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Up & coming dates

Music for the Many concert – 16th June

Transition event – 23rd June

Y11 Leavers' Assembly – 27th June

Burnley College Trip (Y10) – 28th June

June 16th, 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

School information

Warm weather – Due to the extremely warm weather this week, we have relaxed our uniform rules and provided water for students to ensure that they manage to remain cool and focussed through the school day. The weather is due to change next week with rain forecast, however the temperatures will remain in the low twenties. We will continue to monitor the weather situation but are advising parents to ensure that students bring a large water bottle into school with them each day to allow them to access plenty of fluids throughout the school day during their breaks. Please remember that tailored shorts are accepted as part of the summer uniform in school.

Cricketing champions - Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to play for The Cricket Asylum Academy team in an international tournament against an Australian touring team.

- Ollie Rushton
- Hayden Bailey
- Lennie Halstead
- Kian Woodfin
- Will Greenwood

The cricket team is made up of players who have been selected after working hard on their game throughout the winter at the Cricket Asylum indoor centre in Sowerby Bridge. The Australian team represent Lyon Cricket Academy (Australian spin bowler, Nathan Lyon's academy). The students will be off school for the day on the 21st June in order to be part of this exciting tournament. Good luck to them all, and well done for aiming high and showing the core value of ambition.

Extra special congratulations to **Will Greenwood** for also being selected to play at Inter-League level for Lancashire (which is just one below being selected for county cricket).

Assistance for families - The Early Help Guidance and Advice team sit alongside the Multi-Agency Screening Team (MAST). This service is Calderdale's first point of contact for families and professionals, to enable them to access services to meet their needs. They have a dedicated advice line available for professionals, parents, carers and young people. This is accessible from 9am–5pm Monday to Thursday, 9am–4pm Friday (excluding bank holidays).



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What they can help with:

- They can provide details and signpost to a range of services to support you and your family.
- Access to parenting courses.
- Details of services that can support you with emotional health and wellbeing.
- Signpost to debt management services
- Details of specialist services for children and young people.
- Services available to children and young people.

For advice and guidance, contact the Early Help and Advice Officers by email or phone:

earlyhelpadvice@calderdale.gov.uk or call: 01422 393387.

For urgent Child Protection concerns, please contact MAST; mastadmin@calderdale.gov.uk Tel: 01422 393336

School events

Music for the Many - This evening will see the first ever performance by our new M4M Todmorden Youth Orchestra, which we are very proud to be hosting in our school hall. The orchestra will be made up of most of Todmorden's most instrumental pupils from Ferney Lee, St Joseph's, Todmorden C of E and Todmorden High School, with a very special guest appearance from Cornholme School too. Please get in touch with Music for the Many if you would like to attend, the concert starts at 6pm.

Donations needed - A reminder that we will be hosting a 'Good as New' stall as part of our summer celebration after school on Friday 23rd June 2023. One person's rubbish is someone else's treasure; therefore, we would like to ask for donations of any unwanted possessions (such as clothing, baby gear, toys, or anything other donatable items) from all our staff and members of our community. All objects donated should be in good condition, so that they will be useful to their new owners, and we are unable to accept used underwear, of course. You can drop off any donations at our school reception on Wednesdays and Fridays between 3-4pm. Please contact Mrs Kontogiannopoulou on demik@todhigh.co.uk for any queries. As the event gets nearer, we will give more information as to the stall itself, and other elements to be enjoyed. Thank you in anticipation of your generous support.

Community events and information

Picnic in the Park – Please see the attached flyer for the Picnic in the Park event this Sunday. All welcome.

Todmorden Boundary Walk and Pike Hike – If you are a keen hiker the annual Boundary Walk and Pike Hike takes place July 1st. See attached flyer for more information.

Have a lovely weekend with your friends and family.

Yours sincerely,



Gill Shirt
Headteacher

Sunday 18th June
from 12:30pm

Picnic *in the* Park

with a PERFORMANCE by
TODMORDEN COMMUNITY BRASS BAND

- ★ Bring your own picnic and rug to the Lucky Dog in Centre Vale Park, Todmorden -
- ★ Family Games area
- ★ Plant stall

- ★ EVERYONE INVITED

- ★ Accessible Portaloo



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Back for 2023!

Todmorden Boundary Walk & Pike Hike

**Tickets from
Todmorden Information Centre
& online www.visittodmorden.co.uk**

Todmorden Boundary Walk

22 miles Entry £10, under 16s £7
(£2 extra for entry on the day). Sorry no dogs.

The Pike Hike

11 miles. Entry £8, under 16s £6
(£2 extra for entry on the day). Dogs welcome.

- * Scouts email richard@caldervalleyscouts.org.uk
- * 8/26 Scouts & Adults walking with Cubs/Beavers free



**Saturday,
1 July 2023**



Scouts

8th/26th Calder Valley
Calder Valley ESU

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