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Our Passion Burns Bright!

Welcome to our 3rd edition of Celebrate.

As an organisation we are excited to be celebrating the dawn of our 13th year. As we do our hopes and passion to make a difference to the lives of children and young people in the Bradford District burns just as bright today as it did when we first begun.

Our heart is to let them know that they are 'unique and valued' and to celebrate their individuality. This is what fuels our passion. We provide a safe and fun environment complemented with aspirational opportunities and pathways to support them in discovering who they are, what their passions and interests are. This creates a platform to grow and develop each individual. The challenge of transforming lives is just as exciting now, as it was back in 2005.

We know that as we enter into our 13th year, none of this is possible without 'YOU', our valued supporters and partners! Thank you to all who have encouraged and championed us on our journey. To our children and young people you are 'one in a million'!

So sit back and take some time to celebrate with us their efforts and achievements.

Enjoy

Wayne Jacobs (CEO/Co-founder)









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Equipping Children To Live A Positive Lifestyle

During the last academic year, over a staggeringly 3,000 primary school children attended our Positive Lifestyle Centre! Positive Lifestyle is a 'prevention educational programme' focused on creating responsible citizens, initially aimed at primary school children as part of an out of school experience. We provide high quality training for children in a safe learning environment of mutual respect, creating opportunities for all. With over 10 different themed workshops to choose the children also have a tour of the Bradford City AFC football stadium thanks to the partnership we have with the club! Booking for this year are filling up very fast. To find out more contact lead-teacher Clare at clare.sharpe@oneinamillion.org.uk

We are delighted to announce that Clare was recently given the 'Paul Harris Award', an 'Honorary Award' given by the Bradford Rotary Club for recognition of her work with children in Bradford. Well done Clare - you truly deserve it!



after school" (Year 11).





Leading Children In Literacy

Strength in literacy is the key to success. Whether it be in our writing, our reading or our confidence in speaking and listening, it will unlock the potential for all our young people. With this in mind, an exciting collaborative literacy programme has been launched as a pilot scheme by Provident Financial with Governor Rachel Jacobs and the English team. Our young adults are already starting to benefit from the support of the 40+ trained volunteers from the community, parents, governors and school staff. In addition, we already have 14 current Year 10's trained as Student Reading Mentors. Early indications are that the students are already starting to find more engagement and interest in reading due to the strategies they are learning to help raise their understanding of how to link ideas, decode and 'read between the lines' to locate clues for deeper comprehension. This will undoubtedly raise their progress across all subjects. We would like to formerly thank Provident Financial for making this project possible and for their generous donation to purchase a fabulous new libarary.

Just Be Yourself. Brilliantly.

Best selling author and motivational speaker Andy Cope recently visited and spoke to students about the importance of literacy, growth-mindset and resilience. He challenged students to create new habits whilst providing them with many innovative ideas to become a 100% positive thinker with his phrase: 'Just be yourself. Brilliantly'. Surprisingly this only equates to a minuscule top 2% of people. Cope's visit was timed alongside our Whole School Immersive Creative Arts partnership with the Bradford Literacy Festival, which is being celebrated in venues across Bradford over a two week period. We are so thankful to Provident Financial Group, whose continued and valued support of the school is part of a wider programme called Leading Children In Literacy. Meanwhile, Year 10 students had the privilege of attending the University to learn about Creative Arts, Publishing and Writing. Year 7 and 8's attended the National Science and Media Museum for a special viewing of 'The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas'. Year 9's had a day of learning about Performance Poetry and the power of the spoken word.











ability than I was a few months a go". Jack Forward enthusiastically said "I've really enjoyed designing and making a final piece that I'm proud of". Well done to all the students

involved!



Student Focus: Tasmia Tayyibah

Tasmia has made many contributions to our class and is an inspiration to her classmates. In Art, Mr Wheatley said, "She is a very talented artist, and I truly enjoy the passion she puts into her art work". In Science, Mrs Williams added, "Tasmia is a very special student and one that I won't forget, she lives and breathes the OIAM core values of compassion, honesty, integrity and excellence". It's not just the teachers who acknowledge the impact Tasmia has on influencing culture and ethos, her fellow students see her as an inspirational figure. Riyahdur said, "Tasmia is a fantastic student. She sets a great example to us all". Halima noted, "She is a good friend and always shows excellence in her work". Hummam remarked, "Whenever anyone is struggling in class Tasmia is always there to support them, she is very compassionate and very supportive of everyone including the teachers".





Stretch & Challenge

Stretch & Challenge is part of the timetabled school day from 2.30pm to 3.30pm, Tuesday to Thursday. As a school, we are committed to developing the whole child with activities and experiences that will enrich their lives, supporting them to be 'work ready' and valued citizens. One In A Million Free School has built a library of sessions to 'stretch & challenge' the student both mentally and physically. This part of the school timetable gives students the space and time to 'close the gap' in performance in any of their subject study areas; subject specific intervention such as Enhanced English & Foreign Languages, History, Sport, Chemistry, Physics & Biology. These extra lessons will further stimulate a passion for learning and will develop teamwork and communication skills. Stretch & Challenge will also be used to develop independent learning in areas such as art & craft workshops, school productions, music, enterprise projects, community projects, qualifications such as Duke Of Edinburgh Awards and the Lord Mayors Award.

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One of the strengths of One In A Million Free School is the Enrichment Programme which consists of a varied and exciting mix of activities for students to expereince and enjoy. Students can participate in our full Enrichment Programme as part of the extended school community programme, which is available to all students. Our passion is to ensure that these activities are delivered by the very best teachers and includes coaches from our community partners Bradford City, Bradford Bulls and Yorkshire Cricket, who have experienced excellence as practitioners. These activities are based on our three core areas: sports, arts and enterprise. In addition, we will put together a personalised coaching or training programme for any student who has an aptitude in an area that is peculiar to them. Pick up a copy of our new Enrichment brochure from the reception to find our what kind of enrichments we've offered so far.



celebrate: **SChool**



1,000 Mile Challenge

We are delighted that our students recently completed the OIAM 1,000 Mile Challenge. Students had to collaborate to complete a combined 1,000 miles in distance through exercise, jogging and running. The goal was to motivate students to become fitter; to improve their mental and physical wellbeing and determination; whilst demonstrating resilience. Teachers noted that students who participated in the morning responded better in concentration for the rest of the school day. Initially, three coaching teams consisting of 60 students from Years 8 and 9 participated. On week seven, the whole school took part taking our grand total to 1,404 miles. Highlights included: Jonathan Bentley (9B) who completed 6 laps and continuously set the highest standards of excellence in his running. Casey Bailey (8B) who showed immense resilience to walk the circuit due to injury. Darja Isajeva (8B) said, "I enjoyed it because it was fun. I feel it helped me concentrate in lessons better for the rest of the day". Jonathan Bentley (9B) added, "I enjoyed having the opportunity to take part in a challenge like this - it was a better way to start the day".

Wind In Our Sails!

"I really enjoyed the sailing trip and found out that I was a good sailor. It was a great day out and I would love to go again" said one student. During summer, boys from Year 9 enjoyed a fantastic day of sailing at Doe Park, Denholme. This was a threshold experience for everyone. What better way to do it, than to sail on the OIAM Charity dinghies named, 'Unique' and 'Valued'! They were very nervous to begin with but soon got into the flow of it, and enjoyed the opportunity to splash the Principal, Mr Grant! Gaining confidence on the waters, our young adults raced canoes versus sailing dingies around the lake. At the end of the day, 100% of students said they wanted to return and do it again! "I learnt how to sail, it's something I'd never done before, and I found it really cool!". Another said, "Today, I learnt how to sail and canoe. You have to be alert to control the boat. You have to work as a team". Another added, "It was great to do something new! After a while I began to feel safe and became much more confident in what I was doing. I'd love to do it again!".





One Britain One Nation!

One In A Million Free School were delighted to participate in the celebration of One Britain One Nation Day (OBON). OBON is a campaign created and led by Kash Singh, an award winning, Bradford-based, retired West Yorkshire Police inspector. Its purpose is to bring everyone together, not to focus on our differences, but to celebrate the values we share: tolerance, kindness, pride, respect, and a tremendous desire to help others. It encourages children and young people to passionately love Britain and each other by showing unity and compassion to everyone. Mr Grant said: "OBON reflects our values of compassion, honesty, integrity and excellence, which are the core values of our school. The ethos of OBON resonates deeply with us and the OIAM wider charity". On June 23rd June 2017, despite the rainy weather, students from Years 8 and 9 participated in a rousingly passionate rendition of 'God Save Our Queen'. Along with dozens of other schools across the Bradford district, OIAMFS is excited to play its part in supporting OBON. We look forward to developing our partnership further in the build up to next year's event.



Helping Hands!

Ten students from our school met with Julie Woodhurst of the Community Research Project to discuss how they can improve the Manningham area. Following a successful bid, students won £300 from the 'Power To Change' fund at an event held at Carlisle Business Centre. The fund paid for 10 litter pickers & 9 sack hoops. Led by Gurmit Chand (OIAM Charity, Community Activator for Manningham), seven OIAMFS students have regularly spent time during Enrichment picking up litter from the local streets and surrounding areas of our school. Those involved are participating at a community cohesion event held at the BEAP Centre this summer. Equipment will be used on an ongoing basis, in partnership with Bradford Council who will collect the refuse bags. The students have done a great job. They were thanked numerous times by local residents as they collected rubbish. As this work continues, it will help to strengthen our school's relationships with the local community.







Breakfast - A Great Way To Start The Day

During the last year we launched the Breakfast Club. It has proved a great addition to our school day. It has grown to over 170 students regularly enjoying breakfast. Prior to Breakfast Club, we noted that a large number of students were turning up to school without eating breakfast, which was directly effecting their concentration levels and their ability to learn. In its first few weeks students munched through: 143 apples, 9 packs of grapes, 281 bananas, 120 loaves of bread, 45 pots of porridge, 176 bottles of water, 177 pancakes. All fruit and toast for students is free of charge to ensure that all students can access breakfast every school day. A small charge is made for other items on the menu. The Breakfast Club is supported by members of staff and deeply committed parents which have helped to make it the success it is. The Breakfast Club will make a significant difference to the learning experience for all students that attend the Free School.



Ahoy There! New, exciting sailing

During spring/summer, One In A Million launched it's new and exciting Sailing Enrichment programme! The newly delivered H15 sailing boats were provided thanks to the generosity of Yorkshire Building Societies Lasting Legacy Fund. The two boats have been named 'Unique' and 'Valued' to reflect the way we see the children and young people that OIAM works with. Jonathan Thewlis, Manager at the Keighley branch of Yorkshire Building Society, said: "We were delighted to be able to support the One In A Million Sailing Enrichment project. It was great to see firsthand, the benefits the two boats will bring to give children from disadvantaged a fantastic communities experience". Since it's launch, over 75

children from our 5 OIAM Community Hubs, have sailed at Doe Park Water Activities Centre, Denholme. This has been a threshold experience for every single one of them! Most children arrive nervous and apprehensive but after 5 minutes of sailing they have the thrill of their lives. By the end of the day, none of the children wanted to leave! Here's what a group of children from



programme sets sail!

our Bierley Hub recently said, "I was a bit scared at first but I loved it, can we come again?" (Millie Murphy); "I loved getting in the water to power the boat forward" (Kiran Griffin); "That was awesome!!" (Isobel Sharp). The sailing enrichment will help children and young people to raise self confidence; develop personal discipline; nurture fun and adventure in a safe

environment; actively promote how to work as part of a team; learn practical skills as well as teach them how to sail! A full sailing taster, enrichment and development programme is being planned for the children and young people, which leads to meaningful qualification pathways. Our Free School is even adding sailing into the Curriculum for the next academic year!



"We were delighted to be able to support the OIAM Sailing Enrichment project. It was great to see first-hand, the benefits the two boats will bring to give children". (Jonathan Thewlis, Manager)



Streetwise Football: EAT MY GOAL

OIAM Streetwise football in partnership with Integrated Youth Support (Bradford Council), West Yorkshire Police & local schools delivers football & informal education across the 5 constituencies of Bradford. Our award winning, Streetwise project is now in its 11th year with attendance averaging 300+ per Recently published national statistic's stated that obese. Young adults are taught what the risks disease and strokes. Streetwise Head Coach, Danny Forrest said, "We believe that statistics are there to be broken. Therefore we aim to important that children and young people are entered into the finale tournament from each of the five constituencies. (Winning team pictured from 'Goals' of Wrose, Bradford).



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Children Are At The Heart Of All We Do!

Children are at the heart of all we do. During the last year, our community department has averaged 35 different sessions a week. Weekly attendance across all of our community department which includes our five community hubs, Positive Lifestyle and YOT (Youth Offending Team) has averaged over 1,800 children and young people a week. This is achieved thanks to our team of community activators, who are overseen by Jonathan Martin, this includes: Danny Forrest (Windhill/ Helen Jones/Rob Carr Shipley), (Canterbury, Jack Murphy (Keighley), Andy Bako/Katy Woodcock (Bierley) and Gurmit Chand (Manningham). YOT is led by the enthusiastic Derek Nolan. Whilst Positive Lifestyle is led by the wonderful Clare Sharpe. Underpinning this is our team of oustanding and dedicated volunteers. Voluntary contribution equated to a net contribution of a staggering £79,691 towards charitable activities.



Children In Need Support Bradford Once Again!

OIAM are one of five that were awarded grants by Children In Need. in some of Bradford's most deprived normally be offered such as sports clubs; arts sessions like Mac lifestyle, music tech and dance development. The activities aim to help develop their skills, build confidence and self-esteem, and improve their overall health. Simon Antrobus, chief executive of BBC Children in Need, said: "These grants been for the incredible support shown across the UK in 2016. To everyone who fundraised and donated in 2016: go on to make a huge difference to children and young people throughout the UK who need it most."

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On 13/14th May 2017, 35 riders took part in the second 'Packetts' Tour de Dales Charity Bike Ride' in support of One In A Million. Meeting at Packetts head office in Saltaire, the Tour de Dales 2017 was started by Bradford City legend, John Hendry and saw riders cycle to Masham via part of the gruelling Tour de Yorkshire route. Following an overnight stay and evening reception at Theakston's world famous brewery, the riders set off back to Bradford and One In A Million HQ at Valley Parade the following day. The Halfway House in Baildon who provided all riders with much needed food and refreshments before completing the round trip of nearly 200 miles! We would like to say a massive thank you to Packetts, all riders and supporters for joining together to raise an incredible £18,705 at this years event to support Bradford's children & young people.

Packetts

CELEBRATING 97 YEARS

"As proud Bradfordians, it's important that we do our bit to support local children, some of whom face a tough start in life. So every mile we rode was raising money for a great local charity".

(Marshall Sugden,

(Marshall Sugden, Managing Director)

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Skydiving at 15,000ft!

On Sunday 27th June 2017 our brave OIAM team; Wayne Jacobs, Craig McHugh, Ross Dunn, Jez Smart and Wendy Nicholson took to the skies and jumped out of a plane from 15,000ft (2.8 miles) above Lincolnshire to raise money for our charities work amongst disadvantaged children & young people. The tandem skydive took place at Skydive Hibbaldstow airfield and with nerves jangling the team rode on the last plane of the day. During the jump the team experienced 9000 feet of adrenaline freefall at 110mph in just 1 minute before the canopy opened for a serene 6,000 ft decent back to earth. Jez Smart; "It was the most amazing experience, I was scared of heights before the day but as we jumped out of the plane it was the most incredible feeling! I would recommend anyone to do a skydive and support such a fantastic cause like One In A Million. I want to do it again!". Thank you to everyone who supported our Skydiving team who raised an incredible £3672 for One In A Million.

Hallmark Announce Partnership with OIAM

Bradford based greeting card publisher, Hallmark, recently announced their new partnership with One In A Million. Hallmark CEO Steve Wright, as part of the opening of their new Headquarters at Dawson Lane, Brierley, presented a cheque to the charity and announced they would be launching a new arts programme, exclusively with the charity. The scheme named 'Craft House from the Hallmark Studio' will give disadvantaged children in the local area the chance to take part in workshops, giving them first-hand experience of design, photography & editorial skills, in one of the country's largest creative studios. Alison Kildunne, Head of Marketing at Hallmark said "We are very committed to the Bradford area having been proudly based in the city for more than 30 years. We are thrilled to be partnering with One In A Million and to open up our doors to local children, with an interest and flair for art & design". OIAM co-founder Wayne Jacobs added, "One In A Million is delighted to be named a Charity partner of Hallmark. It is a great privilege".



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Craven Slater Make It A Hole In One!

On Mon 22nd May 2017, we held our 8th annual Celeb/AM Charity Golf day, sponsored by Craven Slater & Associates Wealth Management, at The Bradford Golf Club. Our 60 golfers from the local business community played 18 holes of Stableford Golf alongside guests from the world of sport and television on the immaculately presented Golf course. Our guests included; Bruce Bannister, Eddie Gray, Paul Jewell, Simon Ramsden, James Hanson, Matty Pattison, James Hanson, Jas Athwal, Actor Duncan Preston (Emmerdale) and TV commentator John Helm who gave an insightful talk into his career following a two course dinner. Congratulations to our prize winners; 1st prize Sports Shoes (94pts), 2nd prize This is Chemistry (94pts) & 3rd prize Halfway House (88pts). Longest Drive (9th) Mr Craig Whelan and Nearest Pin (12th) Mr John Stoner. A big thank you to all who attended the day and helped us raise £5,000 to support our delivery amongst disadvantaged children & young people in Bradford.



"Craven Slater & Associates are long term supporters of One In A Million and we were delighted to sponsor this fantastic Golf day supporting such a wonderful charity. Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you next year!".

(Robert Slater, Craven Slater & Associates Ltd)

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"The One In A Million National 3
Peaks challenge was an amazing challenge, great teamwork from everyone involved helped us achieve our goal in under 24 hours whilst supporting this fantastic charity".

(Stephen Waud,
Business Enterprise Fund)

National 3 Peaks

On Friday 7th July 2017, Stephen Waud, Ben Waud, Jamie Illingworth and Simon Wilde, set off to conquer the National 3 Peaks; Ben Nevis 4409ft (Scotland), Scafell Pike 3209ft (England) and Snowdon 3560ft (Wales) in under 24 hours, to raise money for OIAM to support our work amongst Bradford's disadvantaged children & young people. The team overcame some mixed weather conditions to climb a total of 11,178 ft, travelling 938 miles to complete the challenge in a time of 23 hours 24 minutes. Thank you to Business Enterprise Fund for sponsoring our OIAM Summer Peaks Challenge and to the N3P2017 team who raised over £4,000 to support our work!



Yorkshire 3 Peaks Challenge - Walking The Extra Mile

On Saturday 29th July 2017 our team of 30 Bradfordian's set off from Horton in Ribblesdale at 7am in poor weather conditions to tackle the gruelling Yorkshire 3 Peaks; Pen -Y- Ghent (2,415 ft), Whernside (2,415 ft) and Ingleborough (2,372 ft). Our team climbed a a total of 7027 feet and walked 23.3 miles to complete the Y3P 2017 challenge in under 12 hours to finish in lovely sunshine. They were rewarded with a celebration barbecue expertly cooked by Keith Taylor of Bingley Bantams and Rachel Hatfield of Shoo Social, where our walkers exchanged their stories from the hills. Wayne Jacobs OIAM, Chief Executive who took part in this years challenge said, "We would like to thank all our walkers and congratulate them for completing the Y3P challenge in some very tough conditions. We are very grateful for everyone's support including event sponsor Business Enterprise Fund and all our walkers who raised over £7 000 to support out charities work".





Keighley & Airedale Business Award 2017 And the winner is...

On Friday 30th June, OIAM attended the Keighley & Airedale Business Awards at businesses in the Keighley and District area. The Awards Ceremony celebrated the hard work, innovation and integrity in the business world. One In A Million (OIAM) was honoured and humbled to be named 'Charity Of The Year 2017'. On receiving this award, which was presented by BBC's Look North presenter Harry Gration, OIAM co-founder Wayne Jacobs said "We are humbled to have won this award on behalf of all our deeply committed team and the children and young people we work with across the district. Thank you!". We see this present who has worked tirelessly for the benefit of the children and young people in the Keighley and Airedale area. We also receive this on behalf of all who work in the 3rd Sector delivering much needed work in their field.

You can make a massive difference by volunteering to fundraise valuable funds to support our activities or by getting involved in our community programmes!

To find out more request one of our new Play Your Part volunteer brochures to discover the exciting opportunities available to you. The sum total of voluntary hours dedicated to One In A Million Charity last year was 10,622, equivalent to a net contribution of £144,253 in charitable activities. When volunteers play their part, it really does make a difference! To find out more either scan the QR codes below or email: events@oneinamillion.org.uk

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