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### BROADSTONE HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



### Week 20 ending 19<sup>th</sup> January 2024

# Welcome to the Broadstone Hall Primary School Newsletter!

#### HEADTEACHERS NOTE:

I would like to start this newsletter by thanking all of our parents who completed the **Poverty Proofing Questionnaire** sent out at the end last week or who took the time to stop and speak with Nicki White from the Stockport School Improvement Team on the playground.

Your input has been invaluable. It's not too late if you want to get involved – remember; we are seeking your opinions so we can make your lives better by removing any barriers to your children's learning by ensuring the pressure on your boursheld income due to the rising sects of living, job lesses

household income due to the rising costs of living, job losses and stagnant wages doesn't have a negative impact on any child's education.

https://children-ne.org.uk/povertyproofing/survey?uac=18d4bf97-9e64-4423-979a-818c488058cb

#### YEAR 1 & 2 VISIT TO THE CHILL FACTOR

As part of the curriculum this half term KS1 are reading "The Great Explorer," by Chris Judge. To enhance their creative minds and support their writing we decided to visit The Chill Factor snow park. The children had a ball, taking part is some exciting activities, all on real snow!!!





#### Y6 PHSE ONLINE SAFETY WORKSHOP

Today Y6 were delivered an online safety workshop from **Stockport Youth Services** as part of our PSHE and computing units. It was very interesting and informative.



#### CHRISTMAS RAFFLE WINNERS: LUNCH WITH MR. TAYLOR

10 lucky children's prize came to fruition this Thursday, when they all went to Frankie & Benny's in Denton with Mr. Taylor (and a few other members of staff) for a slap up lunch! There was an impromptu "Q&A session," where the children got to ask their Headteacher questions maybe they would not ask in school such as:

- "How many times have been to support Blackpool?"
- "How many children have you got?"
- "What do like do when you are not at work?"

We hope you had as much fun as Mr. Taylor did! Well done to Rosie H, Isaac H, Lucca L-B, Thomas F, Chester H, Beth C, Anita A, Cassia F, Cooper N and Zaida R



#### **BASKETBALL @ MARPLE HALL**

Some of our children took part in an after school basketball tournament this week at Marple Hall where they came 6th overall. Not only that, they won the 'Premier League Inspire Event.' Some of the children got "Spirit of the Games" badges as well. Well done to Jack M, Scarlett D, Max J, Dylan L, Gregory A, Woody B, Chloey Z & Ethan S!

#### YEAR 6 RECEPTION BUDDIES

Year 6 took on the very responsibly role this week of being Reception Buddies – this involves supporting children in Reception with their learning including their reading and teaching them what makes a Broadstone child.



#### CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

We would like to bring to your attention **Children's Mental Health Week** 5-11<sup>th</sup> February. The theme this year is ' My Voice Matters' which it absolutely does!

We will supporting this with activities and discussions in school but if you would like to discover more please follow the link: https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/

#### WHAT'S ON THE CALENDAR NEXT WEEK:

Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> January Netball @ S'port Academy - selected pupils Wed 24<sup>th</sup> January Tennis @ Harrytown - selected pupils Wed 24<sup>th</sup> January Basketball @ RVHS - selected pupils Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> January Football @ S'port Sports Village Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January Y4 Football @ MCFC - selected pupils

# WRITER OF THE WEEK:

#### Reception RICC:

RBW "Resilient" – William S William has tried hard in everything he has done since returning to school. We are so proud of how hard he has worked on writing his name independently this week! Keep up the good work! RLR "Resilient" – Isaac H For turning his week around and trying so hard with his writing even when he found it hard. Isaac doesn't give up and always keeps going! RJA "Resilient" – Cora W Cora tries her hardest but especially when she is faced with a challenge she never gives up!

Year 1:

1CL **Alex D** for working hard on his handwriting and writing a lovely recount about our trip to the Chill Factore 1CR **Lottie T** Lottie has been putting extra effort into her handwriting this week! Her writing is looking amazing! Keep

#### Class 1/2:

up this great work!

**Lara McN** for a fantastic recount with capital letters, full stops and beautiful handwriting.

#### Year 2:

2SH Maddison W for fantastic use of phonics.2CB Molly J for taking pride in her work and presentation.

#### <u>Year 3:</u>

3VH **Zari R** for working so hard with the presentation of all of her work.

3DM **Fortune A** for working so hard in writing for all subjects. His handwriting has improved so much and he is checking and self-editing more. Keep it up, I am so impressed!

#### Class 3/4:

**Phoebe W** for great sentence work this week. Phoebe's sentences were varied and super interesting to read. Great work Phoebe!

#### Year 4:

4EE **Alisa R** for really good independent sentences. 4MK **Frankie F** For super effort when planning his descriptive setting.

#### <u>Year 5:</u>

5RT **Isaac B** for using the structure and his own ideas to create a lovely, cohesive paragraph.

5SH **Lily B** for a brilliant piece of personification writing as a barrel.

5LK **Frankie R** for excellent isssndependent work in his writing this week. His ideas and vocab have been fab and he has put in so much effort! Well done!

#### Year 6:

6KH **Jaxson S** for his use of expanded noun phrases and short sentences in independent writing.

6ZW **Josh M** Josh is really developing his writing craft in year 6 and using each stage of the process effectively and independently!

6CM Jak B Brady for brilliant choice of vocabulary to create a calm setting leading into a dramatic event in writing lessons. Your use of speech to move the action on for the reader has been excellent.

# STAR OF THE WEEK:

#### **Reception**

RBW **Larry P** for being a super role model to others and making some AMAZING contributions to our class discussions this week. You have such brilliant ideas Larry - well done!

RLR **Freddie F** For adapting so well to being a big brother and for trying so hard with his learning.

RJA **Leo W** for his AMAZING reading efforts and improved letter formation. Well done! 🙂

#### Year 1:

1CL **Subhan F** for consistently making good choices and being ready to learn. He is trying really hard and putting great effort into his work, well done!

1CR **Leah B-H** for excellent behaviour during whole class sessions and trying her best in all activities this week.

#### Class 1/2:

**Elwood F** for making better choices and being sensible this week.

#### Year 2:

2SH **Kylo S** for his much-improved attitude to learning and recognising lots of graphemes in phonics - fantastic! 2CB **Julen LB** for his bravery and sense of adventure at the Chill Factor.

#### <u>Year 3:</u>

3VH **Rosa B** for being so enthusiastic with her learning. 3DM **Ella C** for being a delightful and hardworking member of 3DM.

#### Class 3/4:

**Blythe W** for a fantastic week in class. Blythe has produced some fantastic work, asked interesting questions and been a fantastic friend. Great work Blythe!

#### Year 4:

4EE **Ethan H** for being self aware in music lessons. 4MK **Martha O** For a super attitude to learning, well done, Martha!

#### Y<u>ear 5:</u>

5RT **Zain R** for excellent work and contributions in all lessons.

5SH **Max J** for great co-operation and showing a responsible attitude.

5LK **William H** for putting excellent effort in to everything that he does and showing all of our school values consistently. A huge well done!

#### Year 6:

6KH **Sonny L** for exceptional effort in maths and writing this week. He has made valuable contributions to class discussion and his independent work has been excellent.

6ZW **Muntaha B** for outstanding attitudes to learning and demonstrating all our CRICK values

6CM **Charlie-Shay B** for an excellent attitude to all work this week. You've worked brilliantly cooperatively and shown amazing progress in maths this week.

Keep up the good work...