

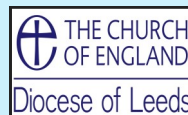


# Elland C of E School

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## NEWSLETTER 7th April 2022



### PUPILS OF THE WEEK



### HEAD TEACHER'S AWARD



Khadija U—Well Done!

### WOW WORK OF THE WEEK



## Attendance Winners



### Last Week's Attendance Winners

Whole School— 82.1%

Winners—Year 3—96%

House Points Winners **Savile** = 259 Points Well done!



## Easter Raffle



Raffle tickets for our Easter Egg raffle are 20p each.

Easter hamper kindly donated by Morrisons - tickets are £1 each.

All of the money raised will be donated to the **Ukraine Crisis Appeal**.

The draws will take place on the last day of term.



### Breaking News!



#### HEAD ARRESTED!!

Find out more on Page 2!

### Bottle Tops

We are collecting plastic bottle tops for an art project. Any sizes & colours would be much appreciated.

Thank you



### Class Photos



On Tuesday 26th April at 9a.m the school photographer will be in school to take the Class Photos.

## Mr Parker

Sadly Mr Parker will be leaving us after the Easter holidays. He is pursuing a new career in Outdoor Education. He will be greatly missed and we wish him all the best with his new venture. His last day will be Friday 29th April.

Mr Parker's class role will be covered Mon—Weds by Mrs Depledge, and Thurs-Fri by Mrs Fahey.

## Year 6

Year 6 have been doing revision this week in maths. To make it fun, questions were put into envelopes and placed around the classroom. The children had to move around, picking an envelope and answering the question in their Maths book.



## Church Links

This week children and staff attended an Easter Service at St Mary's Church at 1.15pm on Thursday 7th April.





## Crime Scene Investigations in EYFS

Following on from our student's interests, we arranged for the police to come into school and work with our children. Our two robbers Hefty Hugh and Lanky Len stole our fine prized cow. We had a crime scene set up for the children to investigate and explore. The police told us how to carefully collect evidence and gather information to help arrest the robbers. The police also demonstrated how they use their equipment and when it might be necessary. We collectively talked about theft and how it is a criminal act. The children also learnt the importance of telling the truth and not taking things that do not belong to them.

The children were able to share their thoughts around theft in a safe environment. Following on from this activity the children then helped create wanted posters to share around the community. With the help from our two officers, they patrolled our school looking for further clues.

The children had a phone call from the police officers asking for back up! When we arrived outside, we found the two robbers and placed them under arrest. We helped to put the robbers in the back of the police van!



They did let Miss Hartley go in the end!

A job well done from the early years team & police officers!  
Our next job is to find our fine prized cow....



## Football—Elland v Salterhebble

As the rainclouds gathered and the wind picked up, Elland took on Salterhebble in their 4th game of the season. The pitch was larger than either team had played on before, and it took a moment for the girls to find their positions and make the most of the available space.

The first half was action packed with both teams having fairly equal possession. In the 12th min, an Elland throw in was intercepted by Salterhebble who managed to find the back of the net despite Madie's best efforts to deflect the ball. Score 1 : 0. This gave Salterhebble a sense of confidence and in the 15th minute they managed to slot the ball in the bottom left-hand corner. Elland fought back with many a shot on target, but unfortunately all were scooped up by their goalie. Half time score 2 : 0.

Elland C of E did not lose hope and entered the second half with determination. Lola and Neevie-Lea were vital in moving the ball around the pitch and Kady and Emily were formidable defenders. This formation was instrumental and allowed them to apply pressure on the opposing team. Despite Elland's best efforts, their closest shot was the one which thwacked Miss Johnson, who was stood next to opposition's posts! Full time score 2 : 0





## Easter Activities



**Creating Spaces Outdoor Living** is holding a FREE pizza cookery school at it's Showroom on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April!!!

All children welcome. They will learn new skills and create their own pizza and then eat their creations. After which there will be an Easter Egg Hunt around the village.

Children must be accompanied by an adult and registration information to be filled in.

If you would like any further information, then please do not hesitate to contact me on 01422 355425 option 2 or

Email: [justine@creatingspacesgroup.com](mailto:justine@creatingspacesgroup.com) or website: [www.creatingspacesoutdoorliving.com](http://www.creatingspacesoutdoorliving.com)

## Creative Healthy Holidays

Sessions are free for children eligible for Free School Meals, or £30 full price (we also have some discretionary funds available for families if needed). Support assistants will also be onsite to assist with any children with SEND and we aim to make the sessions as accessible as possible.

Full details and booking form can be found here:

<https://www.theartworks.org.uk/creative-healthy-holidays>

## Halifax Holiday Club

HALIFAX HOLIDAY CLUB LTD

**Prices from just £22 a day!**

Our adventure activities include:  
**Artificial Cave • Archery • Climbing • Bouldering • Zip Wire  
 Mountain Biking • Canoeing • Bullseyff • Navigation**

3 Programmes to  
Choose from

**Extreme**  
Ages 10-14

**Explorers**  
Ages 8-10

**Seekers**  
Ages 6-7







**9:30am to 3:30pm Monday to Friday throughout school holidays**  
*Join our Official Representative (over 18s) and we'll send you the Day to Discover - £10pp  
 (only available for 5/11/17). Address your application.*  
**Our service is subject to availability.**

For information contact 01422 410727 or [info@halifaxholidayclub.co.uk](mailto:info@halifaxholidayclub.co.uk)  
 or to book visit [www.halifaxholidayclub.co.uk](http://www.halifaxholidayclub.co.uk)  
 The Belle Riveau, Park Gates, Shaw Lodge Hill, Halifax, WOL 9ET

## CHALLENGE YOURSELF EVERY WEEK AT OUR ADVENTURE CLUB!



- Every Saturday morning and Wednesday night
- Book in half term holidays and try everything over a half term
- £6 a session or £30 for 5 sessions
- For more information email [info@halifaxadventures.com](mailto:info@halifaxadventures.com) or call 01422 410727



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**Artworks**  
CREATIVE HEALTHY HOLIDAYS

## Creative Healthy Holidays

Work with an artist to learn something new  
and be inspired this spring holidays

Monday 11th – Thursday 14th April, 1-5pm each day

All abilities welcome, with a support assistant on-site with SEND training  
Snacks and a hot meal included in every session  
These sessions are FREE for children aged 5-10 who are eligible for free school meals  
Further funding available or £50 full price

To book your place, visit [www.theartworks.org.uk/creative-healthy-holidays](http://www.theartworks.org.uk/creative-healthy-holidays)  
or call 07888 545291

**JOIN THE FUN THIS SPRING  
AND ENJOY  
A HEALTHY  
HOLIDAY!**

SESSIONS ARE DELIVERED BY AND TAKE PLACE AT ARTWORKS, THE EVERYBODY  
SCHOOL OF ART, SHAW LANE, HOLFHAM HX5 3ET

This programme is part of Calderdale's Community Foundation, generously  
funded by the Community Foundation for Calderdale and Callewell  
Council



A vibrant poster for 'TUMBLE TOTS EASTER CAMP' at 'HEBEN BRIDGE PLAY GYM'. The background is a bright blue sky with white clouds. Four children are shown in various acrobatic poses: a girl in a purple leotard and pink tutu performing a handstand on the left, a boy in a blue shirt and red shorts performing a handstand in the center, a girl in a green leotard and pink tutu performing a handstand on the right, and a boy in a grey t-shirt and blue shorts performing a handstand on the bottom right. The text is in a playful, colorful font. The event details include the dates 'Thursday 19th - Friday 27th April 2023', the times '3:30pm - 4:20pm & 4:30pm - 5:00pm', and the age range 'AGES 3 TO 5 YEARS'. The pricing is listed as '£17 PER HALF DAY', '£37 TOLL DAY', and '£25 ALL 4 DAYS'. A website link 'PLEASE BOOK VIA WEBSITE' is provided at the bottom. The contact information for 'THE TUMBLE TOTS COMPANY' is listed at the very bottom.

**TUMBLE TOTS EASTER CAMP**

**HEBEN BRIDGE PLAY GYM**

VALLEY ROAD, HEBEN BRIDGE, BS2 7XZ

THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> - FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2023

3:30PM - 4:20PM & 4:30PM - 5:00PM

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# JOIN THE **FUN** THIS **SPRING** AND ENJOY A **HEALTHY** HOLIDAY!

Keep the kids entertained in the Spring holiday with fun activities and fed with healthy meals



Following a successful 2021 programme, the Healthy Holidays Calander Programme returns with thousands of places available for young people to access during the holidays. Healthy Holidays Activities are taking place in community centres and there is something for everyone, from team sports, dancing, yoga, street art, and ceramics, to craft, music, boardwalk, climbing walls, and outdoor games. Your kids will be kept entertained. Plus, every place is free for school aged children ( Reception to Year 11 who are eligible for benefits related free school meals). There may also be places for fee-paying children who are not eligible for free school meals.

Places will be available from the end of March/beginning of April 2022. Look and follow the [@HealthyHolidaysCalderdale](#) Facebook page to keep up to date and be notified when places are available for you to book.



*"It amazed my child to experience something I realise? has been able to afford. Also helped her overcome her anxiety and be less self-conscious. The coaches were very supportive"*  
**Parent / Carer of children attending Healthy Holidays programme**

*"I had never heard of dragon fruit before, we learnt about and tasted so many food foods during our food education session"*  
**Child, Age 11, attending the Healthy Holidays Programme**



Parents and carers gave us feedback that as well as it is getting the kids out of the house and away from their phones, it was also an opportunity for their children to try new foods and be more adventurous with what they would eat.

Make sure that you keep up to date and are the first to know when places are available for the Spring holiday schools by following [@HealthyHolidaysCalderdale](#) on Facebook. Thousands of places will be available to book from the end of March/beginning of April 2022.

Facebook: [@HealthyHolidaysCalderdale](#)  
Website: [www.calderdale.gov.uk/healthyholidays](#)  
Email: [HealthyHolidays@calderdale.gov.uk](#)  
Call: 01422 288001

No Internet? Visit a local Calderdale Library and they will support you in registering your children online available activities



## Health Update

If your child has symptoms of COVID-19, please keep your child at home and contact school to advise us of any absence.

**Public Health latest advice:**

Anyone who tests positive for COVID-19 should stay at home for at least 5 and up to 10 days and avoid contact with other people.

All absences related to COVID-19 will now be recorded as normal illness.

If you are unsure, please visit [www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/) to clarify.

**Symptoms**  
High temperature  
New continuous cough  
Loss or change to sense of taste or smell

Upcoming Events	
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**Every Friday afternoon**

Year 5 swimming

**Ongoing**

## Adult Learning starts—Get ready to learn Maths

**Friday Mornings for 12 weeks**

Strengthening Families, Strengthening Communities (SFSC) 9.30am-12.30pm

## Easter

End of school day on Friday 8th April

## School Re-opens

Monday 25th April

**Bank Holiday**

School Closed—Monday 2nd May

