

# Beeches

# Green Pages

Issue 1

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## Welcome Back!

Welcome back to Beeches Junior School for another exciting year of fun and friendship and learning! We have been so impressed by the way that our children have settled down to work this week and have launched into their new topics. Our Year 3 children have largely taken to the junior school like ducks to water but we know that there are still some children feeling a bit anxious about things. Our team is working with them and will work with you to make sure everyone feels comfortable here. We have really enjoyed hearing from the children about their summer adventures and we hope you all had a lovely break.

## Happy Birthday To Us!

This year, Beeches Junior School turned 90 years old! We have had a special day today doing some geography, history and art work looking at what school life and the local community might have looked like 90 years ago. And of course, you can't celebrate a birthday without having a party!

## Board Games

Our lunchtime team is asking for donations of board games and Lego. If you have any unwanted items, we would be very grateful to receive them. Please note that all items must be age-appropriate and in good condition and any board games must have all their parts. Please bring any items to the school office. Thank you in advance.

## External Courses

On the next page, you will find fliers for two courses/support groups that you can access free of charge, being run by some of our partner agencies.

## End of Day Arrangements

We have had some feedback this week about congestion at the end of the school day, and some of our younger children having difficulty getting through the crowd to get to their grown-ups. It is always a bit more tricky at the start of the year because it takes longer to dismiss the Year 3 and 4 children as we get to know which child goes with which person. We expect there will be some improvement as we go along. However, **we are asking for your help with this:** Please wait on the playground and keep the steps in the corner of the playground clear. If you aren't at at the front of the playground with clear sight of your child's classroom, please just stand back and as we dismiss the children, space will become available. Thank you for your co-operation.

## Coffee Morning

The infant school are inviting parents and carers from both schools to attend a coffee morning on Friday 26th September. There will be special guests from the NHS, Family Action, Family Hubs and Spurgeons. Mrs Liddington, our Pastoral Manager, will also attend, along with Mrs Frances and Miss Furnivall from the infant school.

This gives you the perfect opportunity to ask for advice and seek support. Family Hubs bring together a range of organisations and professionals to offer early help services, advice, guidance, and support.

Areas they can support with and answer questions regarding are finances, charities, local groups, mental health, SEND, housing, community support, health and wellbeing and much more. Younger children are welcome - there will be toys and colouring available.

There is no need to book - you can just turn up at 9am at the infant school.

## Absence Reporting

We are grateful that lots of people have been letting us know if their child is unexpectedly absent. However, please note that the way to do this is to **press option 1 when you phone us and leave a message**. Please do not go through to the office - it is always very busy in the office first thing in the morning. Thank you.

## Meet The Teacher/Stay and Read

We have opportunities coming up for you to get involved in school life - see the Diary Dates section for more information. Starting next Tuesday, we have "Meet the Teacher" sessions running for each year group. These sessions will run for about half an hour and they are an opportunity for you to hear from our teachers about what the children will be doing and how you can help.

"Stay and Read" is a chance for you to come in with your child at the start of the day and stay for about 20 minutes to read a book with them. We hope you can make it!

## Diary Dates

Tue 9 Sep, 9am	Year 5 "Meet the Teacher" meeting
Wed 10 Sep, 9am	Year 3 "Meet the Teacher" meeting
Thu 11 Sep, 9am	Year 6 "Meet the Teacher" meeting
Tue 16 Sep, 9am	Year 4 "Meet the Teacher" meeting
Tue 23 Sep, 9am	5L Stay and Read
Wed 24 Sep, 9am	5W Stay and Read
Thu 25 Sep, 9am	5C Stay and Read
Tue 30 Sep, 9am	4F Stay and Read
Wed 1 Oct, 9am	4S Stay and Read
Thu 2 Oct, 9am	4A Stay and Read
Tue 7 Oct, 9am	3L Stay and Read
Wed 8 Oct, 9am	3KP Stay and Read
Thu 9 Oct, 9am	3SP Stay and Read
Thu 16 Oct	Year 3 Stone Age to Iron Age workshop
Fri 17 Oct	Diwali celebrations
Wed 22 - Fri 24 Oct	Year 6 visit to Culmington Manor
Fri 24 Oct	Break up for half term

## Team Points

Team Points will return next week.

## Beeches Brilliant Readers

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## Pupil of the Week

3KP: Owais	4A: Kamelle	5C: Alayah	6M: Amari
3L: Ethan	4F: Zackariyah	5L: Awais	6P: Reice
3SP: Keyaan	4S: Jai	5W: Jacob	6S: Neha

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**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September**

**Contact: [Michelleh@autismwestmidlands.org.uk](mailto:Michelleh@autismwestmidlands.org.uk)  
07512 307002**

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September**

**Contact: [Darreng@autismwestmidlands.org.uk](mailto:Darreng@autismwestmidlands.org.uk)  
07955 278598**

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> , Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> and Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September**

**Contact: [Manolab@autismwestmidlands.org.uk](mailto:Manolab@autismwestmidlands.org.uk)  
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**Mondays  
7- 8.30 pm**

**starting  
Monday  
15<sup>th</sup> September**



**Wednesdays  
10- 11.30am**

**starting  
Wednesday  
17<sup>th</sup> September**



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