



BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 14th September 2017

BBC Radio 4

On Wednesday 6th September, a reporter from BBC Radio 4, Andrew Bomford, came into school to work with Miss Brambani and a group of fantastic Year 3 pupils! Sujjel Malik, Zain Amin, Alaiza Akhtar, Yasmeen Dababsa, Khadijah Rahman, Aayan Shahid, Abdul Wasi and Sophie Kompusova were introduced to a very poignant children's story called *Grandma Forgets*, written by Paul Russell and Nicky Johnston. This lovely new book, which is taken from first-hand experience, highlighted how families and children deal with the struggles of Dementia. The children were a credit to the school, offering a fantastic perspective on this very sensitive subject. Well done to all involved!



Listen back on iPlayer:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b0930zpn>

Listen to the programme for around 51 minutes. You will need to sign up for a BBC Account using an email address.

Bikeability

Cycling Proficiency for the 21st century



This week in Year 1 they have had Bikeability in all week. They have all been practising their cycling skills with qualified cycling teachers. The children have been on balance bikes and have taken part in a pedal free course. The children have been amazing and learnt lots of new skills. If you want your child to practise these skills at home then you can apply for a bike loan free of charge! You can lend a bike from school for a period of time. If you would like this great opportunity please ask your child's class teacher. I would like to thank Lou Thompson and the team at Bikeability. Great job!

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Dates for your diary

September

25th-28th Bikeability Year 2

October

2nd-4th Year 5 (Singapore) Residential Trip

3rd-5th Year 5 (Tanzania) Residential Trip

4th-6th Year 5 (Denmark) Residential Trip

24th-26th Bikeability Year 4

27th School Closes For Half Term



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.

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.



www.homestartcalderdale.org.uk

We need your help! Our volunteers, who are parents themselves, support families in the local area by visiting them in their own homes and offering friendly, practical, and confidential support. Can you give 2 hours a week?

FULL TRAINING & REGULAR SUPPORT GIVEN

Our next course is on Wednesday 20th September 2017 at Beechhill Childrens Centre 10-2pm

**For more information call Sanham on 07588134111/
01422 242124**

School Dinners

If your child has paid school dinners please can you pay every Monday for the full week. Or at the beginning of the term for the full term.

Mrs Amin collects dinner money from the school playground entrance at 8.45am.

Staff Car Park

For the safety of our children at school, please do not park in the staff car park unless you have been given permission from Mrs Hussain.

Thank you.

Period: 05/09/2017 to 08/09/2017



Group	% Attend
USA3	95.9
USA4	93.0
USA5	95.2
Fiji	88.6
New Zealand	92.9
Portugal	88.1
Switzerland	84.8
Nigeria	100.0
Canada	95.8
Morocco	92.3
Jordan	93.3
Mexico	100.0
Australia	95.4
South Africa	95.5
France	87.0
Singapore	88.8
Tanzania	95.7
Denmark	96.4
China	88.8
Egypt	94.2
Totals	93.0

I hope you all had a fabulous summer and are settling well into school routines.

May I remind you all that school starts at 8.45 am, promptly. If you arrive late then you must come via the school office and all pupils must sign in on our inventory system. It is extremely important pupils arrive promptly so they do not miss any learning.

If you are planning a family holiday or visit this academic year, please ensure you plan this during the school holidays. Government statistics show clearly any leave of absence during term time has a negative impact on pupils learning and attainment.

What a great start Nigeria and Mexico had last week with 100% attendance, well done to you all! We really want to see more of our class achieve 100% attendance.

If you have any questions or queries then please do not hesitate to contact me on 01422 345004.

Many thanks

Farhat Hussain
Attendance Officer

Kitchen Menu

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Meal Option	Spicy Sausages	Chicken In Gravy	Mince Potato Pie Gravy	Kidney Bean Curry	Wholemeal Pizza
	Fuseli Pasta in rich tomato sauce, topped with mozzarella cheese	Cheese & Onion Pie	Ravioli	Veggie Burgers	Veg Samosa And savoury Rice
Vegetables	Sweet corn / Spaghetti Wedges	Creamed Potatoes Peas/Carrots	Sweetcorn / Mixed Veg New Potatoes	Carrots/Broccoli Roast Potatoes	Beans Chips
Sub/ Wrap	Cheese, Red onion & Mayo Subs	Tuna Subs	Egg mayo subs	Tuna mayo subs	Sub roll assortment
Jacket Potato/Sandwiches – Served every day					
Served Every day	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Biscuits Fruit Salad Yoghurt
Dessert	Rice Pudding Crispy Cake	Bakewell Tart, Custard Chocolate Whip	Chocolate Sponge, Custard Jelly	Gingerbread, Custard Strawberry Whip	Cheese cake Ice Cream



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY



Parents and Carers of children in our Gold Book Assembly are invited to attend tomorrow's assembly. Please arrive on time for assembly starting at 9.10am and leave after the assembly has finished to support all children. Thank you.

Portugal	Ayaan	For his consistent positive attitude to learning, both at school and at home.
New Zealand	Munzir	For exceptional effort in maths lessons.
Fiji	Zakariyya	For beautiful manners.
Nigeria	Hasnanin	For an amazing knowledge of the seven continents.
Canada	Tibor	For impressing us with his understanding of tens and ones in maths.
Switzerland	Anna	For great place value knowledge and excellent drama skills.
Jordan	Safeer	For great lesson participation.
Morocco	Raihan	For being a great role model for his classmates.
Mexico	Christopher	For being an absolute delight to have in class.
	Aayan	For his fabulous English work.
Australia	Lukas	For being incredibly helpful and polite.
South Africa	Samuel	For showing a fantastic attitude to his learning this year.
Singapore	Safa	For growing in confidence this week and being really helpful around the classroom.
Tanzania	Prithik	For an excellent collage in art.
Denmark	Fatima	For working really hard in all of her lessons and completing extra homework!
China	Laiqa	For being an amazing student in every way!
Egypt	Tomas	For simply being amazing.