



# NEWSLETTER

OAKWELL RISE  
Primary Academy

Friday 18th October 2024

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

This week has seen our traditional Winter Crafts and Halloween Disco Day. I was privileged to have a walk around and see so many parents enjoying the day with their children making all sorts of crafts together. The disco was well attended and the children and adults alike enjoyed dancing and connecting together. One more week until half term. Do check out our Nurture Network which will be circulated next week for our SEND community.

 Mrs Jenkins

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

This week we have enjoyed our Autumn craft day and Disco. There were so many great costumes and lots of impressive dance moves. Thank you to all the parents who were able to join us for the craft session.

 LIKE AND FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

 Mrs Faxon

## ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

RECEPTION	88.5%
YEAR 1	93.5%
YEAR 2	99.3%
YEAR 3	98.5%
YEAR 4	98.5%
YEAR 5	98.7%
YEAR 6	95%

Only one more week to go until we break up for the October Half Term!

## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

THIS WEEK IS 95.7%

NUMBER OF LATES THIS WEEK	20
LOSS OF LEARNING (MINS)	302

## INDIVIDUAL PHOTO DAY

Purple cow photography will be coming into school to take our individual school photos on Friday 25th October.

If you have a younger non-school aged child and would like a sibling photo taken, these will be taken between 8am-8.30am. Please come to the school hall and a member of staff will take you to where the photos will be taken.

Siblings in school will taken throughout the day.



## HALF TERM

We break up from school on Friday 25th October and return back on Monday 4th November.

## UPCOMING FRIDAY FEASTS

25.10.24	PUMPKIN LIGHT POPS
08.11.24	RING POPS
15.11.24	FAST FOOD POPS
22.11.24	FRUIT DUMMY

## GET INTO TEACHING

WITH JOSIE THIRKELL INSTITUTE

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# Breakfast with Parents

22.10.24

Join us 8am-9am in the hall for our delicious breakfast with parents.



## WILD DAYS 2024



Year 3 (AM) and Year 4 (PM) Wild Day's are taking place on Wednesday 23rd October.

A £3.70 contribution payment must be paid via Arbor, under trips prior to your child's trip taking place. If you experience any trouble making payments, please contact the school office.

Please ensure your child wears old clothes & trainers/wellies such as joggers, t-shirt, jumpers and waterproof clothing, as they will be venturing outdoors in all weathers!



South West Yorkshire Partnership  
NHS Foundation Trust

# FLU VACCINATIONS



School Nursing Team will be in school for our annual flu nasal vaccinations. Reception to Year 6

24.10.24

Please visit [www.barnsleysais.co.uk](http://www.barnsleysais.co.uk) to fill in a consent form (one for each child) to ensure your child receives their vaccination. Our school code is: **BN143107**



Don't forget the school nursing team will be in school next Thursday 24th October to provide the annual flu nasal vaccinations. If you would like your child to receive the vaccination please ensure you complete the consent form.



## PARENTS/CARERS CONSULTATIONS

Our Parents/Carers consultations will be taking place on:

Tuesday 12th November  
1.15pm - 5pm

Wednesday 13th  
November  
1.15pm - 5pm

Nursery Only  
Monday 18th November

Slots can be booked via Arbor.



## AUTUMN 2 AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS



CLASS	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Reception	ICT		Creative	Dance Library
Year 1 & 2	Baking		FS2 Y1-2 Y3-6	Hamma Beads
Year 3 & 4	Choir Construction		Creative	Football 
Year 5 & 6	Playdoh			FS2 Y1-2 Y3-6
	Apparatus 4.30PM Finish Reception - Y6	KS1/KS2 Dodgeball 4.00PM Finish	Multi-Sports KS2 4.30PM Finish	

To book your child onto the session, visit the Arbor App, scroll down to activities and click clubs. Arbor will open at 6pm - Monday 21st October 2024.

Please note Grassroots Sports and Noodle Dance after school clubs will start WC 4th November. All other clubs will start WC 11th November. All clubs will not run on the last week of term - 16th-20th December.



# SCHOOL WORKSHOPS



SEP  
✓ 25

## PHONICS AND EARLY READING WITH MRS SHARPE

JOIN US TO LEARN ABOUT HOW WE TEACH PHONICS AND EARLY READING



SEP  
✓ 27

## MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

JOIN US TO US FOR COFFEE AND CAKE TO RAISE MONEY FOR MACMILLAN



OCT  
✓ 9

## TEACHING MATHS IN KS1 WITH MISS BATLEY

JOIN US AND YOUR CHILD FOR A PRACTICAL SESSION WITH MISS BATLEY TO SEE HOW WE TEACH MATHS IN KS1 - USING MALTESERS!



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## BREAKFAST WITH PARENTS

JOIN US 8-9 IN THE HALL FOR OUR DELICIOUS BREAKFAST WITH PARENTS



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## COOK AND EAT WITH MRS GROOM

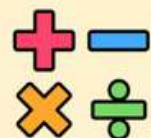
JOIN MRS GROOM IN THE HALL FOR TWO COOKING SESSIONS



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## AUTUMN CRAFT DAY AND DISCO

JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR AUTUMN CRAFTS (9-10AM)



NOV  
12

## TEACHING MATHS IN KS2 WITH MRS ASHTON

JOIN US AND YOUR CHILD FOR A PRACTICAL SESSION WITH MRS ASHTON TO SEE HOW WE TEACH THE 4 OPERATIONS IN KS2



NOV  
13

## SUPPORT APPLYING FOR SCHOOLS

JOIN US IN THE HALL (2-3) FOR SUPPORT APPLYING FOR RECEPTION OR SECONDARY SCHOOL



NOV  
14

## BUDGETING WITH MRS GROOM

JOIN MRS GROOM FOR A SESSION ON BUDGETING AT 1:30



DEC  
19

## WINTER CRAFT DAY

JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR WINTER CRAFTS (9-10AM)



# OCTOBER CAMPs

- SPORTS
- ARTS AND CRAFTS
- GYMNASTICS / DANCE
- HALLOWEEN THEMED DAYS



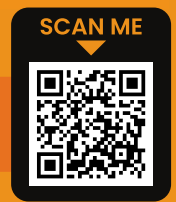
THIS OCTOBER HALF TERM WE'RE BACK IN  
OAKWELL RISE PRIMARY SCHOOL AND WE'RE  
GIVING OUR CAMPS SOME AUTUMN SPICE!

TUESDAY 29TH OCTOBER AND THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER

9AM - 3PM

**REGISTER NOW**

Please complete the October Half Term Camps Registration-  
Oakwell Rise Primary form to register your child - [click here](#)



# Barnsley Rockley Rotary Club Children's Art Exhibition

At

Barnsley Metrodome 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>  
November 2024

To be judged by Barnsley Artist  
Dean Ormston, Comic Book Illustrator

Categories: FS2, KS1, LKS2, UKS2

KS3 and KS4

2D Artwork (paint, pencil, pastel etc) to be submitted for ALL categories on A4 paper or thin card UNMOUNTED. There is no specific theme, any subject is acceptable.

The overall winning school will have their school's name inscribed on a silver plate which will be awarded annually.

The plate to be available for display in the winning school for the ten months prior to the following year's competition.

Individual winners will also receive a trophy to keep.

REGISTRATION CLOSES: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024

EMAIL: [Admin-SchoolsAlliance@barnsley.gov.uk](mailto:Admin-SchoolsAlliance@barnsley.gov.uk) to register

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF 12 ENTRIES (ACROSS 6 CATEGORIES) TO BE SUBMITTED PER SCHOOL

FS2 (3-5)	SIZE A4	KS1 (6-7)	SIZE A4
LKS2 (8-9)	SIZE A4	UKS2 (10-11)	SIZE A4*
KS3 (11-13)	SIZE A4	KS4 (14-16)	SIZE A4

Entry forms (to be attached to the reverse of each entry) will be posted out to schools.

Packaged work clearly bearing your school's name to be ready for collection from your school reception on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> to Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2024

## Children's Art Exhibition

Hosted by Barnsley Rockley Rotary Club

Come and see the amazing artworks created by local children!

- Date: 8th and 9th November 2024
- Venue: Barnsley Metrodome, Queens Ground, Queens Road, Barnsley, S71 1AN
- Admission: Free

### Meet the Judge: Dean Ormston

Dean Ormston is a renowned comic book illustrator from Barnsley. He has worked on titles such as Lucifer, The Sandman, and Black Hammer. He will select the best artworks from each age category and award prizes to the winners.

Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate the creativity and talent of our young artists!



# OH Snap! This Week's Snapshots



## 30 HOUR NURSERY FUNDING

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, 2024/2025.

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.



OAKWELL RISE Primary Academy

We are:  
**Child Focused**  
**Nurturing**  
**Inclusive**  
**Ambitious**

Inspiring today, making a difference tomorrow

