



BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 9th July 2015

Merit Treat

Wednesday 15th July is our summer merit treat, this includes bouncy castle, bouncy slide, pillow pole joust, Sumo suits etc.

On the field (weather permitting)

By following our behaviour steps our aim is to create a calm and friendly place where we can all learn, ensuring we all fulfil our potential.

A massive 395 children in Key stage 1 and 2 will receive a merit badge this term which is our highest number yet! Congratulations to them, they will be wearing them with pride next Wednesday.

Thank you to all our parents for your support in maintaining high standards of work and behaviour.



This new badge represents children who have excelled in reaching a high level of near perfect behaviour displaying exceptional motivation and effort within Beech Hill School.

230 children will receive this badge which means they have gained 6 merit badges throughout the whole of this school year. Well Done



Year 4 Trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park

On Wednesday Year 4 visited Yorkshire Wildlife Park.

Please keep checking our website, blog and mobile app for photos of the trip.



No after school clubs week commencing 13th July including no Friday club on the 17th July. We are aware that some families may be celebrating Eid on Friday 17th July. School will remain open for those pupils who will not be celebrating, they will be expected to attend as normal.

School Closes at 1.15pm on Friday 17th July September

SCHOOL'S OUT



Summer Holiday Activities

A timetable of summer holiday activities from our children's centre is available on our mobile app and blog www.beechhillschool.co.uk/blog

Or download 'My School App' and search for Beech Hill on your phone.



Junior Inspectors

Last week our Junior Inspectors completed their 2015 mini Ofsted inspection across the school. They were supported by our School Improvement Partner, Carol Thomas. Children observed teaching and learning in the classroom, assemblies and behaviour at playtime and lunchtime.

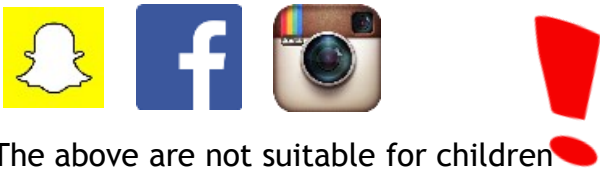
Junior Inspectors

The Junior Inspectors fully enjoyed this experience and have learned a lot about the new Ofsted framework. The children will publish their report in the Autumn term and you can access this via the school website.

Square Chapel Performance

Today our Year 6 drama group performed 'Oliver Twist' to parents at the Square Chapel theatre. Please keep checking our website and blog for a video of this production.

Snapchat / Facebook / Instagram



The above are not suitable for children under the age of 13. Please make sure your children do not have access to these social networking sites.

Texting Service

Mobile phone numbers need to be kept up to date.

If a text is sent e.g. to the whole school and the mobile number we have been given is switched off for more than 3 consecutive days you will not be sent the text and your number will be blocked for all future texts due to Safeguarding issues.

Therefore please ensure the number you give to school is accurate and in regular use.



Have a great weekend

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Coffee Morning News

Karen Beasley from the better living team will come in on October 9th.

A big thank you to our ladies for coming to the coffee mornings, we've had a great year!

Never give your contact number to anyone who you don't know.



Attendance Report

CLASS	% Attendance
3	84.6
4	88
5	84.5
6	90.8
7	96.4
8	97.6
9	97
10	92.5
11	95
12	93.3

13	98.5
14	90
15	96.2
16	96.4
17	96
18	95.9
19	96.7
20	97
21	96.4
Whole school	95.3

Well done to Class 8 KS1 winners with a fantastic 97.6% attendance.

Well done to Class 13 will a brilliant 98.5% attendance.

Please do note that the hot weather can be dangerous and it is important to ensure your child is well hydrated, wears a sun hat if they are outside and sun cream.

Changes to the National expectations for attendance will mean that children with an attendance of below 90% will be considered as persistently absent and can be looked at for statutory intervention. As such I want to try and work closely with families to ensure that attendance is kept high and that children are at school every day wherever possible. If you do have any concerns about your child's attendance please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you

Miss Davison, Attendance Officer

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

1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Meal	Fish Fillet in Batter Tomato Ketchup	Chicken & Sweetcorn in BBQ Sauce	Braised Sausages in Onion Gravy	Chicken & Vegetable Pie	Fish Fingers
	Vegetable & Chick Pea Curry Pitta Bread	Macaroni Cheese - macaroni in cheese sauce and topped with grated cheese	Vegetable Chilli - quorn, vegetables and pulses in a savoury tomato sauce Savoury Rice	Vegetable Moussaka - quorn mince topped with aubergines and a thick cheese sauce	Classic Margarita Pizza Mexican Pizza - red pepper, beans & sweetcorn with sweet chilli sauce
Vegetables	Jacket Wedges Garden Peas Long Grain Rice	Diced Carrots Green Beans New Potatoes	Cauliflower Florets Mixed Vegetables Creamy Mashed Potato	Sweetcorn Kernels Broccoli Florets Penne Pasta	Chipped Potatoes Garden Peas Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce
Sub/ Wrap	Tuna Mayo & Sliced Egg Salad Sub Roll	Sweet Chilli Chicken Salad Sub Roll	Prawn & Lemon Mayonnaise Wrap	Honey Mustard Chicken Salad Sub Roll	Sub Roll Assortment
Served Every day	Baked Jacket Potatoes with a variety of fillings Salad Bar/ Bread Roll Assortment of Sandwiches (Cheddar Cheese, Creamy Tuna, Egg Mayonnaise)				
Dessert	Oaty Plum Crumble & Custard	Apple & Strawberry Sponge & Custard	Bakewell Tart and Custard	Black Forest Sponge with Custard	Rice Pudding and Strawberry Jam
	Fruit Cocktail in Fruit Juice	Peaches in Natural Fruit Juice	Mandarin Oranges in Fruit Juice	Pears in Natural 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

Term Dates 2015-2016

2015 Autumn Term	Re Opens	Wednesday 2 nd September
Eid	Closed	Thursday 24 th September
Eid	Closed	Friday 25 th September
Half Term	Closes	Friday 23 rd October
	Re Opens	Monday 2 nd November
Christmas	Closes	Friday 18 th December
2016 Spring Term	Re Opens	Monday 4 th January
Half Term	Closes	Friday 12 th February
	Re Opens	Monday 22 nd February
Easter	Closes	Thursday 24 th March
2016 Summer Term	Re Opens	Monday 11 th April
May Day	Closes	Monday 2 nd May
Half Term/ Training Week	Closes	Friday 27 th May
	Re Opens	Monday 13 th June
Mid Summer	Closes	Friday 22 nd July

Play Development Service



Summer Play Schemes 2015 for 5-14 year olds

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 2 27 th - 31 st JULY	Beech Hill School 12-4pm	Mixenden Activity Centre 10-2pm Pellon Network Centre Outdoor play session 3-5pm	Queens Road Neighbourhood Centre 12-4pm	Luddenden Youth Centre 10-2pm (Booking on only)	Field Lane Porta Cabin Rastrick 12-4pm Siddal Rec (HX3 9AX) 12-2pm Outdoor Play session
WEEK 3 3 rd - 7 th AUGUST	Beech Hill School 12-4pm	Mixenden Activity Centre 10-2pm Pellon Network Centre Outdoor play session 3-5pm	NATIONAL PLAY DAY 2015 IN THE GROUNDS OF EUREKA! 11-3pm All families are welcome	Luddenden Youth Centre 10-2pm (Booking on only)	Field Lane Porta Cabin Rastrick 12-4pm Heathfield Rec, Elland HX59EN 12-2pm Outdoor Play session
WEEK 4 10 th - 14 th AUGUST	Beech Hill School 12-4pm	Mixenden Activity Centre 10-2pm Pellon Network Centre Outdoor play session 3-5pm	Queens Road Neighbourhood Centre 12-4pm	Luddenden Youth Centre 10-2pm (Booking on only)	Field Lane Porta Cabin Rastrick 12-4pm Cornholme Rec, OL14 7ET 12-2pm Outdoor Play session
WEEK 5 17 th - 21 st AUGUST	Beech Hill School 12-4pm	Mixenden Activity Centre 10-2pm Pellon Network Centre Outdoor play session 3-5pm	Queens Road Neighbourhood Centre 12-4pm	Luddenden Youth Centre 10-2pm (Booking on only)	Football Tournament Beech Hill School 11-3pm All families are welcome as Spectators
WEEK 6 24 th - 28 th AUGUST	Beech Hill School 12-4pm	Mixenden Activity Centre 10-2pm Pellon Network Centre Outdoor play session 3-5pm	Queens Road Neighbourhood Centre 12-4pm	Luddenden Youth Centre 10-2pm (Booking on only)	Field Lane Porta Cabin Rastrick 12-4pm Shroggs Park, HX3 5BX 12-2pm Outdoor Play session

The Play Development Service provides free open access play sessions for children and young people aged between 5-14 years old. The sessions are open access and are offered at various centres, parks and open spaces across Calderdale. We provide a range of activities that are chosen by children and young people; these can sometimes get messy, so please come in clothes that are appropriate for the activities and the weather. We aim for all our activities to be inclusive to all children and young people.

All sessions are available for children & young people with a disability; we do ask children with a disability/special need to book on so we can meet your child's needs.

For further information please call
the Play Development Service on **01422 380995**

You can also visit our website
www.calderdale.gov.uk

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