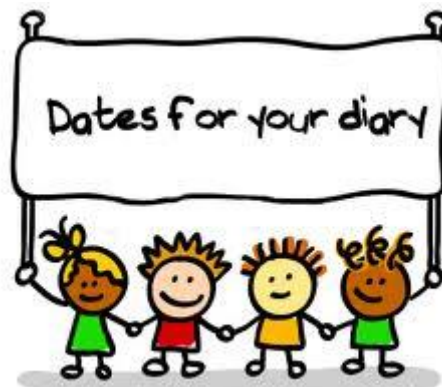




Friday 16th January 2026



Monday 26th January – Church in School - 2:45pm

Wednesday 28th January – High Adventure Parent Meeting –
2:30pm and then again at 6pm

Thursday 29th January – SEND Parent sessions (more details below)
2:40pm – 3:30pm

Wednesday 4th February – Reception, Year 1, Year 1/2F and 2F
Make 'n' Take (limited places)

Friday 13th February – end of term



Class News

Year 1

The children have sculpted their own dinosaurs out of clay this week and they look fantastic! Keep your eyes peeled for some pictures being added to our Facebook page.

The children have also been working hard this week learning actions for the story Lost and Found. They may even be able to act out some of the story for you!

Year 1/2F

This week 1/2F have been finishing their dreamcatchers. They used their textile skills to weave, plait, twist and thread to create some very beautiful dreamcatchers that they are bringing home today to capture all of their wonderful dreams!

Year 2F

Year 2 enjoyed reading some 'What am I?' riddles about different types of birds this week and even wrote their own. The RSPB's 'Big Garden Birdwatch' starts today and ends on Sunday. The children might enjoy taking part in this over the weekend!

Year 6

In English this week, the children have been investigating the story of The Wizard of Oz. We have been thinking about the speech and investigating the personalities of the characters as they are introduced. We have watched some short clips from the film and many children have expressed their wish to watch more. If you



could find the time for this to happen at home, this would support their learning in school greatly.



New Signing in system

We are currently installing a new signing in system for pupils and visitors. We will give you more details once it is up and running and we are fully trained. Keep your eye on the app next week, for more information.



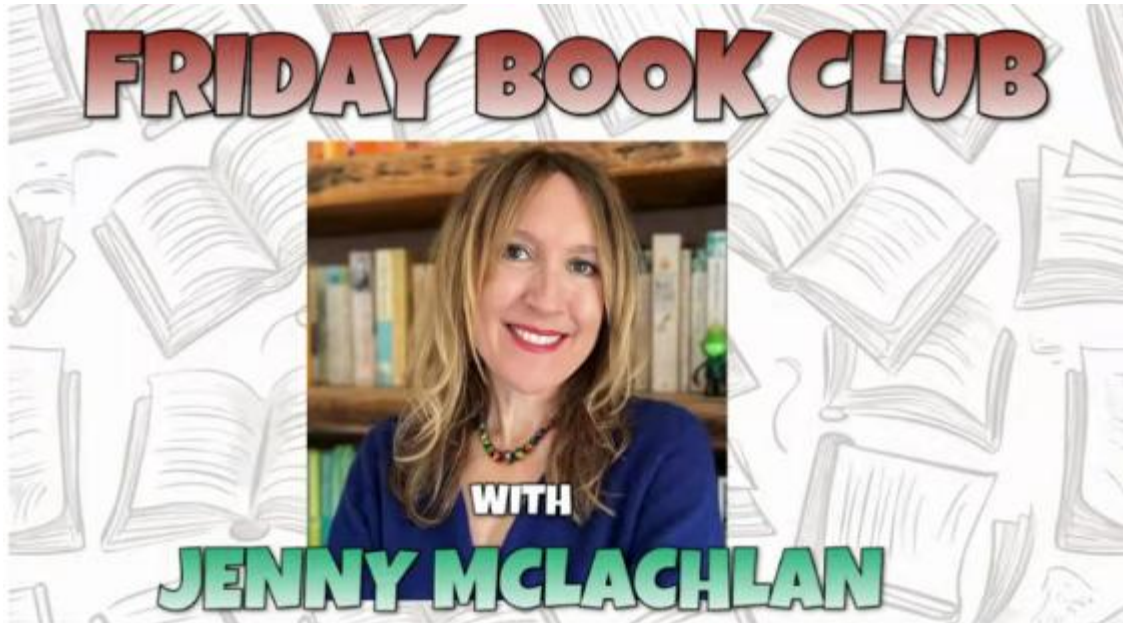
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2026-The year of Reading

Over the next few weeks, the author Jenny Mclachlan will be producing a Friday Book club. These are 30 minute videos filled with fun activities for the children to join in with. Here is the link to week 2-Villains!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=afh1XpTb8LA>



Reminder for children not to bring toys to school

This is a reminder that we ask children to keep personal toys, collectible items and other playthings at home. While we understand children love their special items, bringing them to school can unfortunately create distractions and lead to lost or broken possessions, causing distress for everyone involved.

Teachers are aware of those children who require additional items in class and this will continue to be the case.



Year 6 High Adventure Residential Visit

We are holding a parents/carers meeting on Wednesday 28th January at 2:30pm and then again at 6pm in the school hall.

At this meeting, we will tell you what the children need to pack, what the activities are and what the food is like!

If you have already returned your 'yellow form', thank you.

For information about the trip, please visit our school website.

<https://www.stacksteads.lancs.sch.uk/parent-zone-1/residential-visit>

School Website

For more information about the venue, please visit our

<https://www.highadventure.co.uk/primaryschoolsyrkshire>



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Football Match – Year 5 and 6

Well done to everyone who took part in the football match against Cherry Fold last night. Even though we won 7-0, Mr Stanton was more pleased with their attitude throughout the match, than the result. Well done boys! You made Holy Trinity proud!

Picture News



Can awards encourage people to help others and care for the world?

TAKEHOME

18th - 25th January

In the news this week

Recently, a new award, called the Jane Goodall Earth Medal, has been created to celebrate people who work to help others and care for the world. It is named after Dr Jane Goodall, who spent her life protecting animals and encouraging people to look after nature. The award recognises kind and caring actions that make a positive difference, even when people are not looking for praise.

Things to talk about at home ...

- > What do you think about the new award? Share with someone at home. Do you believe it's important to recognise kind actions?
- > Can you think of someone you know who helps others or cares for the world in everyday ways?
- > Can you come up with other ways that people can be recognised for their actions?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others

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What's on at our centres?

2026

Haslingden Family Hub

Monday Baby & You 1 2:30pm (05.01-23.03)
Move & Groove 3:30-4:45pm (05.01-23.03)

Tuesday Development Matters 9:30-11am (06.01-24.03)
Inside Out 3:30-4:45pm (24.02-24.03)

Wednesday Parents 2 Be 1-2pm (11.02)

Thursday Mini Move & Groove 9:30-11am (08.01-26.03)

Whitworth Library

Wednesday Development Matters 10-11:30am (07.01-25.03)

Community Settings

Monday Development Matters - Balladen Community room 9:30-10:30am (05.01-23.03)
Mini Move & Groove - Bacup Nursery 9:30-10:45am (12.01-09.02)

Thursday Cafe & Connect at Trinity Baptist Church 10-12pm (08.01, 05.02, 05.03, 02.04)

FRIDAY Infant Massage 9:45-10:45am (09.01-13.02)

Rawtenstall Family Hub and The Zone

Monday Childminders Drop In 9:30-11:30am (05.01-23.03)

Wednesday Speech and Language Drop In 9:30-11:30am (07.01, 28.01, 25.02, 25.03)
Parents 2 Be 1-2pm (14.01 & 21.01)

Thursday Friends of the Hub - Parent & Carer Forum 3:30-4:30pm (29.01, 26.02, 26.03)

FRIDAY Baby Sensory 10-11am (27.02-27.03)

SATURDAY Family Fun Events 10-12pm (07.02 & 07.03)

SCAN HERE

To see What's on and BOOK!



We also run the Freedom Programme and Freedom for Children Programme - Enquire today!

Maden Family Hub

Tuesday Infant Massage 9:30-10:30am (13.01-10.02)
Home Start Play group 1 2:30pm (06.01-24.03)

Wednesday Parents 2 Be 1-2pm (11.03 & 18.03)

Thursday Development Matters 1-2pm (08.01-26.03)
Colourful Footsteps 3:30-4:45pm (08.01-26.03)
Inside Out 3:30-4:45pm (08.01-12.02)
Inside Out Together 3:30-4:45pm (26.02-26.03)

FRIDAY Childminders Drop In 9:30-11:30am (09.01-03.04)
SENDIAS & Parent Carer Forum 9:30-11:30am (16.01, 13.02, 13.03, 10.04)

Move & Groove After School Club 3:30-4:30pm (27.02-27.03)

Referral Only- Speech, Language and Communication Play group

You can self-refer or professionals can refer. 6-week targeted play group for all speech, language and communication needs. Email: Rossendalefamilyhub@lancashire.gov.uk

February Half Term

We will be running Family Fun Events for families with children aged 0-11 years, keep an eye on our Facebook and Events Booking Page to book! Some groups will run during half term week, please contact us to find out!

Enquiries?

Email: Rossendalefamilyhub@lancashire.gov.uk
or
Phone: 01772536873

Children and Family Wellbeing Service

Lancashire FAMILY HUBS NETWORK

Lancashire County Council



Christian Value

Our Christian value for this half term is **respect**.



Safeguarding Concerns

The wellbeing of our children is of paramount importance to all staff. Should any person have a concern regarding a child's wellbeing, please inform one of the school's designated safeguarding team.

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DSL Tracy Walsh, Deputy DSL Debbie Burns and Deputy DSL Abigail Gorman.

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