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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:** Thanksgiving

**Next week:** Consent

When	For	Time	Activity
25/11/23	Primary	10.30am	Open day
27/11/23	Primary	9.30am	LR Fair Banding
30/11/23	Primary	All day	Reception Eureka Trip
1/12/23	Senior	All day	Reward trip - Bradford Ice Arena
11/12/23	Senior	All day	NHS data collection - Year 9
12/12/23	Primary	Lunch time	Christmas dinner
12/12/23	Senior	3.45pm - 5pm	Winter Wonderland
13/12/23	Senior	Lunch time	Christmas dinner
13/12/23	Primary	9.15 - 10am or 2.30 - 3.15pm	Year 1 and 2 Performance
14/12/23	Primary	9.15 - 10am or 2.30 - 3.15pm	Reception Nativity

**PLEASE NOTE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL IS FRIDAY 15TH DECEMBER 2023**

## Highlights

### Age of Wonder

Last week, Year 8-10 students joined the Age of Wonder project with Bib research, part of the Born in Bradford initiative. Focusing on Bradford teens' unique adolescence, the project emphasizes mental and physical health over conventional learning experiences.

### Children in Need

Excited to share the success of our recent Children in Need initiatives at BGGGS and LRPS. Thanks to everyone's generosity, we made a significant impact, reflecting our strong community spirit. Heartfelt thanks to all who participated. Your continued support is appreciated.

### GCSE - Blood Brothers

Our students recently attended "Blood Brothers" at the Alhambra Theatre, a key part of their GCSE curriculum. They'll be writing about this in their exams. The trip enhanced their understanding and analytical skills. Well done, Year 11, and best of luck in your mocks.

### Flu Vaccination

On December 15th, the immunisation team will be at school for flu vaccinations. You can book a slot for your child to receive the nasal spray vaccine—it's optional but a convenient choice for our school community's well-being.

### Bradford Citizen Delegates

Hosting the Bradford Citizen Delegates Assembly was a tremendous honor. Students from various backgrounds passionately discussed city priorities such as anti-racism, cost of living, and mental health. We are proud of their engagement and commitment to creating positive change!

### Year 5 - Gurdwara Trip

The Year 5 Gurdwara trip demonstrated our students embodying ASPIRE Values, reflecting respectful engagement and emphasizing diversity within our school community.

### Open Day

Last chance to discover the world of Lady Royd School at our Open Day! Meet our dedicated staff, explore our facilities, and learn about our innovative curriculum at our Open Day Session this Saturday!

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## Age of Wonder

Last week, students from Year 8-10 actively participated in the Age of Wonder project in collaboration with Bib research. This innovative initiative is an integral part of the larger Born in Bradford project, which seeks to capture and celebrate the unique adolescence journey of teens in Bradford.

The Age of Wonder project goes beyond conventional learning experiences, placing a strong emphasis on mental and physical health.



In the wake of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, this initiative becomes even more crucial, addressing the specific challenges and impacts that the global health crisis has had on the well-being of young individuals in the community.

Born in Bradford, the driving force behind this project, is dedicated to fostering a supportive environment that encourages the holistic development of teens. By actively engaging in projects like the Age of Wonder, students are not only contributing to a broader understanding of adolescence but also gaining valuable insights into how to navigate the complexities of growing up in the context of contemporary challenges.

As we collectively embark on the Age of Wonder, the Born in Bradford project gains momentum, creating a ripple effect of positive change within the community. This collaborative effort symbolizes a commitment to building resilience, promoting mental well-being, and strengthening the social fabric that binds us all together.

The Age of Wonder has indeed begun, and with the Born in Bradford project at its core, we look forward to witnessing the transformative impact it will have on the lives of Bradford teens, shaping a future that is both healthy and inspiring.

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## Children In Need



We are thrilled to share the fantastic success of our recent initiatives to support Children in Need at BGGs. The enthusiasm and generosity of our students, staff, and parents have truly made a positive impact.

Thanks to the collective efforts, we are excited to announce that our through-school initiative raised a grand total of £874.15 for Children in Need. This remarkable achievement reflects the strong sense of community and compassion at BGGs and LRPS.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to everyone who participated, contributed, and supported these events. Your dedication has made a significant difference in the lives of children in need. We are proud of our school community for coming together to create a positive impact.

Thank you for your continued support.

## GCSE - Blood Brothers

We are delighted to inform you that some of students recently attended the theatrical production of "Blood Brothers" at the Alhambra Theatre. This experience was a valuable part of their GCSE curriculum, and they will be required to write about it in their upcoming exams.

The students had a fantastic time during the trip, and we believe this live performance provided them with a deeper understanding of the play, enriching their analytical skills for the examination. Well done Year 11 and good luck in your mocks.



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## Flu Vaccination

We'd like to share that the immunisation team will be at our school on December 15th to offer flu vaccinations for both Primary and Senior students.

If you're interested, you can book a slot for your child to receive the flu vaccine, which will be administered as a nasal spray.

While it's not mandatory, it's a convenient opportunity to ensure the well-being of our school community.

Please click the following link to complete an E-Consent form for your child to receive this vaccination:

[www.bradfordschoolimmunisations.co.uk/forms/Flu](http://www.bradfordschoolimmunisations.co.uk/forms/Flu)

School code: BF140204(Upper) BF140204A(Primary)

Please feel free to reach out to the school office if you have any questions  
[office@bggs.com](mailto:office@bggs.com)

## Bradford Citizens Delegates



We were deeply honored to host the Bradford Citizen Delegates Assembly, a momentous occasion where students from diverse backgrounds across Bradford came together to engage in impassioned discussions on crucial city priorities.

The topics under consideration, including anti-racism, the cost of living, and mental health, underscored the depth of commitment and social awareness demonstrated by our students.

Their enthusiastic participation and thoughtful contributions highlighted the importance of nurturing a community that actively addresses pressing societal concerns.

We take immense pride in our students' civic engagement and their dedication to shaping a more inclusive and compassionate society.

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## Lady Royd Open Day - LAST Session

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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.

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### Saturday, November 25th at 10.30am

We extend a warm invitation for you to explore the enchanting world of Lady Royd Primary School during our upcoming Open Day sessions tailored for admissions to Reception in September 2024.

At Lady Royd Primary School, our unwavering commitment lies in providing a nurturing and innovative environment that fosters your child's education. Our devoted staff and well-rounded curriculum are designed to facilitate your child's academic and social growth.

Join us on our Open Day, as we eagerly await the opportunity to welcome you and your child to our school. Through this experience, we aim to convey our dedication to excellence in education and showcase what makes Lady Royd Primary School truly special.

**Please note that the Open Day on Saturday, November 25th at 10.30am, represents the final session for this admissions cycle.** Don't miss this chance to discover the unique qualities that set Lady Royd Primary School apart.

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