



# Newsletter

22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

## Play On The Pitch!



What an exciting experience for our Year 6 footballers! Harry, Maddox, Charlie, Cameron and Isla played a mini, half-time match against our fellow DLP school, Delph, in front of the crowds at Boundary Park on Saturday. They won the match and Mr Bunn, who was on the touchline with Miss Swaby, has praised their brilliant skills and teamwork. We're all really proud of the players and hope this is a memory that will last a lifetime for them!

## Parent Teacher Meetings



Thank you for taking the time to meet with teachers to talk about how your child is getting on at this mid-point in the year. We hope you found the meetings purposeful and that you enjoyed the opportunity to take look at your child's learning in their books.

## Outdoor Learning Day



On Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March, we will have a whole-school outdoor learning day and Mrs Butterworth has planned a full day of exciting activities for the children. Children need to wear **warm, outdoor clothes** for the day and have either **wellies or outdoor trainers** to change into so that we can keep the mud outside! We are hoping for a dry day. However, if the forecast is for wet weather, we will postpone and reschedule for a later date.

## Summer 1 After-School Sports Clubs



Next half term, our sports clubs will be:

**MONDAY 3.15 – 4.15: Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 - Ball Skills**  
**THURSDAY 3.15 – 4.15: Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 – Mixed Ball Games (including netball, basketball, dodgeball and rounders)**

There are 5 Mondays and 5 Thursday sessions next half term. The total cost is **£17.50**.

To reserve a space, please pay on Eduspot. Once all places are full, the clubs will no longer appear.

## St George's Day – Alternative Uniform

On Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, for St George's Day, children who are **Rainbows, Brownies, Guides, Beavers, Cubs or Scouts** are invited to wear their alternate uniform.

## Healthy Snacks and Clean Water Bottles



### Healthy School

As part of our commitment to being a Healthy School, children are to have a healthy snack at morning breaktime. Please support us by ensuring that your child is bringing in a healthy snack – no chocolate bars or crisps please. Please do not include NUT products in children's snacks or packed lunches.

A lot of our KS2 children are leaving their water bottles at school and simply tipping out old water and refilling from the tap every day. Please support us by encouraging your child to take water bottles home, so that they can be cleaned properly and hygienically.

Thank you.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### March

28<sup>th</sup> Thursday Outdoor Learning Day / Last Day of Spring 2 Term

### April

15<sup>th</sup> First Day of Summer 1 Term

19<sup>th</sup> Class Photos

23<sup>rd</sup> St George's Day – Alternative Uniform (Cubs, Rainbows, Brownies, Scouts)

25<sup>th</sup> Friends of Friezland Clothes Line Collection

### May

10<sup>th</sup> KS2 Brass Performance – details to follow

13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> Year 6 SAT assessments

22<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday Last Day of Summer Term 1 / Friends of Friezland Tuckshop (23<sup>rd</sup> School closed to pupils – INSET)



### **Easter Football Camp**

📅 Monday 8th April - Thursday 11th April 2024

📍 Saddleworth School, OL3 5NU

🕒 Drop off from 8.45am and collection at 3:30pm (just after our famous blue card presentation!)

💷 £20 per day or £64 for the full 4-day camp! We also offer a 50% sibling discount!

👨👩 Boys & Girls aged 5-12!

<https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/1806>

### **HAF Funded Places on camps**

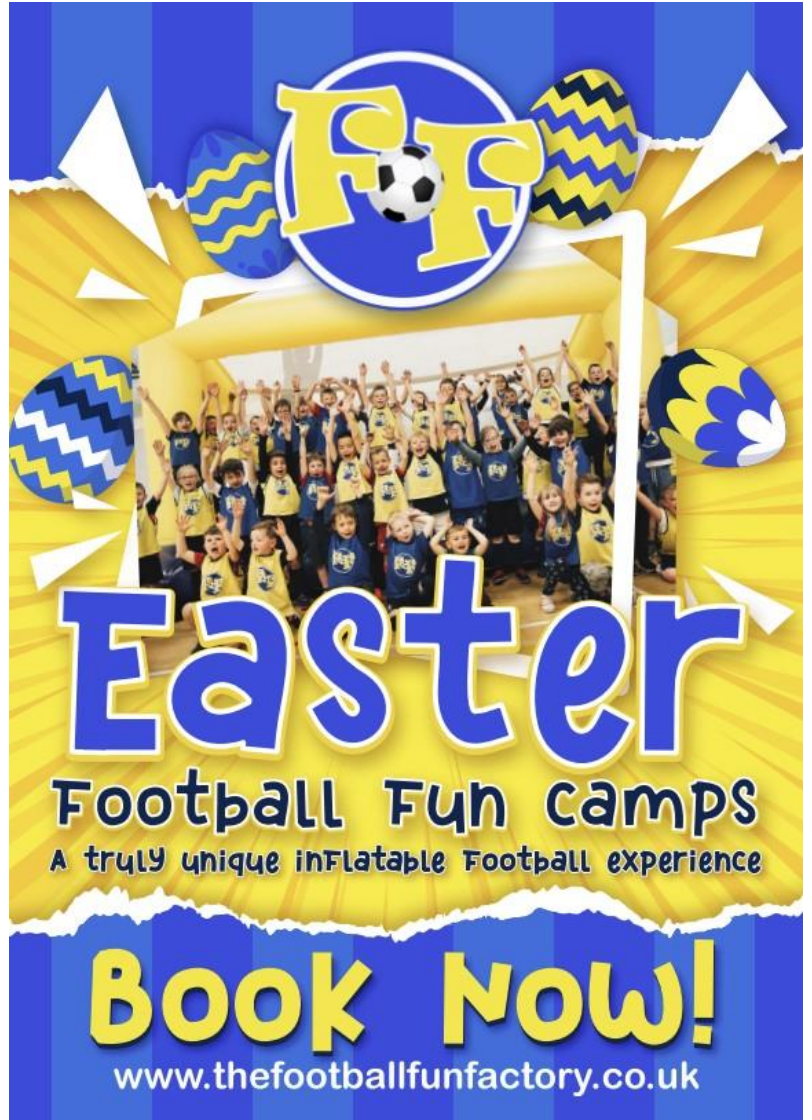
HAF places are available on the upcoming Football Fun Camp. These spaces are for children who are eligible for free benefit-related school meals. In order to apply for a HAF place please email [danbollington@thefootballfunfactory.co.uk](mailto:danbollington@thefootballfunfactory.co.uk).

### **Weekly Session**

🟦 Saddleworth High School - Football Fun & Development - Friday's 5.30pm-6.30pm (4 to 12 years) -

<https://booking.thefootballfunfactory.co.uk/event/726>

First 3 weeks are free, the above link enables parents to register for a 3-week free trial of the sessions to ensure it is a great fit for them.



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**Football Fun Camps**  
A truly unique inflatable Football experience

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