

Beeston Primary School Newsletter

26th January 2018

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Congratulations

This week in school we are pleased to announce that the following children will receive the following awards:-

Stars Class Learning Heroes awards:-

- Lenny - Tough Tortoise - working hard on his writing learning to add ed to past tense words
- Harrison - Wise Owl - for settling in so well and for sharing his knowledge and understanding across all areas of the curriculum
- Rory - Tough Tortoise - working hard and showing good focus with his writing

Planets Class Learning Heroes awards:-

- Ava - Sensible Squirrel - She has shown improvements in her writing recently, using word banks for ideas and planning her sentences before she writes them.
- Alfie - Tough Tortoise - for trying hard in spellings this week.

Comets Class Learning Heroes awards:-

- Joe V and Jay - Both Tough Tortoises after perseverance and diligence in learning and testing times.

Team Points Congratulations

House points are awarded throughout the school day for great learning, positive attitudes and kind deeds.

Tommy and Seren have been awarded their silver badge today for earning 50 house points, well done.

Golden Mile

Well done to all the children who have been participating in the Golden Mile. The classes have clocked up the following miles:-

Stars Class EYFS/KS1 - 51.35 miles

Key Stage 2 (Planets and Comets Class) 93.89 miles

Birthdays

There are no birthdays to celebrate this week.

Attendance

The attendance for the week ending 26/1/18 is: 95.93%

Since 1st September our overall school attendance so far is: 95.92%

House Points

1st Wells - 206

2nd Cromer - 138

3rd Holkham - 131

General School Information

Reminder - School learning

Please can you ensure that your child is in school on time, as registration is at 8.45am and lessons start promptly at 8.55am. Thank you for your cooperation.

Jewellery

Please can you ensure your child does not wear any jewellery to school, other than small stud earrings and a watch. Thank you for your cooperation.

Homework - Topic Homework is shared in class as part of our topic curriculum. As children show and discuss their homework with their peers there are no comments in books, other than in Stars Class - gold stars and both Key Stage 2 Classes use the stampers which are used in the classroom.

Beeston App

If you are having issues viewing documents on the Beeston App, please inform the school office so that we can investigate why this is the case. Please state the type of device you are trying to view the App with, many thanks.

Diary Dates - Spring term

Please check the end of this letter for the diary dates as all classes have family learning session or SOLA assemblies planned before half term. We would love you to join us.

Swimming Gala KS2 Children

Parents/Carers of the invited children attending the WNDSSP swimming Gala on Monday 29th January at Dereham Leisure Centre 1.30-3pm are most welcome to come and watch. The Leisure Centre has a viewing area specifically for the Pool and this will give parents a great view.

School trips

Each class has a trip planned this term, letters will follow from class teachers regarding the trips (Stars and Planets will be this half term and Comets trip is in March). Trips are linked to the learning in our curriculum

Sports Clubs - After School

As not all spaces have been taken up with the clubs we are now offering some of them to other year groups

Day of week	Age	
Monday	Year 2 upwards	Zumba
Tuesday	Comets and Planets only	Team building/multi-skills
Wednesday	All Year groups	Speed Stacking

Monday 22.1.18 - E-safety talk

Thank you to all who attended the e-safety talk for parents on Monday 22nd January lead by Scott Lyons about how to help to keep your children safe online. A copy of the presentation has been uploaded to our school website, please see under newsletters or the following link:-

<http://beestonprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/ESafety-Parents-pdf.pdf>

Once a week take a peek

Thank you for supporting our weekly head lice check.

Clubs- daily (Monday to Friday) early morning and after school club

Early morning club is running daily from 8am and After school club is running daily from 3-4.30pm.

Please inform the school office if you would like to book a place. Bookings on the day are taken, please take your child in and register them if you need this service on the day, thank you.

The club contact number is: 07543 713211 if you have any issues that day.

Friday Open mornings - all parents/carers are welcome every Friday

Don't forget we continue to give all parents/carers the opportunity to come into the classroom every Friday between 8.35-8.55am so that your child can share their learning, or show you items on display/objects in the classroom.

School Concerns

If you have a concern about your child please make an appointment in the first instance to see the class teacher to discuss this. If after this you still have concerns please make an appointment to see Mrs Norris on a Monday, Wednesday or Friday. Many thanks.

Diary Dates - First Half Spring term

Friday 2nd February - Stars Class Story Cafe 9-10am

Friday 2nd February - Starts Class trip to Bircham - National Construction College (pm)

Monday 5th February - Planets Class Family Learning 1.30-2.30pm

Monday 5th February - Planets Class SOLA 2.30pm

Thursday 8th February - Planets Class trip to Pizza Express and Kings Lynn Library (am)

Friday 9th February - Comets Class Family Learning 2-3pm

Key Stage Assessment Dates

Key Stage 1 - May 2018 (during the month of)

Year 1 Phonics - week commencing 11th June 2018

Key Stage 2 - Monday 14th May - Thursday 17th May

School Holidays - <https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools/term-dates/term-dates-and-school-holidays>

