



BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 3rd May 2018

We have had a slight outbreak of sickness and diarrhoea in Year 4 and 5. To ensure this outbreak doesn't spread any further please keep your children at home for 48 hours after the last time they have been sick or had diarrhoea. Wash hands frequently and drink plenty of fluids.

Diarrhoea and vomiting in children

There's no specific cure for stomach bugs such as **Norovirus**. See tips to reduce the spread and treat symptoms

Keep kids home from school for



after symptoms have passed. This is enough time to let the virus run its course

If your child already has a serious illness, or symptoms last longer than a few days, contact your GP to seek advice

Visit nhs.uk/norovirus

NHS choices



25

different strains of Norovirus are known to affect humans.

They're the most common cause of stomach bugs in the UK

Home Treatment



Paracetamol is useful for fever or aches and pains



Give kids plenty of water to stay hydrated and replace lost fluids



If your child feels like eating, give them bland foods

Junior Warden Easter Egg Hunt

Our Junior Wardens were featured in the Calderdale Public Services Newsletter! Here's the write up....

Better later than never...Junior Warden Easter Egg Hunt! The rain held off just long enough for our community wardens and HCI team to host a **Easter Egg quiz with the Junior Wardens from Beech Hill School, Halifax**. The rescheduled hunt took place in People's Park on Wednesday afternoon with 30 of our junior wardens. The children loved running around the park and were fascinated by the history that sits right on their doorstep! The children were split into 6 teams and our staff lead the children round the park to complete the 15 questions. The children were then presented each with a Easter Egg. Unfortunately our other Junior Wardens from Christ Church School in Sowerby Bridge were unable to join us, so Jonny and Zameer went into school to present the children before the chocolate...before the staff ate them. **An egg-cellent time was had by all!**



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On Tuesday 1st of May, seven children from year 4 went to Summerfield House Care Home to work alongside the residents to make some delicious pizzas. The children and the elderly worked brilliantly together and had a fantastic time.

The children were also able to help to plant a Himalayan beech tree in the grounds of the care home. These intergenerational opportunities will continue as the children move into year 5. The project is being run with support from the Soil Association.

The next visit to Summerfield House will take place on Wednesday 16th May to help the residents to celebrate the upcoming royal wedding!



Dates for your diary



May

7th - School Closed for Bank Holiday

8th - Reception Eye Tests

8th - New Zealand Ogden Water Trip

9th - Fiji Ogden Water Trip

8th - 11th Year 2 SATS

14th - Portugal Ogden Water Trip

14th - 17th Year 6 SATS

22nd - Orange Box Theatre Performance

23rd - Magic Moments Dementia Café

25th - The Big Sing Piece Hall

25th - School Closes For Half Term

Handwriters of the week



The children below have demonstrated beautiful handwriting this week and have been chosen out of their entire year group to receive the 'Handwriter of the Week' award!

Congratulations!

Aneesa Matloob and Yasin Ahmed (YR1)
Mustafa Yasir (YR2)
Maheq Mushtaq (YR3)
Everest Pur (YR4)
Uday Silaparasetty (YR5)

Parents IT Course

Our parents IT course is coming to an end which means our parents have completed their level 1 and 2 in ICT!



From September 2018 we will be enrolling new parents.

If you're interested in attending our ICT course that runs every Monday morning from 8.45am and completing your Level 1 and 2 in ICT please let the school office know and we will book you in for your induction on Monday 2nd July.

Jayne the ICT course teacher will be here for the induction to answer your questions and give you more information on what the course entails.

Tour de Yorkshire



This Sunday a group of year 6 pupils will be taking part in the parade for the Tour De Yorkshire. The children will start the race from the Piece Hall in town, and they will ride a 1km route in front of a huge audience.

The race will start at 11:00am at the Piece Hall, so please come down and support both the children and the professional cyclists.



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Period: 25/09/2017 to 27/04/2018



	Poor attendance, I am very concerned.
	Below expectations, I am worried.
	Above the national average, well done.
	Best chance of success, well done.

Group	% Attend
USA3	94.1
USA4	94.8
USA5	95.9
Fiji	94.4
New Zealand	94.9
Portugal	95.0
Switzerland	96.5
Nigeria	95.2
Canada	95.4
Morocco	96.9
Jordan	96.4
Mexico	95.5
Australia	97.2
South Africa	96.4
France	94.3
Singapore	95.8
Tanzania	96.4
Denmark	96.9
China	96.5
Egypt	95.1
Totals	95.8

The attendance this week has improved from last week, well done everyone! We were very close to our target. Hopefully, next week we can achieve this.

Year 6 and Year 2 are preparing for their SATs tests, which will take place soon. It is really important that the children attend school every day and are punctual in order to have the best chance of success.

Please support your child by ensuring they are completing any homework/revision.

Thank you for your support.

Many Thanks
Farhat Hussain
Attendance Officer

Kitchen Menu Week 3

3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Hot Dogs Ketchup	Fishcakes	Spicy Sausages	Chicken Dinner Gravy	Pizza
	Spinach Ricotta	Cheese & Onion Pie	Fuseli Pasta Tomato Sauce Cheese Topping	Quorn Curry Rice	Fish Fingers
	Beans/Corn Herbys	Carrots/Broccoli Mashed Potatoes	Spaghetti/ Wedges	Cauliflower Diced Carrots Roast Potatoes	Beans & Chip
	Tuna Mayo Sub	Cheese Mayo Sub	Egg Mayo Sub	Chicken Tikka Wraps	Sub Roll Assortment
	Jacket Potato/Sandwiches – Served every day				
	Rice Pudding	Chocolate Sponge Custard	Lemon Sponge Custard	Apple & Blackberry Pie Custard	Cup Cakes Cold Selection
	Strawberry Whip	Jelly	Crispy Buns	Chocolate Whip	Ice Cream
	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt