



Dear Parents,

It was so lovely to welcome so many families to our Young Leaders commissioning assembly on Wednesday. As part of this, the children told me that they felt a good leader is someone who is kind and works well with others. This is so true, and I'm sure each of our young people who have applied for and been selected for a role have these qualities in abundance. Well done everyone.



Science Ambassadors



P4C Protagonists



Healthy Minds Champions



OPAL Play Detectives



School Councillors



Sports Leaders



Reading Ambassadors

You may have noticed the significant changes that are underway in our Foundation Stage garden. We're really excited by these enhancements and look forward to its official opening in the last week of term. Look out for more information in next week's newsletter.





P4C Silver

P4C, or Philosophy for Children, is an approach to teaching that encourages children to think deeply, ask thoughtful questions, and discuss big ideas in a safe and respectful environment. It has been embedded in the curriculum at Bradway for some years, and I'm delighted to announce that this week we heard we had achieved the Silver Accreditation. I would like to thank Mrs Crookes and last year's P4C Protagonists for the work that went in to this application.



Boys football team

Congratulations to our Y6 boys' football team who took part in a mini-tournament this week, winning every single match. Despite some tough opposition, they did incredibly well to win overall. Well done lads!

OPAL Update – Scooters

This week we introduced our much-anticipated scooters to our lunchtime OPAL play provision. It has been lovely to see the children enjoying this new aspect of play...but they couldn't do so until they'd seen the hotly-anticipated health and safety video from Mrs Hatton and Miss Prestwich. Why not take a look here:

<https://youtu.be/9AY8IFXbuek>

The scooters form part of our growing offer for making dinnertime play the very best it can be. On the next page is a snapshot of some of the fun that has taken place this week:







FOBPS Halloween Disco

Tickets are now on sale for the FOBPS Halloween Discos which take place on Thursday 23rd October. Please see the attached posters for more information, but be aware of the specific event information below:

Foundation Stage	3:20 – 4pm	A quieter, lights on disco for the younger children. No costumes please.
Years 1, 2 & 3	5:00 - 6:10pm	No masks please.
Years 4, 5 & 6	6:30 – 7:45pm	

Parents evening

Parent consultations will be taking place next week. We hope this is a useful opportunity to hear how your child has settled in to their new class. Please look out for the following governors who will be at reception ready to welcome you. Feel free to have a chat about your experiences of Bradway if you wish.

Wednesday		Thursday
		
Susan Mohammed	Nicola Hartley	John McDonald



Mr Chris Thomas
Headteacher





Autumn Term 1	
Wednesday 15th October 3.30 - 7.10pm Thursday 16th October 3.30 - 5.30pm FS2 Y1 Y2 Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6 Parents invited	Parent consultations In person parent consultations will take place at school. Bookings will be made through the Arbor Parent App. Bookings are now open.
Thursday 16th October Y3	Y3 Trip to Manor Lodge Y3 will be going on a trip to Manor Lodge as part of their history learning journey. Normal school times apply, packed lunches will be required.
Friday 17th October Y6	Y6 Macbeth Performance The Young Shakespeare Company will be coming in to school for a Macbeth workshop with our Y6 students
Monday 20th October Y4	Y4 Roman Day This will take place in school and children are encouraged to wear simple Roman costumes. At the end of the day, we invite parents/carers to come and watch a performance of the gladiator dance that the children have learnt, at 3pm in the hall
Tuesday 21st October 6-7pm Parents invited	Smartphone Free Childhood – Parent-led Presentation All are invited to a parent-led presentation on a “Smartphone Free Childhood” in the school hall. This event has been organised by a group of parents who are passionate about supporting children’s wellbeing by exploring the benefits of delaying smartphone use. Please note that this is not a school event, but we are pleased to share the opportunity for interested parents to attend and join the discussion
Wednesday 22nd October 3.15-3.30pm FS2 Parents invited	FS2 Outdoor Classroom Opening Celebration Parents of FS2 children are welcome to attend the opening celebration of our outdoor classroom
Thursday 23rd October FS2 Y1 Y2 Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6	FOBPS Halloween Discos FS2 Mini Disco 3.20-4.00pm Y1, Y1 & Y3 Disco 5.00-6.10pm Y4, Y5 & Y6 Disco 6.30-7.45pm See posters for full details. Tickets available via Parentpay.
Thursday 23rd October FS2 Y1 Y2 Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6	Last day of term
Friday 24th October FS2 Y1 Y2 Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6	INSET Day – School closed

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