

Broadbottom CE Primary School

Weekly Newsletter



Summer Term 1



Monday 13th April 2026
until
Friday 22nd May 2026

Friday 08/05/2026

Class of the week

AIR

Stars of the Week

Earth: Aurora

Water: Edith

Air: Bethany

Fire: Noah



Let Your Light Shine Assembly



Friday 22nd May 2026
9.10am

Please bring any certificates from home.

Diary Dates

Monday 11th May - SATS week

Tuesday 19th May - Sports Day
1:30pm. (weather permitting)
All welcome

Attendance this Week
Target 97%

Whole School: 96%

★ **Earth: 100%** ★

Water: 97.2%

Air: 98.7%

Fire: 84.75%

Sports Day

(Weather permitting)

Tuesday 19th May 1:30pm



Please ensure that pupils have
their PE kits on the day
All Welcome



Being on time for school helps children settle into class, connect with their learning, and feel part of the school day from the very start. We're grateful for your help in making punctuality part of your morning routine—it truly benefits the children.

Good luck to our Year 6 pupils as they take their SATs next week. You've worked incredibly hard and should be very proud of everything you've achieved. Do your best and remember—we are all cheering you on!

Year 5/6 Fire Class parents

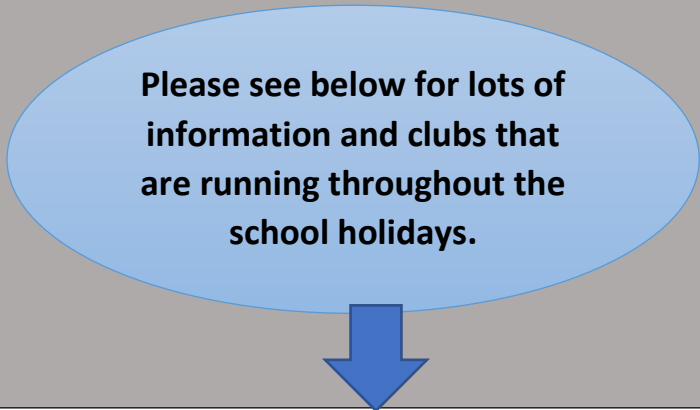


A reminder that swimming is now every Tuesday until 14th July.

Come and Visit Our Uniform Swap Shop

Our Uniform Swap Shop is now open and we warmly invite you to come along and take a look. You can swap, donate, or simply browse available uniform items. It's an easy way to save money and ensure uniforms are reused rather than wasted.

We are still happy to receive clean donations to the school office.



During the upcoming whit holidays (Tuesday 28th May until Friday 8th June), Active Tameside will be running a range of activities for children aged 3-16 years old. These include Little Camp, youth provision sessions, and holiday camps across Tameside.

They are also pleased to offer a limited number of free places for any child eligible to benefit-related free school meals.

Please click on the link below to see more details and information on the activities available.

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Family Fun

A COMMUNITY DAY FOR ALL

Our free Universally Manchester Festival returns with fun activities for all!

Join us on **Saturday 13 June, 11am - 4:30pm** for a day of inspiration, curiosity and play. Get hands-on with science activities, creative sessions, tours, and engaging talks and performances. Meet our staff, students and community partners and together we'll explore what makes for a greener, healthier and fairer world for everyone.

From music to medicine, poetry to planets, and art to atoms there's plenty to discover and do – with activities on offer for all ages.

Our Universally Manchester Festival is free and open to everyone. Discover more of our family friendly activities at: universallymanchester.com

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Now accepting applications for courses for the following age range: 3 to 7 years and 5 to 11 years.



Book Your 3-Week Free Trial Today

Throughout May, we are offering a **3-week free trial** for children aged **4–12** at our weekly **Football Fun & Development** sessions.

These sessions run during term time and are designed to give children a fun, safe and positive environment to enjoy football, make friends, build confidence and develop their skills. We currently run weekly sessions in:

- Stalybridge
- Denton
- Droylsden
- Hyde
- Glossop
- Saddleworth
- Audenshaw

Families can book their 3-week free trial here: <https://thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/locations/tameside-saddleworth/>



MAY & SUMMER CAMP FOOTBALL FUN

BOOK NOW

May Half-Term Football Fun Camp

- Tuesday 26th May – Friday 29th May 2026
- West Hill School, SK15 1LX
- Drop off from 8:45am | Collection at 3:30pm
- £25 per day or £80 for the full 4-day camp
- Boys & girls aged 5–12
- 50% sibling discount available

Families can book camp places here: <https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/4722>

FUNDING AVAILABLE



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Family Engagement Project

Support for parents and carers aged 0-6 with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities or emerging needs in Tameside

Peer support groups

Information sessions

Friendly online community

SEND stay & play groups

1-1 support and signposting

No need to book
Free for all



Scan the QR code to register with the project. For further information visit our Facebook page - Mencap Family Engagement Project Tameside or email us at: familyengagementgm@mencap.org.uk



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**FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PROJECT
MAY 2026 CALENDAR**

Wednesday 6th May 10.00-11.30am	SEND Parent/Carer Coffee Morning The Together Centre, Dukinfield, 287 Birch Lane, SK16 5AU
Thursday 7th May 10.00-11.30am	Nature Explorers Community Green Allotment, Meadow Lane, Dukinfield, SK16 4AN
Tuesday 12th May 10.00-11.30am	SEND Stay and Play North Family Hub, Ashton, OL7 0LL
Thursday 14th May 10.00-11.30am	0-2 SEND Babies Angels and Acorns, Knowl Street Stalybridge, SK15 3AZ
Thursday 21st May 10.00-11.30am	Nature Explorers Community Green Allotment, Meadow Lane, Dukinfield, SK16 4AN
Tuesday 26th May 10.00-11.30am	SEND Stay and Play North Family Hub, Ashton, OL7 0LL
Wednesday 27th May 1.30pm - 2.30pm	Splash Class Fun Swim Aqua Nurture, Knott Lane, Gee Cross, SK14 5 BS Booking Essential
Thursday 28th May 10.00-11.30am	0-2 SEND Babies Angels and Acorns, Knowl Street Stalybridge, SK15 3AZ

All sessions are free. No need to book or register beforehand unless stated

To access our full offer, register here: <https://forms.office.com/r/yKJU3TWwH3>

Tameside Mental Health & Wellbeing Festival



Wednesday 27th May From 2pm to 7pm

Location - Dukinfield Town Hall

With special thanks to



Join us for a **free** Mental Health and Wellbeing Festival focused on helping you feel your best. Enjoy live music, explore information stalls, and take part in relaxing wellbeing activities - all in a welcoming, supportive space. Whether you want to learn something new, find support, or simply unwind, there's something for everyone. Come along and take a positive step towards better wellbeing.

GUEST SPEAKERS



Mike McCarthy

Founder and Chair of The Baton Of Hope. Mike was a journalist for more than 36 years, covering wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. In 2021, Mike's son Ross died by suicide. He left a heartfelt request that his family campaign for better mental health support. Mike is committed to honouring Ross' final wish.



Esther Ghey

Esther is a mental health advocate, author and public speaker. After the heartbreaking loss of her daughter Brianna, Esther has become a driving force for positive change, campaigning for safer digital spaces, improved mental health education, and greater support for families.



Jay Allen

Jay is a former specialist rapid deployment soldier who served in some of the world's most hostile environments. After developing complex PTSD and spending 21 months in hospital, he rebuilt his life to become a successful entrepreneur, TEDx speaker, published author, and mental health advocate.

On behalf of The Anthony Seddon Fund, Jay shares his powerful story, "In Ardius Fidelis - Faithful Through Adversity."



Allison Furlong

Alfie's life was changed irreversibly when he lost his dad to suicide. The core mission of Alfie's Squad is to provide peer support to children and young people who have been bereaved by suicide. Joining us will be Allison, CEO of Alfie's Squad and Alfie's mum.

INFORMATION STALLS & WELLBEING ACTIVITIES

- Mentell
- Made By Mortals
- Diversity Matters North West
- CGL
- Healthwatch
- The Shed
- Samaritans
- Finding Rainbows
- Dad Matters
- Empowered to Thrive
- Real Rock Radio
- Talking Therapies
- Neighbourhood Mental Health Team
- ...and many more organisations!
- Sound Bath with Harmony with Hope Therapy
- Hand massage
- Arts/Crafts with Green Creations CIC and The Power of Resilience
- Mini Reiki treatments
- Live music

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Our
5th
YEAR

Discussions will contain themes of suicide and self harm. Under 16s must be accompanied by a parent/guardian