



# BEECH HILL NEWS



Thursday 23rd May

## Reading with young children

The National Literacy Trust have launched a new website called Small Talk .It is designed to provide parents with strategies to help children from birth up to 5 years old improve their language skills at home.

Please visit the website to find activity suggestions, advice and videos to help you chat, play and read with your child whenever and wherever you are!

Visit [smalltalk.org.uk](http://smalltalk.org.uk)



## Dinner Money Reminder

Please come to the main school office to pay any outstanding debt you may have.

We break up on Friday 24th May for **TWO WEEKS** and we will be back on Monday 10th June 2019.

## School photographs

Our school photographs will be taking place on **Monday 10th June 2019 at 9.00am.**

Please can we ask that **ALL** children are in a full Beech Hill school uniform and to be presented smartly for their photos.

If you require any further information please contact the school office on 01422 345004.



## Internet Safety

- Keep personal information safe
- Keep your privacy settings on
- Be careful what you download
- Choose strong passwords
- Be careful who you talk with online



The organisations below are always here to help if you ever feel like you need to speak with someone.

- NSPCC
- Child line
- Think You Know
- Kids Smart



## EID/ SUMMER FAYRE

Here at school we will be holding our annual Eid/ Summer Fayre where we will have various stalls that you can join in activities such as; henna, food decorating and sweet stalls.

Our Candy floss machine will be making some very tasty treats for you!

This years event will take place on Wednesday 12th June 2019 3.15–4.30pm.

We hope everyone can make it and we hope to see you all there.

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## Hand writers of the week!

Sarah Balaghova– Year 2

Rene Horvath– Year 4

Amith Pagadala– Year 5



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INVESTORS IN PUPILS



INVESTORS IN FAMILIES

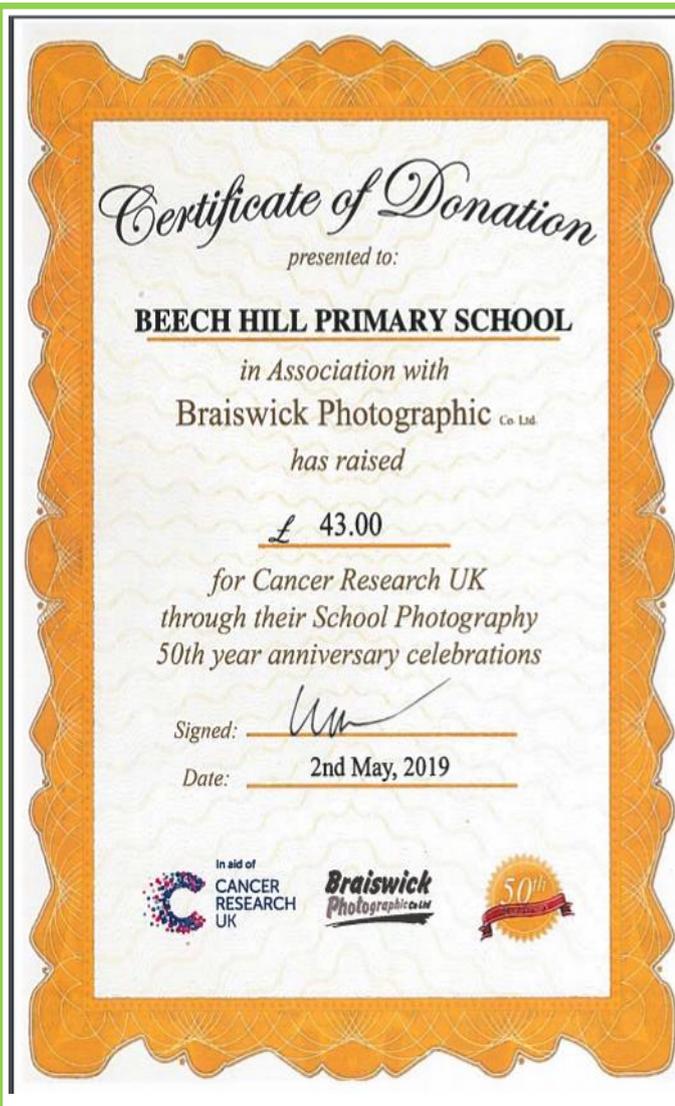
## Child safety in cars

Does your child have or need a car seat? UK law states that children must use a child car seat until they're 12 years old or 135cm/4ft 5in tall, whichever comes first.

However, safety experts recommend that you use a child car seat for all children under 150cm/4ft 11in. For children weighing more than 36kg (5st 10lb) but under 150cm/4ft 11in, the UK's advice is to go by height. On the Gov.uk website states children aged 12 or 13 years old, or younger and over 135cm tall can wear a seat belt.

Police are able to administer an on-the-spot fine which could be as much as £500 if the case is referred to court.

Please remember the driver of the vehicle is responsible for ensuring all passengers are safely strapped in. Always check.



## Kitchen Menu:

1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Meal Option	Burger in a bun 4.5.10.12	Sausages 5.8	Chicken pie, gravy 5.10	Spinach Ricotta Pasta & Cheese 5.10.12	Battered Fish 2.3.5
	Quorn bolognaise 4.5.10.12	Ravioli/ cheese 5.10	Fish fingers 2.5	Veg hot pot with sliced potato topping	Macaroni Cheese 5.10
Vegetables	Spaghetti and corn Spicy wedges 5	Carrots/ Peas New potatoes	Corn/ carrots Herbies 5	Mixed veg and cauliflower Roast Potatoes 5	Beans, mushy peas Chips
Sub/ Wrap	Cheese and red onion mayo subs 5.10	Egg Mayo sub 3.5.10.12	Chicken tikka wraps 3.5.10	Tuna Mayo 5.10	Sub roll assortment 2.3.4.5.10.12
Served Every day	Jacket Potato Sandwiches				
Dessert	Lemon sponge and custard 5.10.12	Parkin 5.12	Chocolate sponger and custard 5.10.12	Apple Flapjack and custard 5.10	Assorted Cold puddings 5.10.12
	Cheese and crackers 5.10	Strawberry whip 4.5.10.12	Jelly	Chocolate whip 4.5.10.12	Ice cream 10
	Fruit Salad Yoghurt 10 Biscuits 4,5,10,12	Fruit Salad Yoghurt 10 Biscuits 4,5,10,12			

## Sports news!



On Wednesday 15th May, two teams consisting of Year 3 and Year 4 children competed in the annual Halifax Cluster Mini Red Tennis Tournament which was held at North Bridge Leisure Centre. Both teams did extremely well playing some fantastic tennis throughout the tournament.

One team finished in a brilliant 2nd place whilst our other team finished in pole position. They will now go on to compete in the Calderdale Tournament. Well done to all our players.



## FREE FAMILY LEARNING WORKSHOP

On Tuesday afternoon, parents and children took part in a free Family Learning workshop.

We planted seeds, seedlings and bulbs and learned how to take care of them.

We had children from all through the school from Year 6 to 2 year olds! It was a wonderful afternoon, many thanks to those who attended.

The next workshop will be around using K'nex. Look out for details on Seesaw after half term.

## Dates for your diary



Monday 10th June- Phonics check week.

Monday 10th June- End of year photographs.

Wednesday 12th June- Summer Fayre.

Tuesday 18th June- Jordan and Mexico class to Nell Bank.

Friday 21st- Book of the year awards.



## Attendance

Group	% Attend
USA3	84.1
USA4	94.6
USA5	97.7
New Zealand	90.9
Fiji	96.0
Portugal	99.1
Switzerland	100.0
Nigeria	99.0
Jordan	98.8
Morocco	90.4
Mexico	95.8
Australia	94.5
South Africa	92.6
Canada	94.8
Denmark	94.8
France	95.8
Singapore	90.0
China	99.7
Egypt	95.2
Tanzania	90.3

Well done to Switzerland class for achieving the best attendance through school 100%. I hope you enjoyed your treat.

If we are to achieve our end of year target we need to ensure all children attend regularly. This will not only improve attendance but will give your child/children the best chance of success with their learning.

Thank you for your continued support

- Poor attendance, I am very concerned.
- Below expectations, I am worried.
- Above the national average, well done.
- Best chance of success, congratulations.