

# Beeston Primary School Newsletter

## 23rd February 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:-*

- Amelia - Wise Owl - for working hard on her writing and self-correcting.
- Rory - Wise Owl - for putting lots of thought into his writing and topic work.
- Holly - Tough Tortoise - for her work on place value.
- Louie - Tough Tortoise - for working hard on topic work this week.
- Harry - Tough Tortoise - putting lots of effort into his writing.
- Harry and Rose - Team Ant - for working well together in maths.

Certificates also for Alex, Ben, Janey and Emma for putting in extra effort with their writing.

#### *Planets Class Learning Heroes awards:-*

- Lucas - Tough Tortoise - for persevering with perimeter.
- Oliver - Sensible Squirrel - for making great contributions in maths, using the working wall to support his reasoning of perimeter.

#### *Comets Class Learning Heroes awards:-*

- Thomas - Wise Owl - fantastic 500 word story, editing and redrafting skills. Advanced maths targets achieved.
- Alex - Tough Tortoise - Great attitude towards new class, new teacher and new learning.
- Lexi - Tough Tortoise - consistently making improvements in maths.
- Dylan - Sensible squirrel - Trying hard to achieve his targets in Maths and English. Using resources available.

### **Team Points Congratulations**

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

Oliver has been awarded his bronze badge today for earning 25 house points since joining us in January, well done.

Archie and Rose have been awarded their silver badge today for earning 50 house points, well done the Wiseman family!

### **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 - 64 miles

Key Stage 2 (Planets and Comets Class) -106.48 miles

Congratulations to Thomas JG who has achieved his ten mile award, the second person in the school.

## **Birthdays**

We have no birthdays to celebrate this week.

## **Attendance**

The attendance for the week ending 23/2/18 is: 92.41 %

Since 1st September our overall school attendance so far is: 95.6%

## **House Points**

1st - Cromer - 124

2nd - Wells - 99

3rd - Holkham - 91

## **General School Information**

### **Mrs Fox**

Mrs Fox has broken her wrist and will not be in school until at the very earliest the end of March. Mrs Norris will be covering her teaching commitment in the meantime.

### **Late entry to school**

Thank you for your assistance with late entries into school we have more children arriving on time and ready to join in the learning at the start of the day.

Please can we ask that your child is in school on time, as registration is at 8.45am and lessons start promptly at 8.55am. If they are late for the start, they miss out on the start of the lesson input. Thank you for your ongoing support.

### **Monday 26th February - Comets Class SOLA**

Parents/Carers of children in Comets Class, please come and join the Comets Class Sharing our learning assembly on Monday 26th February at 2.30pm. This will last for 30 minutes and finish at the end of the school day.

### **World Book Day - Friday 2nd March 2018**

We will be celebrating this on Friday 2nd March. There is no requirement to dress up as a book character, but if your child would like to dress up as a character from a book and bring the book into school to share this would be great. There is no collection for this event, it is an opportunity to share our favourite books and have fun! Please do not feel obliged to buy ready made costumes or join in if your child does not want to.

### **Parents/Carers Meeting - Monday 12th March**

Please contact the school office to book your appointment, either in person first thing or at the end of the day, via email: [office@beeston.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:office@beeston.norfolk.sch.uk) or phone: 01328 701267. Miss Clarke is coordinating the appointments and will endeavour to book a suitable one for you.

## Key Dates

Please see the end of the letter for the upcoming activities this half term.

## Fundraising

We have signed up to TerraCycle programme - Air and Home Recycling, thank you to Mrs Steward for this suggestion. This programme can earn the school money for recycled items listed below. We have also included a poster as a reminder for your kitchen. Please drop off items to school house, thank you.

### **Air and Home Care Recycling Programme accepted waste:**

- All brands and sizes of plastic bottle caps and plastic trigger heads (used for air care and home cleaning products such as kitchen /bathroom cleaner sprays).
- All brands and sizes of flexible wipe packaging (used for home cleaning products)
- All brands and sizes of pumps and caps for home cleaning products.
- All brands and sizes of plastic air freshener packaging (please remove any cardboard (usually the back) or other recyclable components and recycle these with your household collections).
- All brands and sizes of plastic air fresheners and air freshener cartridges. This programme does not collect glass cartridges, as these can be recycled through your standard household recycling.

### **Waste that is NOT accepted**

As with most TerraCycle programmes this programme covers a particular category - in this instance the programme recycles only air care related products.

To be clear, this programme is not intended to recycle the following:

- Fabric care / detergent product caps or home cleaning tools.
- Toilet cleaner or bleach product caps.
- Window cleaner or furniture polish product caps
- Glass air fresheners and air freshener cartridges (these can be recycled with your standard household recycling.)
- Flexible wipe packaging for non-home cleaning products (i.e. baby wipes packaging, face wipes packaging).
- Pest control spray product caps (i.e. fly / bug spray)
- Air and Home Care related aerosols and plastic bottles / containers (these can be

recycled with your standard household recycling)

## **Visits/Visitors**

Comets Class permission letter has gone home about the Letton Hall visit for the Crucial Crew workshop on Monday 5th March, please return your permission slips as soon as possible.

## **Beeston App**

Are you finding this a useful addition for information? Or finding it won't work on your device? Please let us know.

The log in details are as follows:-

username: beeston

password: parent

## **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.

## **Key Dates**

Monday 5th March - Crucial Crew visit for Comets Class - an interactive safety initiative

Friday 9th March - Nationwide Building Society visit Stars Class

Friday 9th March - Mothering Sunday assembly 2.30pm - all parents/carers invited

Monday 12th March - Parents evening

Wednesday 14th March - Author visit - James Campbell

Monday 19th March - Norfolk Youth Arts Roadshow Comets Class 1-3pm

Friday 23rd March - Annual mobile library visit & librarian to talk to classes

Friday 23rd March - Mad Hair Day - support Break Charity (GoGoHares link)

Monday 26th - Wednesday 28th March - GoGoHares themed days

Monday 26th March - Comets Class SOLA 2.30pm

Tuesday 27th March - Stars Class SOLA 2.15pm

Wednesday 28th March - last day of term



