

Autumn Term, 1953

BALSHAW'S
GRAMMAR SCHOOL
CALENDAR



1782

Name... Dorothy Cook

House... Blayton

AUTUMN TERM, 1953

SEPTEMBER

W.	9	Supervision Duty : Mr. Bull ; P. M. Leach ; Bamford, M. H.
Th.	10	
F.	11	
S.	12	
M.	14	Supervision Duty : Miss Bromley ; B. D. Baybutt ; McIlwaine, C.
Tu.	15	
W.	16	
Th.	17	
F.	18	
S.	19	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Wigan G.S. 1st XV (h). School 2nd XV v. Wigan G.S. 2nd XV (a). School under 15 XV v. Wigan G.S. under 15 XV (h). Hockey : School 1st XI v. St. Annes College 1st XI (h).
M.	21	Supervision Duty : Mr. Downer ; J. M. Brooks ; Robinson, P. K.
Tu.	22	
W.	23	Hockey Leagues : F. v. Cl. : Cu. v. W. (1).
Th.	24	
F.	25	
S.	26	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Ormskirk G.S. 1st XV (h). School 2nd XV v. Ormskirk G.S. 2nd XV (a). School Under 15 XV v. Ormskirk G.S. Under 15 XV (h). School Junior XV v. Ormskirk G.S. Junior XV (a). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Blackpool Collegiate 1st XI (a). School 2nd XI v. Blackpool Collegiate 2nd XI (a). School Junior XI v. Blackpool Collegiate Junior XI (a).
M.	28	Supervision Duty : Mr. Black ; A. J. Salt ; Barnes, B.
Tu.	29	
W.	30	Rugger Leagues : Cl. v. Cu. : F. v. W. (1). Hockey Leagues : F. v. Cu. ; Cl. v. W. (1).

OCTOBER

Th.	1	Applications for Entrance to Training Colleges and University Training Departments.
F.	2	
S.	3	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Hutton G.S. 1st XV (a). School 2nd XV v. Preston G.S. 2nd XV (h). School Junior XV v. Preston G.S. Junior XV (h).
M.	5	Supervision Duty : Miss Milroy ; A. Singleton ; Gill, A.
Tu.	6	
W.	7	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Stonyhurst College 2nd XV (h).
Th.	8	
F.	9	Visit to School of Mobile Nursing Exhibition
S.	10	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Kirkham G.S. 1st XV (a). School 2nd XV v. Kirkham G.S. 2nd XV (a). School Bantam XV v. Kirkham G.S. Bantam XV (h). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Winkley Square Convent 1st XI (h). School 2nd XI v. Winkley Square Convent 2nd XI (h).
M.	12	Supervision Duty : Mr. Hewartson ; M. Swindlehurst ; Roberts, A.
Tu.	13	
W.	14	Rugger Leagues : Cl. v. F. ; Cu. v. W. (1). Hockey Leagues : F. v. W. ; Cl. v. Cu. (1).
Th.	15	
F.	16	
S.	17	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Preston G.S. 1st XV (h). School 2nd XV v. Preston G.S. 2nd XV (a). School Under 15 XV v. Preston G.S. Under 15 XV (h). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Ormskirk G.S. 1st XI (h). School 2nd XI v. Ormskirk G.S. 2nd XI (h).
M.	19	Supervision Duty : Mr. Wilson ; L. Sinfield ; Wright, P.R.
Tu.	20	
W.	21	Rugger Leagues : Cl. v. W. ; F. v. Cu. (1).
Th.	22	
F.	23	5 p.m. : Worden House Party.
S.	24	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Southport K.G.V. G.S. 1st XV (a). School 2nd XV v. Southport K.G.V. G.S. 2nd XV (h). School Bantam XV v. Southport K.G.V. G.S. Bantam XV (a). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Upholland G.S. 1st XI (a).
M.	26	Supervision Duty : Mr. Wilkinson ; A. Parker ; Ogden, I. W.
Tu.	27	
W.	28	Rugby Football : School 2nd XV v. Stonyhurst College 3rd XV (h).
Th.	29	
F.	30	
S.	31	Rugby Football : School "A" XV v. Colne G.S. 1st XV (h). School Bantam XV v. Kirkham G.S. Bantam XV (a).

NOVEMBER

M.	2	& Tu. 3 Half Term.
W.	4	Supervision Duty : Mr. Johnson ; S. Bretherton ; Crofts, J. R. Rugger Leagues : Cl. v. Cu. ; F. v. W. (2). Hockey Leagues : F. v. Cl. ; Cu. v. W. (2).
Th.	5	
F.	6	
S.	7	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Sedbergh School 3rd XV (h). School 2nd XV v. Stonyhurst College 3rd XV (a).
M.	9	Supervision Duty : Mr. Rudd ; A. Strachan ; Knowles, J. R.
Tu.	10	
W.	11	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Rossall School 2nd XV (h). Hockey Knockout : Cu. v. W.
Th.	12	
F.	13	5 p.m.: Farington House Party.
S.	14	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Morecambe G.S. 1st XV (a). School Under 15 XV v. Morecambe G.S. Under 15 XV(a) Hockey : School 1st XI v. Ashton-in-Makerfield G.S. 1st XI (a).
M.	16	Supervision Duty : Mr. Hilditch ; C. Wilford ; Bamford, M. H.
Tu.	17	
W.	18	Rugger Knock-out : F. v. W. Hockey Knock-out : F. v. Cl.
Th.	19	
F.	20	
S.	21	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Upholland G.S. 1st XV (a). School 2nd XV v. Upholland G.S. 2nd XV (h). School Under 15 XV v. Upholland G.S. Under 15 XV(a) School Junior XV v. Upholland Junior XV (h). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Winckley Square 1st XI (a). School 2nd XI v. Winckley Square 2nd XI (a).
M.	23	Supervision Duty : Mrs. Till ; B. Kenyon ; Robinson, P. K.
Tu.	24	School Examinations (First Day).
W.	25	School Examinations (Second Day).
Th.	26	School Examinations (Third Day).
F.	27	
S.	28	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Blackpool G.S. 1st XV (a). School Bantam XV v. Blackpool G.S. Bantam XV (a). School 2nd XV v. Blackpool G.S. 2nd XV (h).
M.	30	Supervision Duty : Miss Ball ; A. Collinson ; Gill, A.

DECEMBER

Tu.	1	
W.	2	Rugger Knock-out : Cu. v. Cl.
Th.	3	
F.	4	
S.	5	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Hutton G.S. 1st XV (h). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Preston Park School 1st XI (h). School 2nd XI v. Preston Park School 2nd XI (h).
M.	7	Supervision Duty : Mr. Bull ; J. Thomas ; Barnes, B.
Tu.	8	
W.	9	Rugby Football : School 1st XV v. Stonyhurst College 2nd XV (a).
Th.	10	
F.	11	
S.	12	Rugby Football : School 2nd XV v. Southport K.G.V G.S. 2nd XV (h). School Bantam XV v. Southport K.G.V G.S. Bantam XV (h). Hockey : School 1st XI v. Chorley G.S. 1st XI (h). School 2nd XI v. Chorley G.S. 2nd XI (h).
M.	14	Supervision Duty : Miss Bromley ; V. Bamber ; McIlwaine, C. Speech Day and Distribution of Prizes.
Tu.	15	
W.	16	
Th.	17	2 p.m.: Carol Service. 5 p.m.: Carol Choir Party.
F.	18	Autumn Term ends.
S.	19	Hockey : School 1st XI v. Upholland G.S. 1st XI (h). School 2nd XI v. Upholland G.S. 2nd XI (h).

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Spring Term begins : January 6th, 1954.
Spring Term ends : April 9th, 1954.
Midsummer Term begins : April 27th, 1954.
Midsummer Term ends : July 16th, 1954.
Autumn Term begins : September 8th, 1954.

MISCELLANEA.

- Clayton House* : House Mistress : Miss A. Doherty, B.A.
 House Master : Mr. A. J. Bull, M.A.
 House Captains : Gill, A.; B. Fletcher.
 House Colour : Green.
 House Room : IV B.
- Cuerden House* : House Mistress : Miss K. Whewell, A.R.C.A.
 House Master : Mr. R. A. Bennison, M.Sc.
 House Captains : Roberts, A.; J. M. Brooks.
 House Colour : Red.
 House Room : III A.
- Farington House* : House Mistress : Miss A. Milroy, B.A.
 House Master : Mr. W. J. Downer, M.A.
 House Captains : Bamford, M. H.; P. M. Leach.
 House Colour : Gold.
 House Room : II B.
- Worden House* : House Mistress : Miss M. A. Rahill, B.A.
 House Master : Mr. B. L. Wilkinson, M.A.
 House Captains : Barnes, B.; A. M. Strachan.
 House Colour : Blue.
 House Room : II C.
- Boys* : *Head Boy* : Bamford, M. H. *Deputy Head Boy* : Robinson, P. K. *Prefects* : Barnes, B., Gill, A. *Sub-Prefects* : McIlwaine, C., Roberts, A., Wright, P. R., Ogden, I. W., Crofts, J. R., Knowles, J. R.
- Girls* : *Head Girl* : P. M. Leach. *Deputy Head Girl* : J. M. Brooks. *Prefects* : A. J. Salt, A. Singleton, B. D. Baybutt, B. M. Fletcher, M. Swindlêhurst, *Sub-Prefects* : A. Parker, S. Bretherton, A. Strachan, C. Wilford, B. Kenyon, J. Thomas, A. Collinson, V. Bamber, D. Mitchell, J. Singleton, A. J. Jennings, A. Bleasdale.
- Captain of Rugby Football* : Bamford, M. H.
- Captain of Hockey* : J. M. Brooks
- Milk* : 10-45 a.m. in Dining Room. Pasteurised Milk (with straw) can be obtained at "Break."
- School Buses* ; School buses run from (a) the Ribble Bus Station, Tithebarn Street, Preston, at 8-10 a.m. (S18) via Bamber Bridge; at 8-20 a.m. (S12) via Leyland Road, Penwortham, (S25) via Cop Lane, Penwortham; and from (b) the Ribble Bus Station, Chorley at 8-25 a.m., daily, picking up pupils en route. The return buses leave the School gates at 4-8 p.m. daily.
- Detention* : 4-0 to 4-45 p.m. in IVa Room.

School Periods :

Morning Periods : 9-0 to 9-10 a.m.
 9-10 to 9-20 a.m.
 9-20 to 10-0 a.m.
 10-0 to 10-45 a.m.
 10-45 to 11-0 a.m.
 11-0 to 11-45 a.m.
 11-45 to 12-30 p.m.

Prayers.
 Form meetings.
 First Period.
 Second Period.
 Break.
 Third Period.
 Fourth Period.

Afternoon Period : (a) Mondays to Thursdays :

1-50 to 1-55 p.m.
 1-55 to 2-30 p.m.
 2-30 to 3-15 p.m.
 3-15 to 4-0 p.m.

Form meetings.
 Fifth Period.
 Sixth Period.
 Seventh Period.

(b) Fridays :

1-50 to 1-55 p.m.
 1-55 to 2-20 p.m.
 2-20 to 2-50 p.m.
 2-50 to 3-20 p.m.
 3-20 to 4-0 p.m.

Form meetings.
 Fifth Period.
 Sixth Period.
 Seventh Period.
 Societies.

School Societies :

Arts and Crafts Miss Whewell (Art room).
 Books Mr. Bennison (Staty. Room).
 Dancing Miss Probert and Miss Hutchings (Gymnasium or Hall).
 Dramatic Mr. Downer (Library or Hall).
 Films Mr. Hilditch (III.A room).
 Foreign Correspondents Mr. Johnson (L.VI room).
 French Circle Miss Bromley (I.B room).
 Gardening Mr. Leathley (Chem. Lab or School grounds).
 Gymnastic Mr. Brown (Gymnasium or II.C room).
 Hobbies Mr. Hewartson (Handicraft Room).
 Housecraft Miss Ball (Dom. Sc. room).

Junior Literary Mr. Bull (IV.B room).
 Junior Musical Mr. Black (II.B room).
 Junior Needlework Miss Doherty (III.C room).
 Junior Philatelic Mr. Hallatt (II.A room).
 Junior Play Reading Miss Rahill (IV.C room).
 Knitting Mrs. Till (Geography Room).
 Leathercrafts Miss Cummins (V.B room).
 Meteorological Mr. Rudd (Physics Lab.).
 Musical Mr. Wilkinson (IV.A room).
 Natural History Mr. Speakman (Bio. Lab.).
 Rugby Football Mr. Morgan (Grounds or Sc. Prep. room).
 Scientific Mr. Rigby (Adv. Physics Lab.).
 Topical Subjects Mr. Wilson (I.C room).

National Savings Group (Miss Lewis and Miss Cummins) :-in Physics Lab., 12-30 to 1-30 p.m. on Mondays.

Broadcast Lectures :

Mondays : 11-40 to 12-00 Intermediate French (IV.B).
 3-00 to 3-10 Prose and Verse Readings (III.C).
 Tuesdays : 2-45 to 3-00 Early Stages in French (II.A).
 Thursdays : 11-20 to 11-40 Geography (II.B).
 2-00 to 2-20 Adventures in English (I.C).
 2-40 to 3-00 Science and the Community (II.B).
 Fridays : 2-00 to 2-20 Travel Talks (I.B).

GAMES

Day	RUGBY FOOTBALL (Boys)	HOCKEY (Girls)	TENNIS (Girls)
M.	2nd XXX Game. House Practices.	House Practices (F. & W.).	Cuerden
Tu.	1st XXX Game. Leagues Junior Practice.	Junior XXII Practice and Junior Games.	Farington.
W.	'Bantams' XXX Game. 'Colts' XV Practice.	House League Matches.	1st Hockey XXII.
Th.	1st XV Practice.	House Practices (Cl. & Cu.).	Worden.
F.	Team Practices.	1st XXII Practice.	Clayton.
S.	School Matches.	School Matches.	