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# Primary Roundup



## Say Ah!

Horbury Primary's Nursery pupils had the pleasure of a visit from Horbury Dental Practice staff this week. James, Sophie and Debbie helped to reinforce their learning around oral health through some fun activities! Pupils sorted healthy and unhealthy food, dressed up and pretended to be a dentist, were given a toothbrush and toothpaste and were encouraged to make circular actions to brush away the bacteria. They also counted their teeth, played crocodile dentist and many many more fun activities!

Thanks for your time guys!



## All Aboard!

Horbury Primary's Reception pupils have explored their new topic, 'All Aboard' this half term. This week they discussed different types of transport and wondered which travelled on the road outside their academy. Pupils had fun carrying out a traffic survey where they learnt to record the number of each type of vehicle with a tally.



## Online Safety

ParentZone has put together some parent guides, featuring information and advice on some of the most popular apps, [here](#).



## Achieving Success

There were lots of achievements in Middlestown Academy's celebration assembly on Friday! Well done to Isabelle in Year 4 for being awarded Star of the Week twice at her Drama Club! Isabelle in Year 3 has been working hard to achieve awards for dog handling with her dog, Maverick. Year 3's Oscar was awarded his green and yellow belt in Taekwondo and Eliza in Year 5 was awarded gymnast of the month at her gymnastics club! Finally, Sammy and Max's football team came second in their football cup final! Amazing achievements all round - well done!



## Jubilee Ready!

Middlestown's School Councillors have produced yet another fantastic telephone box display, full of Jubilee-themed artwork, courtesy of Year 4!





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# Secondary Roundup



## Multiple Awards for Megan!

Well done to Ossett Academy's Megan who has won the Rotary Club National Award and the Rotary Young Citizen Award and is being filmed by the BBC! Megan has raised over £38,000 for charities as well as delivering over 1,500 food parcels during lockdowns!

We're proud of you, Megan!

## Educational Theatre

This week, Ossett Academy welcomed Smashed Project - an alcohol awareness play and workshop for year 8 pupils. The performance supported and developed understanding of the risks of alcohol and explained where children and young people could find further advice and support.

Pupils were engaged and offered a range of suggestions about the scenarios and characters in the play.

## Achieving Success

It is with great pride that we report that Horbury Academy's Miss Major has been selected as a winner of a STEM Learning Teaching Award in the Excellence in STEM Teaching - secondary category! If that wasn't enough, she has also been highly commended, along with her STEAM Scouts, for a STEM Inspiration Award in the Outstanding STEM Club category! Well done Miss Major and STEAM Scouts - very well deserved!



## World Championships for Grace!

Well done to Horbury's Grace who, after competing in the WKKC Nationals, will be representing England in the World Championships in October!

Grace, who is a 2nd Dan Black Belt in Kickboxing, also took part in a European competition last weekend, winning two gold medals! Well done, Grace!!



## Football Academy Highlights!

Mr Bull would like to thank all Accord Football Academy players for their fantastic attitudes, hard work and determination shown throughout the season!

You've all been a real credit to us and have enjoyed some terrific moments.

Now, let's enjoy some of the best goals of the campaign..... and also some of the worst bits (!) [here](#).





# Well-being support for the family

## Every Mind Matters

A public health England and NHS site to help people take simple steps to look after their mental health, improve their mental wellbeing and support others.

## Action for Children

Free and confidential live chat (various times, morning to evening) with a parenting coach to offer information, advice and guidance regarding family life, caring for children or managing parental wellbeing.

## Family Action

Emotional support and parental guidance to address complex family pressures and issues via telephone, text, web chat or email. Long term and short-term support available 9am to 9pm Monday to Friday.

## Wakefield Adult Education parenting groups

Classroom/small group-based parenting support from Early Years to Teenagers.

## Night Owls

A new West Yorkshire based overnight listening service for children, young people, and their parents/carers experiencing mental health; call, text or chat.

## Live Well Wakefield

Offers support for people aged 18+ years who are facing non-clinical challenges such as; bereavement, aids & adaptations, education, assistive technology, mobility, social isolation, lifestyle advice, loneliness, long term conditions, home support, personal safety, mental health, housing finances and employment advocacy services.

## SCOPE Navigate – emotional support for parents

National mentoring service providing 6 weekly sessions of online/virtual emotional support for parents/carers of children with additional needs who are on the pathway to diagnosis or have received one in the last year. (Current 14 week wait for allocation of a mentor however initial contact is made within 2 days and screened).



# Online resources for parents and carers

Childnet International has put together a great resource sheet for parents and carers, full of useful websites and information to help you keep your child safe online. It features places to go for advice, including the below...

## NSPCC

Free support and advice for adults concerned about the safety or well-being of a child.

**0808 800 5000**

[nspcc.org.uk](http://nspcc.org.uk)

## O2 & NSPCC

Free online safety support and tech advice.

**0808 800 5002**

[nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety](http://nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety)

## Family Lives

Free, professional, non-judgmental support and advice.

**0808 800 2222**

[familylives.org.uk](http://familylives.org.uk)

## And for children...

### Childline

Providing help and support for under 18s.

**0800 11 11**

[childline.org.uk](http://childline.org.uk)

### The Mix

Providing help and support for 13–25 year olds.

**0808 808 4994**

[themix.org.uk](http://themix.org.uk)

## More specific advice...

### Childnet International

Practical advice on key topics such as screen time, cyberbullying and gaming.

[childnet.com/parents-hot-topics](http://childnet.com/parents-hot-topics)

### Digital Parenting

Free online magazine, resources and articles on online issues.

[vodafone.co.uk/digitalparenting](http://vodafone.co.uk/digitalparenting)

## Ask About Games

Advice and online guides about gaming and PEGI age ratings.

[askaboutgames.com](http://askaboutgames.com)

## Phone Brain

Information about paid for services such as premium rate numbers and in-app purchases.

[phonebrain.org.uk](http://phonebrain.org.uk)

## Get It Right From A Genuine Site

Find out which sites are legal for streaming and downloading films, music & games.

[getitrightfromagenuinesite.org](http://getitrightfromagenuinesite.org)



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