



Place2Be Newsletter



Friday 13th June 2025

This half-term, we're excited to introduce a new project called **"Boys Do Cry"** — an initiative dedicated to shining a light on boys' mental health. For too long, harmful stereotypes have silenced boys and young men from expressing how they feel. This project aims to break that silence by creating safe spaces, sharing real stories, and providing resources that encourage emotional openness, vulnerability, and support. Through Boys Do Cry, **we want every boy to know that their feelings are valid, their voices matter, and seeking help is a sign of strength — not weakness.** Watch this space for more updates on the project!



We are very excited to welcome **Leeds Rhinos** to the school. The Rhinos captain, Cam Smith, will be coming in to school on Monday 16th June to talk to the children about mental fitness.



Leeds Rhinos have also shared with us a QR code to buy discounted tickets to go and watch a game at Headingley. Please see attached sheet for more details.



On Monday 23rd June, we are holding our first **boys space workshop for boys in Year 5**. This event is an opportunity for you to come along and take part in fun activities to promote good mental health in boys. We would love to see lots of dads, step-dads, uncles and grandads coming along to support this event. **It takes place from 9am till 9:45am.**



On Tuesday 24th June, we are holding our **Year 6 boys space workshop** at 9am till 9:45am.

Throughout June and July, **Leeds United FC** will be coming into school to deliver a series of workshops all about mental health. These workshops will support the children to manage their own mental fitness and develop their resilience.



Thank
you

Finally, a huge thank you to some of the male members of staff who have been supporting the project. They have also agreed to be available in the Place2Be room at lunchtimes to support any boys who want support with their mental fitness.

As always, please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any concerns or questions about your child's mental health.

Jenny