



Bright Sparks Schedule 2026/27

rehearsals/performance (this schedule as at **28-07-26**)

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Mondays: Happy Monday Club 10.30am-2pm (Swarthmore Centre, 2-7 Woodhouse Square, Leeds, LS3 1AD)

Tuesdays: Real Friends (Reh. September – December / Tour January – March)

Wednesdays: Big Drama Club - Rehearsals for "Oh Yes It Is!" 2026 and "Beyond The Sea" 2027

Thursdays: Little Drama Club/additional rehearsals for Big Drama Club

Little Drama Club is organised alongside Natalie Kyrkos, Leeds Playhouse. natalie.kyrkos@leedsplayhouse.org.uk

*This schedule **does not** include Bright Sparks projects 'Nite Lites' or any of our outreach programmes.*

Please see www.brightsparkstheatre.com for more information.

All Big Drama Club at Cardigan Road Community Centre, LS6 1LJ

9.45am - 10.45am TEA/COFFEE

11.00am - 12noon SESSION PART 1

12noon - 1.00pm LUNCH

01.00pm - 2.00pm SESSION PART 2 (some group members might carry on until 2.15pm)

All Little Drama Club at Weston Room, Leeds Playhouse, LS2 7UP

10.15am - 11am TEA/COFFEE

11.15am - 12noon SESSION PART 1

12noon - 1.00pm LUNCH

01.00pm - 2.00pm SESSION PART 2 (some group members might carry on until 2.15pm)

Wed 29 July

Big Drama Club

Thu 30 July

Little Drama Club * 11am-2pm INTERACTION DAY (Level 2)

** (This session takes place in the Level 2 café bar with additional invited guest participants as part of Beautiful Octopus Club week.)*

Mon 10 August

Happy Monday Club

Mon 17 August

Happy Monday Club

Mon 24 August

Happy Monday Club

Wed 2 September

Big Drama Club

Thu 3 September

Little Drama Club

Mon 7 September

Happy Monday Club

Wed 9 September

Big Drama Club

Thu 10 September

Little Drama Club

Mon 14 September

Happy Monday Club

Wed 16 September

Big Drama Club

Thu 17 September

Little Drama Club

Mon 21 September

Happy Monday Club

Tue 22 September

Real Friends rehearsals

Wed 23 September

Big Drama Club

Thu 24 September

Little Drama Club

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Mon 28 September	Happy Monday Club
Tue 29 September	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 30 September	Big Drama Club
Thu 1 October	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 5 October	Happy Monday Club
Tue 2 October	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 7 October	Big Drama Club
Thu 8 October	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 12 October	Happy Monday Club
Tue 13 October	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 14 October	Big Drama Club
Thu 15 October	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 19 October	Happy Monday Club
Tue 20 October	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 21 October	Big Drama Club
Thu 22 October	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 26 October	Happy Monday Club
Tue 3 November	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 4 November	Big Drama Club
Mon 9 November	Happy Monday Club
Tue 10 October	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 11 November	Big Drama Club
Mon 16 November	Happy Monday Club
Tue 17 November	Real Friends rehearsals
Wed 18 November	Big Drama Club
Thu 19 November	Big Drama Club
Mon 23 November	Happy Monday Club
Wed 25 November	Big Drama Club
Thu 26 November	Big Drama Club
Mon 30 November	Happy Monday Club



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"Oh Yes It Is!" @ LEEDS PLAYHOUSE – Bramall Rock Void

Monday 30 November 2026

10am onwards: Get-in, plot LX, sound check, set for start of show. (no cast)

Tuesday 1 December 2026

10am onwards: Walk-through & cue-to-cue

Wednesday 2 December 2026

10am onwards: Dress Rehearsal / evening show 7.30pm / reset

Thursday 3 December 2026 *(awards to be held in Weston Room or City Room)*

10am onwards: notes / matinee 1.15pm / pizza+awards (4pm) / evening show 7.30pm / *partial get-out?*

Friday 4 December 2026

get out (no cast)

Mon 7 December Happy Monday Club

Mon 14 December Happy Monday Club

2027

Tue 5 January Real Friends rehearsals

Wed 6 January **Big Drama Club**

Mon 11 January Happy Monday Club

Tue 12 January Real Friends rehearsals

Wed 13 January **Big Drama Club**

Thu 14 January *Little Drama Club*

Mon 18 January Happy Monday Club

Tue 19 January **Real Friends School Visit**

Wed 20 January Big Drama Club

Thu 21 January *Little Drama Club*

Mon 25 January Happy Monday Club

Tue 26 January **Real Friends School Visit**

Wed 27 January **Big Drama Club**

Thu 28 January *Little Drama Club*

Mon 1 February Happy Monday Club

Tue 2 February **Real Friends School Visit**

Wed 3 February **Big Drama Club**

Thu 4 February *Little Drama Club*



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Mon 8 February	Happy Monday Club
Tue 9 February	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 10 February	Big Drama Club
Thu 11 February	Little Drama Club
Mon 15 February	Happy Monday Club
Tue 16 February	No school visit (Spring mid-term break)
Wed 17 February	Big Drama Club
Thu 18 February	no session
Mon 22 February	Happy Monday Club
Tue 23 February	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 24 February	no session
Thu 25 February	Little Drama Club
Mon 1 March	Happy Monday Club
Tue 2 March	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 3 March	Big Drama Club
Thu 4 March	Little Drama Club
Mon 8 March	Happy Monday Club
Tue 9 March	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 10 March	Big Drama Club
Thu 11 March	Little Drama Club
Tue 16 March	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 17 March	Big Drama Club
Thu 18 March	Little Drama Club
Mon 22 March	Happy Monday Club
Tue 23 March	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 24 March	Big Drama Club
Thu 25 March	Little Drama Club (last LDC of this term – back on Thu 1 May)
Tue 30 March	Real Friends School Visit
Wed 31 March	Big Drama Club
Mon 5 April	Happy Monday Club
Mon 12 April	Happy Monday Club
Mon 19 April	Happy Monday Club
Wed 21 April	Big Drama Club
Mon 26 April	Happy Monday Club
Wed 28 April	Big Drama Club
Thu 1 May	Little Drama Club



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Thu 6 May	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 10 May	Happy Monday Club
Wed 12 May	Big Drama Club
Thu 13 May	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 17 May	Happy Monday Club
Wed 19 May	Big Drama Club
Thu 20 May	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 24 May	Happy Monday Club
Wed 2 June	Big Drama Club
Thu 3 June	<i>Little Drama Club</i>
Mon 7 June	Happy Monday Club
Wed 9 June	Big Drama Club
Thu 10 June	Big Drama Club
Mon 14 June	Happy Monday Club
June 14 – 22	Learning Disabilities Week (no Big Drama Club)
Thu 17 June	<i>Little Drama Club/Interaction Day</i> TBC
Wed 23 June	Big Drama Club
Thu 24 June	Big Drama Club
Mon 28 June	Happy Monday Club

"Beyond The Sea" @ LEEDS PLAYHOUSE – Bramall Rock Void

Monday 28 June

10am – 5pm: Get-in, plot LX, sound check, set for start of show. (no cast)

Tuesday 29 June

10am – 2pm: Walk-through & cue-to-cue

Wednesday 30 June

10am onwards: Dress Rehearsal / evening show 7pm

Thursday 1 July

10pm onwards: 1.15pm Matinee / awards+pizza / evening show 7pm / partial get out as req.

Friday 2 July

get out (no cast)
