

# School Newsletter

## This Week At Spring Bank

What a busy return to life at school this week! Thank you for bearing with us with the snowy/icy conditions this week. We don't like closing school and never take the decision lightly, but the safety of our school community is paramount. I'd like to thank Nicky and our other staff members who have worked tirelessly to make our site as safe as possible, spending hours gritting and clearing snow and ice.

We hope that we are fully back to normal next week. Some of our after school clubs started this week, but they'll all be back in action next week. We have some spaces left in most clubs, so please take a look on Arbor.

On Monday, our new Nursery opens! We welcome Morgan O'Neill, our Nursery Lead, to the Spring Bank family. Morgan has joined us from a nursery in Horsforth and has met the families who start with us next week. We are expecting a new canopy to be installed in the coming weeks between the Nursery and Reception entrances, which will support with outdoor play, whilst having some protection from the elements.

Over the last few months, we have noticed that some children's packed lunches only contain sweets or bags of crisps. Please can we ask that children's lunches verge on the healthier side.

A reminder too that we are a nut-free school. This means that children should not be bringing sandwiches with hazelnut products, such as Nutella.

Finally, a reminder to parents that the car park is for staff only or blue-badge holders. We have had a few near-misses recently at the end of the school day, when the car park should be closed.

Have a lovely weekend and thank you for your continued support.