

# BRITANNIA NEWS



Weekly Newsletter  
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## RECEPTION PENGUIN WATCH

### SCHOOL NEWS

#### RECEPTION CLASS

Our Reception Class have been learning about penguins and a mysterious egg arriving in their class. The children were excited to see it has hatched this weekend and a penguin chick was in the box. They will be looking after it this week.

#### ATHLETICS COMPETITION

Selected children from Years 3 and 4 took place in an Athletics Competition on 20th January at The Valley Leadership Academy. The competition consisted of 6 races and 6 field events, with each child completing at least one race and one field event. Overall, Britannia finished 3rd out of the five teams, coming only 2 points behind 2nd place. It was amazing to see children trying out athletics for the first time, whilst others were representing school for a second time in this competition.

All the children who competed did amazingly well and truly did the school proud and we really look forward to entering again next year with hopes to improve on our 3rd place finish.

#### GOLD BOOK ASSEMBLY

Our next Gold Book Assembly will be held on **Friday 31st January at 9.00 a.m.** We look forward to seeing you.

#### FAMILY ART AND CRAFT DAY

The A B & D Centre in Bacup have a FREE Art and Craft Event on **Saturday 8th February** from 1.00 – 4.00 p.m.

#### HALF-TERM

School will be closed from **Monday 17th to Friday 21st February**. FUNDA will once again be running a Holiday Camp at our school and bookings can be made via their website.

### STARS OF THE WEEK

REC FREDDIE/ELSIE/LEO  
YEAR 1 EWAN/ALICE/.JOEY  
YEAR 2 CHARLIE/JAXON/HATTIE  
YEAR 3 HUGO/OPHELIA/FREDDIE  
YEAR 4 KINGSLEY/LOLA/LEXIE  
YEAR 5 NOAH/IVY/MAXWELL  
YEAR 6 DARCY/EMILY/JAMES/SEB/  
MELODY

### ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Well done to Year 3 who were our attendance winners last week.

Reception	- 96.3%
Year 1	- 99%
Year 2	- 99%
Year 3	- 99.3%
Year 4	- 98.7%
Year 5	- 93.1%
Year 6	- 96.7%

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### JAN

29th Year 5 trip to Burnley Youth Theatre

31st Gold Book Assembly

#### FEB

17th-21st Half-Term

24th School re-opens

25th Young Voices

### EXTRA CURRICULAR

Mon Choir/Year 1 & Year 2 Indoor Football

Tues Year 3 & Year 4 Dodgeball

Thurs Year 1 & Year 2 Dodgeball/Newspaper Club

Fri Year 5 & Year 6 Dodgeball

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