



## Friday 17 March

Comic Relief—Red Nose Day

## Monday 20 March

Year 1 living eggs week

## Tuesday 21 March

World Poetry Day

Year 5 visit to Saltaire

## Wednesday 22 March

Year 1 visit to Ilkley Toy Museum

## Thursday 23 March

Year 1 and 2 poetry assembly 10.15am

## w/c Monday 27 March

Year 6 mock SATs week

Book Fair week

## Wednesday 29 March

Life Education Sessions (1 of 2)

Parents Evening 1-5pm

## Thursday 30 March

Life Education Sessions (2 of 2)

## Friday 31 March

School closes for Easter holidays

## Monday 17 April

School re-opens after Easter holidays

## Thursday 20 April

Year 6 parents information meeting: SATs and Y6 residential

## Wednesday 26 April

Year 1 visit to Gill Garth Farm

## Monday 1 May

May Day Bank Holiday

## Tuesday 2 May

Reception and Year 6 photos

## Wednesday 3 May

Year 4 cybercrime workshop

Year 1 visit to Madni Mosque

## Monday 8 May

Bank Holiday—coronation

## Tuesday 9—Friday 12 May

KS2 SATs week

## Tuesday 23 May

Whole school open morning 9-10am

## Monday 12 June

Nursery & Reception visit to farm

## Tuesday 13 June

Year 3 visit to Cliffe Castle

## Wednesday 14 June

Y5 Cyberbullying workshop—WY police

## Wednesday 21 June

Year 5 visit to Murton Park

Year 2 Grass Woods survival day

## Thursday 22 June

Early Years poetry assembly 10.15am

## Wednesday 5 July

Y3 Cyberbullying workshop—WY police

## Friday 7 July

Year 4 visit to Gurdwara

Diary Dates



10 March 2023



Dear parents and carers,

You may be thinking that this is not the usual front cover you would expect to see on the newsletter! Let me explain...

Most of you will know Riley Moyles in year 6. If you've ever met Riley, you'll know he's a determined, confident and articulate young man with a wonderful character!

Around this time last year, Riley decided he wanted to sit the entrance exam for Ermysted's Grammar School in Skipton. With the support of his mum, family and Mrs Boothroyd, he did just that. Late last year, Ermysted's wrote to Riley to inform him that he'd passed the entrance exam. However, this is no guarantee of a place and he wouldn't find out until 1st March when all year 6 pupils would be informed which high school they had been allocated.

Places at Ermysted's are extremely limited and always hugely over-subscribed. Riley asked that, if he did make it, we'd put his photo on the front page of the newsletter alongside the rest of his class—who we are also always so proud of—and Winnie!

Well, Riley has been offered a place—so the above photo is our end of the bargain!

Huge congratulations, Riley, we are so proud of you!



## Attendance

Attendance data for the last 3 weeks is as follows:

w/c 20 Feb 2023		w/c 27 Feb 2023		w/c 6 March 2023	
Reception	87.8%	Reception	89.3%	Reception	82.9%
Year 1	92.4%	Year 1	91.8%	Year 1	87%
Year 2	91%	Year 2	91.4%	Year 2	93.1%
Year 3	96.5%	Year 3	96.3%	Year 3	87.5%
Year 4	97.6%	Year 4	96.9%	Year 4	93.1%
Year 5	95%	Year 5	93.3%	Year 5	90%
Year 6	95.1%	Year 6	90.6%	Year 6	93.6%
Butterfly	86.4%	Butterfly	95.0%	Butterfly	91.7%

## Comic Relief—Red Nose Day

Comic Relief returns on Friday 17 March 2023.

Pupils and staff are invited to come to school wearing anything red in exchange for a suggested donation of £1.



**FRIDAY 17 MARCH**

## Community Plea

You might have noticed that some of the grass verges and pavements on Bracken Bank Crescent are looking quite unloved at the moment. Could I please ask that parents and carers park safely and considerately when dropping off and collecting children—and that dog owners clean up after their pets. Thank you for your support.



## Easter Egg Raffle

The Easter Egg Raffle is a tradition at Worth Valley Primary School!

Raffle tickets are available to purchase in classes priced at 20p a ticket or £1 per strip.

The draw will take place in celebration assembly on Friday 31 March.



## Easter Bonnet Competition

The annual Easter Bonnet competition is already well under way with lots of ideas bouncing around the classes!

Please bring entries to school during the final week of term (week commencing 27th March) ready for celebration assembly on Friday 31 March.



**PLAY & LEARN SCHEME**

Book now!

**SCAN ME**

**FREE HOLIDAY CLUB**

Free for children... on income related free school meals SEN

Looked after/ vulnerable

11th–13th April

Oakbank High School

Multi-sports Uv dodgeball Team games

Baking Arts & crafts

Inflatables

Cinema club

Playandlearnscheme@gmail.com

BOOK NOW <https://bradford.haf.fun/login>

**Movie Night**

**Thursday 23 March**

**Strange World**

Movie night will finish at 4.45pm approx.

Tickets cost £2 and are available from the school office.

**Scholastic Book Fair**

The Scholastic Book Fair will be in school all week from **27—31 March 2023.**

SportsCool would like to present a **FREE Easter Holiday Club** for primary school children aged 4-11

Free to all children on free School Meals Benefit thanks to the Government backed HAF Programme. Lunch will be provided to any child attending.

Beckfoot Oakbank High School, Keighley BD22 7DU.

12th, 13th & 14th April 8:00am - 12:00pm

FREE for children eligible for Free School Meals benefit

WHAT TO EXPECT: Dodgeball, Multi sports activities, Dance, Mindfulness and well-being, Handball, Football, and many more...

LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE

Please book NOW to guarantee your place via the online form below

<https://bit.ly/SCOakbankEaster23>

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