

# NEWSLETTER



**Howard**  
Community Academy

3rd February 2023

## A Message From Staff

How lovely it has been to smell the lovely aromas that have been wafting out of our cooking room this week! Our Realise Futures adult and child cooking together group have been busy creating fantastic culinary delights and Badger class have really enjoyed baking bread as part of their topic learning. There was lots of concentration spread across the children's faces as they carefully measured out the ingredients when I popped by.

Our Tchoukball team from Year 5 and 6 had a brilliant time at the Bury Sports partnership Tchoukball event on Wednesday. Mrs Biggs and I were so proud to see their great sportsmanship and encouraging team spirit when playing. A reminder that Mr Parker is also running a Tchoukball club on a Friday morning at 8am for those Year 5 and 6 interested in taking part.

We also launched our anti-bullying poster competition in assembly this week. With a prize for Key Stage 1 and a prize for Key stage 2, entries have already started to come in. Our theme for anti-bullying week in November was Reach Out and this theme can be, but doesn't have to be, part of the poster design. The deadline for entries is Friday 10th February. For your reference, our anti-bullying policy is available on our school website.

*Mrs Weir*



## Next week at Howard Community Academy:-

Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th February – Bikeability

Thursday 9th February at 2.30pm– Owl class reading café

Friday 10th February– Last day of term

## Headteacher Awards

I am pleased to announced the following pupils have received a Headteacher Award. Congratulations!

Headteacher  
Awards

Elyse S

Daisy M

Darcey

Amelia L

Corey H

Alarna S

Kai c

Reggie H

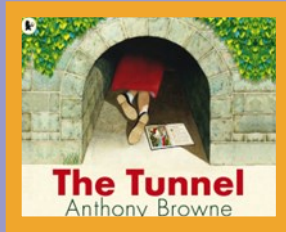
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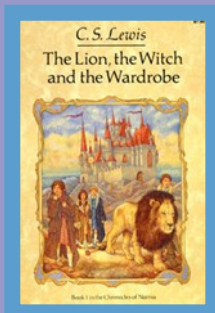
## Looking for a good read?



The Tunnel  
Anthony Browne



Oliver and the Seawigs  
Phillip Reeve



The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe  
C. S. Lewis

## Dates for your diary

8th and 9th February  
Bikeability for Y5/6

13th-17th February 2023  
Half-term break

## Stars of the Week

Mr Oakley for his flexibility and great thinking ahead!



## Attendance and wrap around care

This week 90.3% of our children attended school. It has been lovely to see you all. Do let us know if we can help in

## Breakfast Club

Our breakfast club offers the opportunity to start the day well and ensure your child is ready to learn. It is open to all and paid places run from 7.45am. If your child is entitled to pupil premium funding, they are able to access a funded place from 8.15am. All we ask is that you book in advance so that we can ensure we have the correct staffing ratios in place. Book online via My Child At School or contact the school office for more information.



## How to Contact Us

If you need help with advice on how to get online, resources to help your child learn at home or any other support we are here to help. Please speak to a member of staff or phone the school office on 01284 766278.

Class teachers can be contacted via class emails e.g. [otter@howardprimary.org](mailto:otter@howardprimary.org) for Otter class, [badger@howardprimary.org](mailto:badger@howardprimary.org) for Badger class.

## Howard is fabulous!

Keep up to date with news about our learning in school, events and activities as they happen, and some useful links for activities to complete at home, by following us on our social media pages:

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