



Beech Hill News



Thursday 8 July 2010

Potřebujete pomoci s vyplněním formulářů nebo vybavit něco po telefonu? Přejďte do Mount Pellon Childrens Centre na Battison Road každý čtvrtek mezi

15.00 - 17.00. Vchod z parkoviště. Jsou tam plně k dispozici tři česko-slovenské překladatelé, kteří vám ochotně pomohou. V případě nejasností, můžete také zavolat 01422342552 (Ivona a Zuzana) nebo ve čtvrtek na Mount Pellon 01422385929.

Drop in Session

Need help with filing in forms or making phone calls? Drop in to Mount Pellon's Children Centre, Battison Road every Thursday between 3pm-5pm. Entrance next to the carpark.

There are 3 Czech speaking members of staff. Any queries please ring Ivona or Zuzana at Sure Start: 01422 342 552 or Mount Pellon on Thursdays: 01422 385 929

Our Y6 Aim Higher!

Over the past year our Y6 children have been taking part in the Aim Higher project. A national project which aims to encourage children to go to University. As part of this project, our children visited Huddersfield University to experience what university is really like. They had a fantastic and interesting day and were all excellent ambassadors for our school.

Well done Year 6

Calderdale's Mini-Football Competition

Pictured here are some of our boys and girls in Y3 & Y4 who took part in the above competition. It was held at Savile Park on Tuesday 29th June. Everyone played well as a team throughout the tournament, with Beech Hill finishing joint 2nd after competing with four other schools.

Well Done to Everyone!

Term Dates 2010

School closes on: Tuesday 20th July
Re-opens on: Wednesday 1st September

Looking forward to 100% attendance

Friday PTA Tuckshop Funds raised for Bangladesh Floods

Ice lollies and toys sale. Pakore and all other usual items for sale. 50p and under for everything. All funds raised this week are going toward Bangladesh Floods. Parents if you wish to give donations of food or toys for this Fundraising, please leave them with the school office staff on Friday before 2pm. Thank you.





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Year 2 bun sale

Monday 12th we will be selling buns to the whole school (taken round classes at the end of day during the last lesson). These will be sold at 50p each and all money raised will go towards school funds. Please ensure your child has money if they wish to buy a bun. Thank you for your continued support.

Mini-Whistlers

This week we were visited by St Chads Year 3 and 4 children who took part in our mini-whistlers raining led by Mr Madley. Everyone had a great time.

Bearder Poetry Festival

On Thursday 1st July Mrs Byrnes and the winners of the "School Performance Poetry Competition" went to the Viaduct Theatre, Dean Clough to represent Beech Hill in the Bearder Poetry Festival.

Weeks of lunchtime practices culminated in a fantastic performance of poems written by children from our school on the theme of The World Cup, which our performers had learned by heart. We started with a rousing chant to set the mood for our performance, then Ali set the scene with a great introduction. Ameena performed "I really hope I win" and Aquib and Iqra brought the comedy element to the day, performing their roles of Referee and Manager respectively. Ali, Aquib and Ameena then performed a poem in the style of a post match interview. Finally Tyyab, dressed in gold, read a poem as the World Cup itself.

Unfortunately, like the real England football team we left empty handed, but having grown in experience and confidence. We are really proud of the talent that we showed throughout the contest and have high hopes for next year!

Bright Future Ahead

The Y6 football team were in action again on Tuesday 6th representing Beech Hill in a local knock out competition involving 15 other schools at Saville Park. In a ferociously contested group involving Hebden Royd, Mooreside and Riverside, we only narrowly missed out on advancing to the semi-finals. Some of the players in the team had been drafted in from Y4 who acquitted themselves extremely well against older boys 2 years their senior.

Looks like the future's bright for next year's Y6 football team

Selina heads to London!

As you will already be aware from previous newsletters Selina Ali recently won the Aim Higher Calderdale Learner of the Year.

On Thursday evening Selina, her family and Mrs Leaper attended a special awards evening at Huddersfield University and Selina won the West Yorkshire learner of the Year! Her award was presented by a genuine celebrity (a runner up in the apprentice)

Selina will now be heading to London to try and win the National Learner of the Year Award. We all have our fingers crossed for Selina and we all wish her luck!



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London 2012 Olympics



We have some exciting news! On Monday 12th July we will be visited by the London 2012 Olympic Mascot. We are 1 of only 12 schools in the UK who have been specially selected. We will be holding a Sports Day and Wenlock (the mascot) will be joining in. There will be members of the press at the event. Please ensure your child has their school PE kit with them on Monday.

Thank you for your support.



Reception trip to Eureka

This week we went to Eureka. There was lots of toys and games to play with. There was a dark corridor and it was spooky. We met a friendly robot who taught us about our bodies.

Calderdale College Workshops

On Tuesday Y6 children went to Calderdale College. They had the opportunity to take part in three different workshops. These related to subjects that they might wish to study at a later date.

Beech Hill Does Have Talent!

On Thursday 1st July we took a group of our Y6 children to perform at a talent showcase event at Park Lane High School. 10 of our children performed in a street dance and a group of 4 of our Czech and Slovak children performed a traditional Slovak song (with the help of our translator Mirislav). There were several schools performing at the event, but due to the high standard of our performance, we were selected to be the opening act! We would like to thank those parents and staff who came along to support us.

One of the workshops taught the children team building skills and how to work together to complete a task successfully. In the other two workshops they were able to complete a piece of art in the style of art in the style of the artist "Matisse" and construct a key hook using wood and cup hooks.

The children had an enjoyable day, getting an insight into what college life could be like.

Well done to everyone who took part.



Face Painting

On Tuesday 13th July classes 7 & 8 will be given the opportunity to have their face painted during the afternoon. 50p to participate and all money raised will go towards school funds. Please ensure your child has money if they wish to buy a bun. Thank you for your continued support.



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Celebration Assembly: Friday 9.15am

As usual all parents, friends and grandparents are welcome.
The children who have impressed their teachers this week are:

Nursery	All the children for brushing their teeth.
Class 3	Alex For good group work.
Class 4	Iqra Alyba For making up a wonderful new version of the story 'Mr Grumpy's Outing'
Class 5B	Iqra Aminah For trying hard all the year.
Class 5L	Bushra For amazing progress in maths this year.
Class 6	Amin For increased confidence to talk to the grown-ups in school and answer questions in class.
Class 7	Zayd For making more contributions during whole class sessions.
Class 8	Ziyaad For being fantastic in his maths and completing his sorting activity.
Class 9	Hannah For being a great member of class 9 and for trying really hard in maths.
Class 10	Adil For trying his best to write a play script in literacy.
Class 11	Briana For always trying her best and being very organised.
Class 12	Ehsaan For trying really hard with his football and being picked for the year 6 football team!
Class 13	Maaria For making a huge improvement in her reading over the year.
Class 14	Zakia For enthusiastically joining in on her workshop.
Class 15	Haleemah For being a pleasure to teach all year.
Class 16	Junaid For a much improved attitude to school! Keep this up Junaid.



LUNCHTIME AWARDS

Ikra Matloob class 5B

Asra Rana class 9

Ummayah Ahmed class 9

Mehtab Hussain class 10

Shomaila Ajaib class 13

Have a great weekend
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When you have faults
do not fear to abandon them