



## Weekly Newsletter

### Spring Term 1



Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2026  
until  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Friday 16.01.2026

### Class of the Week **AIR**

### Stars of the Week

Earth: Lilianna  
Water: William  
Air: Jerry  
Fire: Noah



### Let Your Light Shine Assembly



Friday 30.01.2026  
9.10am

Please bring any certificates from home.

### Chess Tournament



The library has been super busy this week following the launch of our school chess tournament.

It has been great to see so much appetite for chess in school. We have 18 children competing to win the overall title and we will give a separate award for best-in-class (Water, Air and Fire).

**Good luck to everyone involved**

Attendance this Week  
Target 97%

Whole School: 96.3 %

Earth: 91.2 %

Water: 98.6 %

Air: 98.8%

Fire: 93.5%

### Reception

#### Applications 2026

The portal has now closed.

Reception offer day is 17.04.26.

On this date you will be notified by TMBC of your school allocation.

### Jewellery



A reminder that the items that can be worn are:

- A small wrist watch.
- Small stud/sleeper earrings

### Late Arrivals

From Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026, all children arriving after 8.50am must be accompanied to the office.

Parents will now be required to sign pupils in electronically and provide a reason for the late arrival.

### Traffic Concerns

This week, I met with members of Tameside Traffic Department. They have informed me, that the markings on the zebra crossing are to be renewed.

Yellow zig zag 'School Keep Clear' road markings have also been agreed by the police and will hopefully be passed at the next council meeting.

I have also raised my concerns regarding increased traffic, since the by-pass works have commenced and asked this be raised at the council forum and with Highways and Balfour Beatty.

Mottram Parish Winter



# Ceilidh

**Adult £10 children (under 16) FREE**

Hot Pot Supper & Ceilidh caller included BYO drinks

**Magdalene Centre Sat 31st 6.15pm  
Jan 2026 onwards**

**TICKETS:** available at church or by  
contacting 07989 624 637



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