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**BRADFORD GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

Co-educational up to 11, Girls only 11-16

November 2023

# WHOLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## THE WEEK AHEAD

Weekly Assembly Theme: Tolerance (Age of Wonder launch Y8, 9 10)  
Next week: Thanksgiving (Reminder Rewards for term 1 - senior phase)

When	For	Time	Activity
Thursday	Year 1	2-30pm	Stay and Learn
Thursday	Year 9, 10, 11	All Day	Youth Voice Summit

We also want to remind everyone that flu vaccination day for Lady Royd is xxx

## Highlights

### Remembrance Day

This morning, we gathered as a school to honor and remember those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom. The Remembrance service was a poignant moment for reflection, gratitude, and unity.

### Children In Need

Lady Royd & BGGs Children in Need events: Pyjama Day on Friday with a £1 donation, 'The Dot' art project. BGGs bake-off on Thursday—bake a 'Children in Need' cake, vote for £1. Friday, wear spotty or stripey items with a £1 pass, available Monday to Thursday. Join us in making a difference!

### Anti Bullying Week

Next week, our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors are leading activities for each key stage on the theme 'Make A Noise About Bullying.' We'll discuss the meaning of bullying, the impact of banter, and ways to stop it. Look out for our insights in the Lady Royd newsletter next Friday!

### Parking

We've observed concerns regarding illegal parking outside the school. To ensure the safety of everyone, please use designated parking areas and adhere to traffic regulations during drop-off and pick-up. Your cooperation is essential in maintaining a secure environment.

### PE Competition - Lady Royd

BGGs hosted the inaugural BDAT primary school multiskills athletics event for Group 1. Teams from Clayton St John, Shiple CofE, Lady Royd, St Philips, and the Academy at St James competed in 6 activities, with St Philips emerging as winners with 856 points. A fantastic time was had by all!

### Open Day

Discover the world of Lady Royd School at our Open Day! Meet our dedicated staff, explore our facilities, and learn about our innovative programs at our Open Day Sessions.

Thank you for reading our newsletter.

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## Remembrance Day



This morning, we gathered as a school to honor and remember those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom. The Remembrance service was a poignant moment for reflection, gratitude, and unity. In the words of our student, Maya, "Today's assembly has had a huge impact on us all and has made us feel very fortunate." Maya beautifully encapsulates the sentiments shared by many of us as we stood together in remembrance.

As a school community, let us carry the spirit of remembrance with us, not just today, but every day. May the lessons learned from this morning's assembly inspire us to live with gratitude, compassion, and a deep appreciation for the freedoms we enjoy.

## Children In Need

In the senior phase we are excited to hold the first BGGs bake off on Thursday! Pupils are invited to bake and decorate a 'Children in Need' inspired cake and for a £1 contribution all senior phase students and staff can vote for the best looking cake! On Friday, students can come to school wearing spotty or stripey items, and students can buy their pass in form time from Monday to Thursday for £1.

Lady Royd are having a pyjama day to raise money for Children in Need, all pupils can bring a £1 to school and can come to school in their pyjamas for the day. They will also be taking part in a whole school art project centered around a book called 'The Dot, written by Peter Reynolds'



## Polite Notice

It has come to our attention that a small number of senior students have been collecting their primary siblings at the end of the day and then taking them up to the senior library area. This is a safeguarding concern because primary pupils leave our care once they have been safely collected, and the level of supervision in the senior phase after school is much less than in primary. If senior students wish to use the library after school, their younger siblings must attend aftercare, for which there is a charge. Thank you for helping us ensure that all our students are safeguarded.

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Next week marks Anti-Bullying Week, and our dedicated Anti-Bullying Ambassadors have been tirelessly preparing engaging activities for each key stage. They have utilized resources from the Anti-Bullying Alliance, centering around this year's theme 'Make A Noise About Bullying'.

From Monday to Thursday, the senior phase will be immersed in a series of assemblies, lessons, and activities focused on positive choices, conflict resolution, and pledging to prevent bullying. W

Additionally, our Ambassadors will be facilitating discussions across all key stages about the meaning of bullying, the potential escalation from banter to hurtful behavior, and proactive measures to stop bullying. We eagerly anticipate sharing our collective learning with you in the Lady Royd newsletter next Friday.

Let's unite in our commitment to creating an environment where every individual feels valued, respected, and supported. Together, we can amplify our voices against bullying and make a lasting impact.

## Parking

It has come to our attention that there are concerns regarding illegal parking outside the school premises. The safety of our students, parents, and the entire school community is of utmost importance.

To ensure the well-being of everyone, we kindly request that you utilize the designated parking areas and strictly adhere to traffic regulations during drop-off and pick-up times. Your cooperation is essential in maintaining a secure and orderly environment.

Let's work together to create a safe and welcoming space for all.

Thank you for your understanding and collaboration.

## PE Competition

BGGS were hosts of the first BDAT primary school multiskills athletics event for primary schools in group 1. Clayton St John, Shiple CofE, Lady Royd, St Philips and the Academy at St James all attended, where teams of 12 pupils took part in 6 running, jumping and throwing activities to test their skills and score points for their team. A great time was had by all, and St Philips left as the winners with a total of 856 points.



Find out more information:  
<https://tinyurl.com/ym7p7knd>

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## Lady Royd Open Day Sessions

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BRADFORD GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL CAMPUS  
For girls and boys up to 11 years

# OPEN DAY

PLACES AVAILABLE FOR RECEPTION SEPTEMBER 2024

**Why choose Lady Royd ?**

As the co-educational primary phase of Bradford Girls' Grammar School, Lady Royd provides a happy, caring and safe learning environment where all pupils thrive. Children are at the heart of everything we do, and we are committed to ensuring that every pupil reaches their full potential.

**Thurs 23rd November 2023**  
Session 1 - 9.30am  
Session 2 - 10.30am  
Session 3 - 10.30am

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Bradford Diocesan Academies Trust

We are excited to invite you to explore the wonderful world of Lady Royd Primary School at our upcoming Open Day sessions.

At Lady Royd Primary School, we are committed to providing a nurturing and innovative environment for your child's education. Our dedicated staff and comprehensive curriculum will help your child thrive academically and socially.

We can't wait to welcome you and your child to our school and share our commitment to excellence in education. Don't miss this chance to discover what makes Lady Royd Primary School so special!

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