

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 21st January 2022



Star of the Week

Purple – Jan
Green – Olivia
Red – Ethan
Blue – Isobella



Class of the week

PURPLE

School Grid's Winter Olympics Day.

Congratulations to the winner of the Amazon £5 gift voucher



After School Clubs start

W/c Monday 24th January

Tuesday 3:15 - 4:00pm	Wednesday 3.15 - 4:00pm	Thursday 3:15 - 4:00pm
Year 6 SATs Prep Craft Club Year 1 and Year 2 Food and Nutrition Club Year 3 to Year 5	Active Tameside Multi-Sports Year 1 to Year 6 POM POM Club Year 3 to Year 6	Active Tameside Cheerleading & Gymnastics Year 1 to Year 6 Drama Club Year 2 to Year 6

Parents will be notified of places by email on:
Monday 24th January 2022

Parent Pride Assembly

Friday 28th January

Due to high cases of Covid-19 in school, this month's Parent Pride Assembly has been cancelled. Please read the letter below.

Mottram Church

For information regarding Sunday School and Baby and Toddler Group, please see the flyers at the end of this newsletter.

Tameside MBC Free Online Courses

For free parenting advice from Tameside MBC, please see the information at the end of this newsletter.

Cool Milk

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The price for a portion of milk for children aged 5 or over has increased from **23p to 24p per child, per day.**

Remember to recycle your batteries, drop them off at the school office.

Mobile Phones

At parents' request, pupils will be permitted to bring a mobile phone with them to school if they are walking home alone as a safety measure. Parents must fill in a data form at the school office before permission is granted agreeing to the data protection terms.

Reminder – Pupil Data Updates

It is very important that we have the correct information for your child/ren.

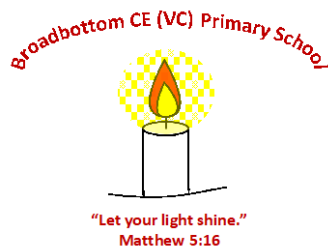
Please contact the school office, either by telephone or email, with any amendments for contacts, change of address, medical issues, etc.



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Friday, 21 January 2022

Dear Parents,

Many schools in Tameside are currently being challenged by the Omicron variant having detrimental impact on staff absence.

At Broadbottom, fortunately we have not had significant illness in teachers. However, we are experiencing the highest number of pupil cases since the onset, with multiple absence in most classes. Despite falling rates nationally, this is not the picture for us at local level yet.

The Covid Oversight Panel (which sits fortnightly) are concerned about these internal rates and the risk to staff becoming ill and consequently unable to teach. This situation would inevitably impact on learning for pupils and therefore needs to be protected. As such, a decision has been taken to temporarily suspend Pride Assemblies, until rates reduce within school. We will of course continue to review cases and re-introduce Pride as soon as possible.

It is encouraging, that we are being advised that nationally the virus has now peaked. It does remain vital that any positive lateral flows are reported following the guidelines to ensure data is representative of cases.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Marrow
Headteacher

Puppets

Prayers

music

Mottram Church invites **YOU** to
Back to Sunday School Sunday.
We will be looking at the life of
King David.
Sunday 23rd January 10:30am
in Church



craft

Stories

Dance

first
steps

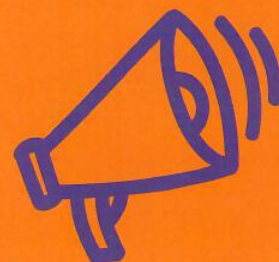
Baby & Toddler Group

**Mondays 1:30pm - 3pm
at Mottram Community
Centre**

**Re-opening Monday
17th January**



FREE Online Courses



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- Understanding your teenager's brain
- Understanding your child with additional needs

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Access code for Tameside residents: SUNFLOWER

For technical support contact:

Solihull.approach-parenting@heartofengland.nhs.net

Or call 0121 296 4448 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm



Broadbottom Pre-school offers a happy, friendly setting with qualified, experienced staff, strong EYFS knowledge. We focus on extending children's learning through play and we encourage a love of outdoor learning. We offer fully flexible sessions, either for full days 9am-3.30, or half days 9am-12pm or 12.30-3.30. Sessions available Mon - Fri during term time.

Did You know....

- Some 2 year olds are eligible for upto 15 hours funded per week.
- All 3 and 4 year olds are eligible for upto 15 hours funded per week.
- Some 3 and 4 year olds are eligible for upto 30 hours funded per week.
- We accept Tax Free Childcare payments and employer voucher schemes.



For more information....

- Call into Pre-school and meet the team!

We are based in the Community Centre, just under the railway bridge.

- Contact Donna on 01457 764423 or 07583 866579
- Email managerbroadbottomps@gmail.com
- Or visit the website www.broadbottompreschool.co.uk for more details on our lovely Pre-school.