



BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 22nd January 2015

Science Week.

Next week is science week, children will be taking part in various science related activities and workshops throughout the week.



Each year group will be researching a different scientist which links to their current science topic.

On Thursday it will be NON UNIFORM DAY. Children and staff can come dressed as scientists, or any profession that requires the use of science.

Prizes will be given to the best dressed scientist!

Junior Street Wardens

The Junior street wardens had the chance to see how safely people are driving by using speed check machines.

We were pleasantly surprised that people were sticking to a sensible speed.



Winter Weather

In the event of extreme weather causing the school to close parents will be informed in the usual manner i.e. via text/through the school app via the school website as well as an announcement through BBC Radio Leeds, The Pulse radio and Phoenix FM. If you do not receive a text and no announcement is made on the radio please assume the school is open and make your way to school in a safe manner keeping to the main paths around school.

Your child will receive a winter weather pack next week to do at home in the unfortunate circumstance where the school is having to close due to poor weather. Please ensure your child completes this.

Beech Hill App

We would like to use our app as our preferred method of communicating any school news and updates to you, along with our school website and blog. To download the app—search for My School App in the apple store, and myschoolapp in the google play store.



Coffee Morning

Karen and Sophie from Calderdale family and health team will do yoga and stretching exercises this week, they will also be giving healthy eating and cooking advice.

Thanks to Moahar Shaban from Home Start who came last week to tell our coffee morning ladies about a course that's starting at Beech Hill family centre.



Ranní káva

Karen a Sophie z Calderdale centra pro rodinu a zdraví povedou tento týden hodinu jógy.

Rády vám také poradí ohledně zdravého stravování a vaření.

Captain Grammaticus to the rescue...here to improve standards in writing!

On Wednesday this week both KS1 and KS2 children had a special visit from the superhero, Captain Grammaticus! The children enjoyed an hour long session helping him solve different clues to a mysterious incident. All of the children thoroughly enjoyed the production and had the chance to show off their spelling, punctuation and grammar knowledge (with plenty of cheering and laughter thrown in!)

Your child has now gained a better understanding of different word classes so test them at home on the following:

Nouns (common, proper and pronouns)

Verbs

Adverbs

Adjectives

Onomatopoeia

Prepositions

Spelling rules (including -ies and -es)

The cast were impressed with all of the children and I'm sure they enjoyed this memorable experience. Writing is a key priority across the school and I hope children transfer the knowledge from Captain Grammaticus into their written work in class to move up a level this term.

Mr Sharp



Last Week's Attendance

CLASS	% Attendance
3	93.8
4	96.1
5	85.1
6	97.9
7	85.4
8	89.7
9	90.7
10	94.3
11	88
12	97.1

13	96.2
14	95.5
15	93.3
16	97.9
17	96.1
18	98.7
19	96.4
20	96
21	97.1
Whole school	94.4

Well done to Class 4 our Foundation Stage winner with an attendance of 96.1%.

Well done to Class 6 KS1 Winners with a perfect 97.1% attendance. Fantastic keep it up.

Well done to Class 18 our KS2 winners with a fantastic attendance of 98.7%. Highest across the entire school and setting a great example. We are continuing to struggle with attendance, and poor weather hasn't helped. I urge all parents to ensure that their children attend school every day.

May I also remind you that holidays in term time are not a right and should be avoided at all times. Only in exceptional circumstances will the school authorise these absences. If you choose to take your child on holiday and the request isn't authorised Calderdale Council will be informed and you may be liable to a fine and or legal proceedings. There are a total of 170 school holiday days which should be utilised for this reason.

Thank you Miss Davison, Attendance Officer

School Meals Menu - Next Week (All meat served is Halal and HMC approved)

2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Meal	Sweet & Sour Chicken - chicken breast in a sweet & sour sauce with pineapple	BBQ Style burger in a Bun burger in a bun with BBQ relish	Lamb & Vegetable Curry	Fish Fingers Tomato Ketchup	Vegetable Lasagne - spicy tomato vegetari-an mince in layers of lasagne with cheese
	French Bread Cheese & Onion Pizza with Oregano	Vegetable & Bean Pie - vegetables, quorn and beans in savoury tomato sauce and topped with shortcrust pastry	Cauliflower Cheese	Vegetable Cottage Pie - quorn mince and vegetables topped with creamed potato	Classic Margarita Pizza Simply Red Pizza - red onion, red pepper and fresh tomato topped with mozzarella
Vegetables	Garden Peas Sweetcorn Kernels Savoury Rice	Mixed Vegetables Cauliflower Florets Diced Savoury Fries	Diced Carrots Sweetcorn Kernels New Potatoes Boiled Rice	Mixed Vegetables Broccoli Florets Pasta Tricolour	Chipped Potatoes Garden Peas Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce
Sub/ Wrap	Tuna & Sweetcorn Sub Roll	Chicken Tikka Salad & Tzatzita Wrap	Prawns Marie Rose Sub Roll	Vegetarian Cheese Savoury Sub (grated cheddar, onion, coleslaw & quorn bacon)	Sub Roll Assortment
Served Every day	Baked Jacket Potatoes with a variety of fillings Salad Bar/ Bread Roll Selection of Sandwiches (Cheddar Cheese, Creamy Tuna, Egg Mayonnaise)				
Dessert	Rhubarb & Apple Crumble and Custard	Chocolate Sponge served with Chocolate Sauce	Baked Bread & Butter Pudding with Custard	Oaty Apple Crumble with Custard	Lemon Sponge and Custard
	Mandarins in Fruit Juice	Peaches in Fruit Juice	Fruit Cocktail in Fruit Juice	Pears in Fruit Juice	Fruit Cocktail in Fruit Juice
	Selection of Fresh Fruit	Selection of Fresh Fruit	Selection of Fresh Fruit	Selection of Fresh Fruit	Selection of Fresh Fruit
	Fruit Yoghurt Selection	Fruit Yoghurt Selection	Fruit Yoghurt Selection	Fruit Yoghurt Selection	Fruit Yoghurt Selection
	Selection of Cold Desserts	Selection of Cold Desserts	Selection of Cold Desserts	Selection of Cold Desserts	Selection of Cold Desserts



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY



Name: Class:

ASSEMBLY: Friday 9.10am

Class 3	Adrian Tulej	For being such a enthusiastic member of the class
Class 4	Alina Khan	For her overall improvement at school
Class 6	Raheema Qasim	For great effort in her reading and for getting her first 100%! WOW
Class 7	Umaima Khan	For her amazing holiday homework booklet.
Class 9	Sara Pintyeova	Trying hard with her work and behaviour and really impressing Mr Harper and Miss Armitage
Class 10	Ans Mohammad	For impressing Mrs Pether in both Literacy and Numeracy by completing all his work independently and answering lots of questions!
Class 11	Dominika Hankova	For always being enthusiastic and ready to learn!
Class 12	Safa Ahmed	For the performance of her shape poem (with actions!!).
Class 13	Alisha Sadheer	For a fantastic poetry performance
Class 14	Zainab Abbas	For consistently beautiful handwriting throughout January.
Class 16	Nikola Pesta	For a brilliant attitude to reading. She never misses an opportunity to read and is making great use of her word diary.
Miss Whiteley's Maths group	Nikola Pesta Bilal Zahid	For being perfect Maths buddies!
Mr Crawshaw's maths group	Alisah Zaynab	For being a shape wizard!
Class 18	Alyba Shahzad	For finally finding her inner artist!
Class 19	Saffa Sajid	For an improved effort with answering questions...this girl is on fire!
Class 21	Sabina Tothova	For doing what she does best every day- simply being her

Have a great weekend
Shameem Hussain, Headteacher

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