

Beeston Primary School Newsletter

9th 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:-

- Emma - Wise Owl - for working hard across all areas of the curriculum
- Janey - Wise Owl - for working hard in science and being able to use scientific language
- Alice - Tough Tortoise - for showing a good understanding in our maths lessons
- Grace - Tough Tortoise - for some amazing reading and writing this half term. Well done, Grace!

Planets Class Learning Heroes awards:-

- Whole of Planets - Team Ant - For being fantastic yesterday in King's Lynn. We were told both by the Library and Pizza Express that they Planets Class are a credit to the school.
- Tegan - Wise Owl - For making excellent contributions during our 'Share our Learning Assembly'. Tegan shared her story, demonstrated division and shared her well presented topic work.

Comets Class Learning Heroes awards:-

- Dakota - Tough Tortoise - focus and hard work in maths lessons.
- Maisy - Tough Tortoise - Amazing maths - doing Y6 work!
- Billy - Sensible Squirrel - making good use of resources available.

Team Points Congratulations

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

Joe T, April and Lucy have been awarded their silver badge today for earning 50 house points, well done.

Congratulations to Thomas JG for achieving his gold badge, the first person to achieve 75 points.

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 - 63.03 miles

Key Stage 2 (Planets and Comets Class) - 101.73

Birthdays

Congratulations go to Jessia and Huxley who celebrated this week and Louie and Seren who celebrate in the holidays.

Attendance

The attendance for the week ending 9/2/18 is: 94.92%

Since 1st September our overall school attendance so far is: 94.21%

Half Term

School closes today Friday and reopens at 8.35am on Monday 19th February.

House Points

1st - Wells

2nd - Holkham

3rd - Cromer

General School Information

Half term

School closes today and reopens after the half term holiday on Monday 19th February at 8.35am.

Late entry to school

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 support.

Visits/Visitors

A big thank you to all our visitors in school (Edwards & Blake, Dr Clare) and to Mrs Denny for planning some super visits to Pizza Express and King's Lynn library.

Stars Class trip to the National Construction College

We went on the coach to CITB. The crane is 30 metres high! The simulator crane is hard to use. By Alex

We went on a simulator. We coloured a picture in. We saw some real machinery. It was fun.

When we went on the simulator, my tummy felt funny. By Holly

My favourite was the simulator and going in the vehicles. By Harry

I like the machines because they were very shiny and I got to go in a digger! By Rory.

A big thank you to Rory's mum and Ben's dad for coming with us and for Jessica's mum for suggesting the trip. It was fun!

Maths of the day

Welcome to our new school resource, Maths of the Day - this is a way to combine maths learning with active lessons. Classes will be using this in class for their learning and each week we will have a different home taster in the newsletter for you try at home.

Maths of the day Activity: Cash Dash!

Things you will need: coins and outdoors is best.

Activity

1. Set up the tub of money some distance away from you and your starting point.
2. Run to the money, take a coin and bring it back. Go twice more so you have 3 coins in all.
3. Add the three coins up and write down the total.
4. Continue until all the coins have been collected and added.

You can challenge yourself

Beeston App

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

Sports Clubs - Running after half term, there are still spaces!

As not all spaces have been taken up with the clubs we are now offering some of them to other year groups. These continue after half term for a one off fee of £6 per club for the half term.

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

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 26th February - Comets Class SOLA

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

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 - Mad Hair Day - support Break Charity (GoGoHares link)

Monday 26th March - Comets Class SOLA 2.30pm

Tuesday 27th March - Stars Class SOLA 2.15pm

Wednesday 28th March - last day of term

