29th October at 2.00pm

Come and join us for a fun afternoon

Price £2.00 (inc. light refreshments) (Accompanied children under 16 free)





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