



BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 11th May 2017



Staff Car Park

If you use the staff car park to drop off your child/ren for breakfast club at 7.30am or 8.00am please be on time for the club starting and park in a bay.

Please walk your children in to school. Children should **NOT** be walking through the car park unattended at any time.

When the barrier is down only parents who have permission from Mrs Hussain may enter.

Thank you.

Afterschool Clubs

Please pick your children up on time for afterschool clubs.

If you have more than one child in afterschool clubs, finishing at different times, please pick up at the earliest finishing time.

If you are late you will be charged £7 for afterschool childcare. In the event of an emergency please ring the school office to let them know you will be late collecting your children.



It's Family Challenge Time! Let's look after our environment! This half term the Family Challenge is to take part in **planting at home or looking after any garden area.**

As always, please email the photographs of your child and your planting activities to: admin@beechhillschool.co.uk or alternatively hand the evidence of the completed challenge to your child's class teacher. It would also be nice for your child to write about this memorable experience and we can display this in school. A prize will be given to all children who take part. Ready...Steady...Go...The Challenge has begun!

Ramadan Mubarak

Ramadan is due to start at the end of this half term. During Ramadan, each class will be encouraged to bring in loose change each day to raise money for charity.

We will be raising money for our school charity, Dementia Friends. Each class will have a money pot to fill with nothing more than 20p per day per child.



Now the weather is getting warmer please make sure your child brings a water bottle to school.



Or purchase a water bottle for £1.20 from the office.

Also, please make sure your child has their name in their jumpers and cardigans to prevent them getting mixed up and lost when they take them off.

Dates for your diary



W/C 15th May: Year 2 SATS.

22nd May: Year 2 trip to Square Chapel.

26th May: Year 6 100% Attendance Treat at Electric Bowl Halifax.

26th May: Coffee Morning 9-10am.

26th May: School closes for half term.

12th June: School re opens.

Telephone numbers

Please inform the school office if you are not receiving text messages or if you have recently changed your number.



It is important that you keep your number up to date.



Twitter has now replaced the school blog and 'My School App'.

Please follow us @beechhillsch

What's On - Central Halifax Children's Centres

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Jubilee Children's Centre, Lightowler Road Halifax HX1 5NB Reception 01422 342552 Family Support Team 01422 434971	Family Support Drop-in 9.30 - 11.30am Antenatal Clinic 9.00 - 5.00pm For general queries please contact 01422 261364/01422 360336 Basic Sewing Course 9.30 - 11.30am Course to start on 8th of May 2017 To book please contact 01422 342552 Baby Massage 1.30 - 3.00pm 5th of June until 26th of June To book please contact 01422 342552	Family Support Drop In with Polish Speaking Worker 10.00 - 12.00 Family Support Drop-In With Czech/Slovak Family Support Workers Available 12.30 - 2.30pm Stay and Play Mini Movers Physical Term Time Only (for children aged 0 - 5 years) 1.30 - 3.00pm Child Safety - Keep Children Safe on Roads to run alongside Stay and Play on 9th of May 1.30 - 3.00pm Post Natal and Drop In Clinic 1.30 - 4.00pm For general queries please contact 01422 261364/01422 360336	Antenatal Clinic 9.00 - 5.00pm For general queries contact 01422 261364/01422 360336 Smoking Cessation 9.00 - 12.00 Appointment only Breastfeeding Peer Support Available Term Time Only 10.00 - 12.00pm Friends 9.30 - 11.30am Self referral/referral only Term Time Only Parent and Toddlers with Polish Speaking Worker 1.00 - 2.30pm (for children aged 0 - 4 years) Child Safety - Keep Children Safe on Roads to run alongside Parent and Toddlers with Polish Speaking Worker on 24th of May 2017 1.00 - 2.30pm Toddler Talk (1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month) 12.00 - 3.00pm (appointment only)	Antenatal Clinic 9.00 - 5.00pm For general queries please contact 01422 261364/01422 360336 Dad's Group 'Daddycation' 4th and 18th of May 2017 For Dads/Male Carers (every other Thursday) 3.30 - 5.30pm Child Safety - Keep Children Safe on Roads to run alongside 'Daddycation' on 18th of May 2017 3.30 - 5.30pm	Antenatal Clinic 9.00 - 5.00pm For general queries please contact 01422 261364/01422 360336 Baby Clinic Drop-In Run by Health Visitors 9.30 - 11.00am Beenies 9.30 - 11.00am term time only For children aged 0-24 months
Jubilee at Beech Hill Children's Centre, Mount Pleasant Avenue Halifax HX1 5TN 01422 348874	Aromatherapy Course 9.30 - 11.30am (please note no session on 1st of May 2017) Beenies 1.30 - 3.00pm Term time only (for children aged 0-24 months)	<i>Outside of term time, we run Holiday Activities ring the centre for more Information.</i>	Stay and Play Me and My World Term time only For children aged 0 - 5 years 1.30 - 3.00pm Child Safety - Keep Children Safe on Roads to run alongside Stay and Play on 10th of May 2017 1.30 - 3.00pm	Bangladeshi Coffee Morning 2nd Thursday of every month term time only 8.45am - 10.30am Next session is on 11th of May 2017	



Period: 02/05/2017 to 05/05/2017



Group	% Attend
USA3	96.0
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USA5	89.0
Portugal	98.3
New Zealand	89.2
Fiji	98.9
Brazil	97.1
Madagascar	99.0
Switzerland	98.1
Jordan	96.3
Canada	91.3
Morocco	97.6
Mexico	98.3
Qatar	97.9
Singapore	94.8
Tanzania	97.3
Nigeria	98.1
Peru	91.7
Denmark	98.1
Totals	96.0

It is great to see many of our classes with an attendance above the national average (96%). If we can keep this up for the rest of this half term we may achieve our overall target attendance. In order to be in with a chance you must attend school regularly.

The number of pupils arriving to school after registration has improved significantly, however there are still some pupils who arrive late. School starts at 8.45 am and this means pupils must be at school for this time, ready to learn.

Last week no one achieved the 100% class attendance which was disappointing considering it was a short week with the Bank holiday. I hope this week we can have at least some of our classes achieve 100%.

Many thanks
Farhat Hussain
Attendance Officer

Kitchen Menu

1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Sausages + gravy	Chicken breast fillet gravy	Fish fingers	Minced beef pie + gravy	Wholemeal margarita pizza
	Vegetarian spaghetti bolognese	Quorn Pie Cottage	Homemade margarita pizza	Ravioli + cheese	Fish fingers
	Garden peas new baby potatoes	Fresh sliced carrots Roast Potatoes	Spaghetti hoops Chips	Broccoli Creamed potatoes or wedges	Baked beans + chips
	Chicken sub rolls	Prawn Marie rose sub rolls	Roast beef sub rolls	Tuna mayo sub rolls	Sub roll assortment
	Jacket potatoes + selection of sandwiches				
	Rice pudding + Sultanas	Toffee apple crumble + Custard	Chocolate sponge + Custard	Gingerbread + Custard	Parkin
	Selection of cold desserts Fruit cocktail in juice Selection of fresh fruit Biscuit selection	Selection of cold desserts Fruit cocktail in juice Selection of fresh fruit Biscuit selection	Selection of cold desserts Fruit cocktail in juice Selection of fresh fruit Biscuit selection	Selection of cold desserts Fruit cocktail in juice Selection of fresh fruit Biscuit selection	Selection of cold desserts Fruit cocktail in juice Selection of fresh fruit Biscuit selection
	Fruit yogurts				
	Salad bar				



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY



Portugal	Anna	For amazing progress with her reading and for being a very helpful, kind and bubbly member of the class.
New Zealand	Armaan Latisha	For being phonics superstars!
Brazil	Abad	For a major turnaround in everything that he does! I'm very proud of you!
Jordan	Aliya	For a fantastic Seesaw explanation of the 'Bus Stop' method for division.
Canada	Fahima	For trying really hard in maths and persevering with the bus stop method.
Morocco	Ewa	For being an all round superstar.
Mexico	Fiza	For an improved attitude to learning.
Qatar	Fareeha	For trying really hard in maths and moving onto the extensions.
Tanzania	Ismaiel	For a new and improved attitude and behaviour which has been absolutely fantastic to see!
Year 6	Hammad Ibrahim Aaliyah	For a super attitude towards the SATs this week! Well done - you deserve to do really well!