



Highfield Newsletter



Headteacher's Message

At the end of our second week back the children are all very much into school routines and the atmosphere around Highfield has been amazing; so many bright, smiling faces!

I want to take this opportunity to say a heartfelt thank you to all the incredible volunteers who generously gave their time and energy to help decorate our new sensory and nurture rooms. Parents, parent's friends, staff, members of the local community and children came in throughout the summer holidays to lend their time or provide materials. Your generosity, dedication, and hard work have transformed these spaces into calming, welcoming environments for our children to enjoy and feel supported and valued. These rooms will provide a place of comfort and growth for so many, and we couldn't have done it without your help. Your efforts have made a lasting impact on our school community, and we are truly grateful for your kindness and support.



Enjoy your weekend and thank you for your support.

Mr Feeley

News & Updates

Celebration Assembly

Congratulations and a huge well done to the children in Key Stage Two who were recognised for their fantastic effort and attitude this week by making it into the **celebration book**. We are all proud of you for setting such a high standard! The children who we are celebrating this week are:

1B - Annie, Fox, Nikita

1W - Aadam, Eden, Mollie

2F - Jocelyn, Kailash, Rayann

2H - Ashwin, Dhanishta, Gus

The Friends supporting our music



The Friends of Highfield have given our music curriculum a wonderful boost by helping with the purchase of new musical instruments. As our children move through school they will now have the opportunity to play the ocarina, glockenspiel, ukulele, recorder and boomwhackers! It is the selfless hard work of our PTA that allows this to happen, thank you! The Friends are now organising the pumpkin parties which they also help subsidise. If you are interested in helping, please contact them at: friends@highfield.leeds.sch.uk or contact Mr Feeley.

Inclusion News!

Please check out Mrs Dalglish and Mrs Shelley's Autumn term inclusion newsletter on the school website. Also, the Autumn term coffee morning will be held on Wednesday 25th September at 9am so put that date in your diaries. Find it here:

<https://highfield-primary.co.uk/key-information/send/>

Basketball opportunity:

CITY OF LEEDS BASKETBALL CLUB AFTER SCHOOL SESSIONS



City of Leeds Basketball Club are offering after-school sessions for our Year Five pupils this term.

This is a wonderful opportunity to learn new skills, a new sport and have fun. These are excellent sessions delivered by an excellent club. Last year's sessions were really popular and the feedback from our pupils could not have been more positive.

If you are interested, please contact the school office or Mr Brassil for further details:

Jim.brassil@highfield.leeds.sch.uk

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Safeguarding. For child protection concerns you can contact any of our Designated Child Protection Officers: Mr Feeley, Mrs Bowker, Mrs Dalglish and Mrs Calvert. There is some useful information on the LSCB website about online safety with some useful tips for parents: <http://www.leedslscb.org.uk/Parents-Carers-Wider-Family/Keeping-children-safe-online>. If you are worried that a child is at risk of harm please contact Leeds Children's Social Work Services on 0113 222 4403.