

Thursday 8th February 2024

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

The final week of this half term was full of rich learning and experiences. We nearly made the half term without snow until the final day. Thank you to all of our parents who collected quickly to ensure the school community could get home safely. The decision to close is always a difficult one to make. We wish you all a brilliant half term now we are all safe and sound!

Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

A short but full week for Oakwell Rise. Our Reception Class children visited Metrodome bowling this week for their Top Trump Trip and they were delighted - there are some gorgeous pictures on Facebook. We have our Young Voices travelling to Sheffield Arena on the first Tuesday back after half-term. Next half-term is also a shorter term for us with lots going on. Please keep your eye on Facebook for upcoming events - including our Family Learning Spring Crafts.

Friday is Wellspring Academy Trust's Festival of Learning and our staff are sharing their expertise and skills to ensure we continue to provide the best for your children.

Have a lovely half-term and we will see you at 8am for Breakfast Club on Monday 19th February.

LIKE AND FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

Mrs Faxon



19th March 2024

We are once again inviting parents/carers to come and enjoy a craft activity with their child in class at 9am. Afternoon Nursery will be at 2pm.

Places will be open for booking on Arbor at 6pm on 19th February 2024



READING STORIES

MESSY PLAY

Starting back on Wednesday 21st February -

GET INTO TEACHING

WITH JOSIE THIRKELL INSTITUTE

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ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

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RECEPTION	93.8%
YEAR 1	93%
YEAR 2	94.9%
YEAR 3	95.8%
YEAR 4	96.8%
YEAR 5	95.3%
YEAR 6	97%

Well done Year 6 - keep up the good work! Have a wonderful half term and we'll see you back at school on Monday 19th February 2024.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK IS 93.6%

NUMBER OF LATES	0	
THIS WEEK	9	
LOSS OF LEARNING	64	
(MINS)	04	



BACK TO SCHOOL

We return back to school on Monday 19th February 2024 from 8am for breakfast club.



UPCOMING FRIDAY FEASTS

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CANDY WATCH



like a Victorian or bake in the wooden kitchen in the Servants Hall.





Wild and Wonderful

Thursday 15 February our Wagonway Glade. 10am-3pm | Free, drop-in Follow the signs from the





Wednesday 14 February Calling all budding engineers! In this hands-on workshop, have a go at making your own balloon powered marvelous machine.

10am & 1pm | Free In the Education Room above the Visitor Centre. Book your place at elesecar-heritage.com/



Tuesday 13 February Come and see us to create your own fantastical map inspired by the magic of Lord of the Rings. 10am-12 noon & 1pm-3pm Free, drop-in. In the Learning Lab

SENsational

Wednesday 14 February

Book on this multisensory experience for families with PMLD, autism and with a range of sensory items, along with soft floor mats and soft lighting. Places are limited, book tickets through Eventbrite 11am - 12noon and 1pm - 2pm

For more details on activities visit www.barnsley-museums.com or check out our social media @Barnsley Museums





Kids Half Term Activity pack is now available to download. We're delighted to let you know that our latest Kids activity pack, full of fun activities for the February half term break is now available to download from our website.

The pack contains lots of activities that include making a jam jar xylophone, becoming an animal track detective, making an egg box bird feeder along with activities for Pancake Tuesday and Valentine's Day.

The pack is aimed at primary school children with help as necessary from their parents or carers, and older children may enjoy some of the activities too.

Download it from our Children's page at:

https://www.transpenninetrail.org.u k/welcome-to-our-childrens-page/

or by clicking the image





FEBRUARY HALF TERM

Central Area Holiday Free Activities

Booking is required for all activities, please book via the QR code at the bottom. Please remember to book early to avoid disappointment. Places are for children & young people aged 10-14 years and will be allocated initially to those already attending our clubs.

Monday 12th February 2024, 3:00pm - 5:00pm

Stop Frame Animation Workshop! A chance to make a film using clay models!

Location: YMCA Barnsley, Blucher Street, S70 1AP

Tuesday 13th February 2024 4:30pm-6:00pm

Dance Workshop - A chance to learn some new dance moves!

Location: Kendray & Worsbrough Family Centre, 39 Overdale Ave, Worsborough, S70 4BD

Wednesday 14th February 2024, 10am-12:30pm

Shop Cook and Eat – Let's plan and make a healthy Brunch.

Location: YMCA Barnsley, Blucher Street, S70 1AP

Wednesday 14th February 2024, 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Come try your hand at making Bird Feeders and Wind Chimes! Location: YMCA Allotment Shaw Lane, Barnsley, S70 6HN

Wednesday 14th February 2024, 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Messy Games - Join us to play some wild and wacky games!!

Location: St. Andrews Church, 73 Gerald Rd, Barnsley S70 3BH

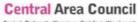
Friday 16th February 2024, 12:00pm - 2:30pm

Come and upcycle vinyl's into clocks!

Location: St. John's Church, Green Road, Dodworth, S75 3RT







Central, Dodworth, Kingstone, Stairfoot, Worsbrough



YMCA UNITY YOUTH CLUB





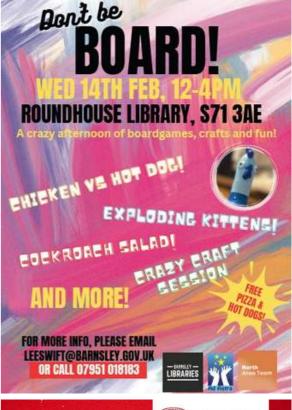
For information and Activity/Club consent forms please contact us on 01226 214165 E: info@ymcabarnsley.org.uk 1 Blucher Street, Barnsley, S70 1AP















FEBRUARY SOCCER CAMPS

IONDAY 12TH - FRIDAY 16TH FEBRUARY 2024 9AM - 3PM

£15

£65

MINI KICKERS FRIDAY 16TH FEBRUARY 2024 10AM - 10:30AM

£4

BOOK NOW

The GSA Esports Community Day is brought to you by Barnsley College and Grassroots Sports Academy Yorkshire. We promise a day full of non-stop gaming, live esports tournaments, VR, AR and live-action experiences, the latest gaming and tech innovations.

Event details:

Date - Tuesday 13 February 2024 Time - Drop in between 9.00am to 3.00pm Location - Barnsley Metrodome, Queens Ground, Queens Road, Barnsley, S71 1AN.

Refreshments can be purchased from the venue on the day.

Join us for the following ultimate gaming experience!

Charles Grapeshats Charle



Oakwell Rise Primary Academy is delighted to offer 30 hour funding for children either starting in Nursery or continuing their Nursery education into this academic year, 2023/2024.

We are able to offer the following:

- 30 hr funded places
- 15 hr funded places

The Nursery day will run as follows:

- AM session 08:30 11:30
- PM session 12:00 15:00

For the full time Nursery children, they will be an additional 30 minutes of lunchtime where children will need to be provided with a packed lunch from home. The lunch period will be inclusive within the offer and no further charges will be made.

Admissions to Nursery will be in order of the Date of Birth, regardless of whether you require 30 hrs or 15hrs. If you wish to apply for a 30hr funded place, you need to apply online at https://www.gov.uk/get-tax-free-childcare to receive an 11 digit code.

When you have received an 11 digit code please provide this to the school office by the 1st December for January intake.

Inspiring today, making a difference tomorrow



We are:
Child Focused
Nurturing
Inclusive
Ambitious

