



# BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 17th January

## Year 6 residential

Year 6 had an amazing time on our residential last week. We took on various challenges including canoeing, rock climbing, zip wire, caving and even a knight's quest! All of the children were incredible ambassadors for the school and made us really proud.

Everyone tried their best on all of the activities and really pushed themselves out of their comfort zone. We are already looking forward to taking the next group of children next year- Year 5, are you ready?



## School Lunches

Can we please ask that all children who have packed lunches have a sensible meal which could include a sandwich, pieces of fruit, vegetables, yoghurts and water. These are not essential but a healthy balanced meal will be great for your child.



## Coffee Morning

Coffee Morning is on as normal Friday 18th January 2019, our healthy coffee morning has been postponed.

## Wonder Dome

Year 5 had a visit from the Wonder Dome this week. The children loved the experience and found out a lot about our amazing Solar System. They even got to see the mission to land on the Moon and saw amazing images of the Earth from space.



## Hand writers of the week!

Year 1— Hasnain Afzal  
Year 5- Zumar Adil  
Year 3—Mustafa Mohammed  
Year 4- Sujjel Malik



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## Need a Dentist?

For urgent dental treatment required over the weekend, evening or during Bank Holidays, please ring the emergency dental service on: **0345 605 9999**.

If you live in Calderdale and would like an NHS dental care appointment, please ring the Dental Care Helpline on 01422 281 576. The phone line is open 24 hours a day or alternatively you can email: [dental.helpline@calderdale-ct.nhs.uk](mailto:dental.helpline@calderdale-ct.nhs.uk)

As part of your child's health and well being regular six monthly checks at the dentist are very beneficial.



## Telephone numbers

Please inform the school office if you are not receiving text messages or if you have recently changed your mobile number.

It is important that you keep your number up to date as you could be missing out on key dates to do with the school. Please make the office staff aware of any changes to your home address and any updated phone numbers.



## Jubilee Centre

A parenting course in Punjabi is being run at the Jubilee Centre. The course provides tips and advice for the most difficult job in the world! Please contact The Jubilee Centre or Mrs Hunter for further details. Their telephone is : 01422 434971

## Kitchen Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Spicy Sausages	Roast Chicken + Gravy	Lasagne With Garlic Bread	Chicken Pie & Gravy	Wholemeal Pizza
Ravioli with cheese	Tomato + Cheese Pasta	Vegi Burger	Cheese Rolls	Fish Cakes
Beans Chips	Carrots / Peas Roast Potatoes	Corn / Broccoli Herbys	Mixed Veg New Potatoes	Spaghetti Spicy Wedges
Cheese & Pickle	Egg Mayo	Cheese Mayo	Tuna Mayo	Sub Roll Assortment
Jacket Potato Sandwiches				
Chocolate Sponge Custard	Rice Pudding	Rainbow Sponge Custard	Apple + Blackberry Custard	Assorted Puddings
Strawberry Whip	Jelly	Crispy Buns	Chocolate Whip	Ice Cream
Fruit Salad Yoghurt Biscuits	Fruit Salad Yoghurt Biscuits	Fruit Salad Yoghurt 10 Biscuits	Fruit Salad Yoghurt Biscuits	Fruit Salad Yoghurt Biscuits

I hope you have all had a great holiday and are ready to learn!

Our school attendance is currently at 96.1%. This means we are achieving the national average. In order to achieve our end of year target we have to maintain this until the end of this academic year. We are working extremely hard as a school, to ensure pupils attend regularly and receive the learning they need to achieve their true potential.

Sadly, there has been an increase in families requesting leave of absence during term time. More often than not the flights have been booked and school has not been consulted or notified. We must point out that taking such leave is at the cost of your child's education and must be avoided at all costs.

In May our year 6 and year 2 pupils will be taking SATS tests and are currently making final preparations. It is important that you support your child in securing a better future by sending them to school every day as this will not hinder their opportunities in the future.

Many Thanks

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Office and Attendance Manager



Poor attendance, I am very concerned.



Below expectations, I am worried.



Above the national average, well done.



Best chance of success, congratulations.