

Beech Green Primary School

"Believe Grow Persevere Succeed"

Newsletter for Wednesday 27th June 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

At this point in the term almost everyone that has anything to do with school is heard saying, 'it's only three and a half weeks left', this is often expressed with concern about the lack of weeks compared to the amount of work left to do. To help staff and families I have included a list of all the events coming up; please do tell us if you have not received information about any of these activities.

- Friday 29th June – Year 6 Enterprise
- Wednesday 4th July – transition afternoon for all classes and Year 6 visits to secondary school
- Wednesday 4th July - meet the new teacher evening 3.30, 4.15 or 5.00 p.m. in your child's new classroom. There is no need to book, just turn up! Please ask if you aren't sure where to go.
- Tuesday 10th July – EYFS Sports
- Wednesday 11th July – Year 6 performance at 6.00 p.m.
- Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th – J6 meeting for parents
- Wednesday 18th 2:45pm and Thursday 19th 9.00 a.m. open classrooms
- Friday 20th End of Summer term – please note there is no balloon race this year.

As carers and parents, you might welcome ideas about holiday activities, links below.

www.thecityofgloucester.co.uk/whats-on/aethelflaed-warrior-queen-exhibition-p2507043

www.thecityofgloucester.co.uk/whats-on/gloucester-carnival-2018-p2165823

www.canalrivertrust.org.uk/places-to-visit/gloucester-docks

www.thecityofgloucester.co.uk/whats-on/fireworks-spectacular-p1979493

Don't forget we have a school holiday club...

Summer Holiday Club

If you would like a place for your child in the Summer Holiday Club, please collect a form from our Breakfast/After School Club or download one from our website www.beechgreennursery.co.uk Places are offered on a first come, first serve basis. The closing date for applications is Friday 6th July 2018. Payment must be sent in with your application form.

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Gloucester Schools Science Festival



On Tuesday a group of children from year 4 represented our school at the Gloucester Schools' Science Festival, held at Denmark Road High School. The children had great fun carrying out lots of different science investigations prepared by other schools for them to try. They had a great time making new discoveries and doing lots of thinking. They also had to spend some of their time running a stall with the Beech Green investigation and explaining what to do to complete the investigation to children from other schools. We were very impressed with how well they interacted with other children so they knew exactly what to do – great communication skills! The children were all fantastic and represented the school brilliantly.

Photo Proofs Coming Home Today

The Y6 leavers, class and team photo proofs are coming home today and all orders need to be back in the school office by next Tuesday 3rd July please (with either the correct money or cheque made payable to 'Kittle Photographic Ltd' enclosed with the order – no change can be given). On Tuesday the orders will be collected from school for processing. Your photographs will be back to school well before the end of term.

YEAR 6 – PLEASE NOTE – your pack contains 2 whole year group poses. One formal and the other a bit of fun – you will see there are 2 order forms, so please make sure you choose the correct one!

Vacancy for a cleaner from September

We will have a vacancy for a cleaner for 6 hours per week, worked between 3:30 and 5:30 on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday with occasional cover work on other days from September. If you would like more details or would like to apply for the job, please see Carole Phillips in the office. Beech Green school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people, and expects all staff, and volunteers, to share the same commitment. This position is subject to an enhanced DBS check.

School Dinner Money and Debts that Need Clearing

- **Please remember with 3 weeks of term left it's essential to have funds available on ParentPay before requesting a dinner.**
- Children will need to bring a packed lunch if you do not have funds on ParentPay.

Contributions for Trips and Class Events on ParentPay

- Thank you to all the parents/carers who do support school by paying for trips for your children. We need everyone to support activities for them to be viable, so please do come and speak to us if there is a good financial reason why you cannot pay.

Aladdin Panto Proposed Trip

- Everyone was clear they wished us to continue with this annual favourite but sadly, despite all our efforts, the take up is still not enough to be viable. We sent home a letter and ParentMail last Wednesday appealing for your support with our annual favourite whole school outing and next week we make the decision whether we can go ahead or will need to cancel due to lack of support. We hope we can all go, so please do pay this week on ParentPay, or come to the office if this causes you financial difficulty. Thank you.

Y2 Cross Country Taster

On Friday 29th June at 8.10 a.m., Mr Higgs will be running a cross country session for Y2 children in preparation for next year. All of Y2 are invited to get to school early and assemble outside the school hall. Children would need to be ready to run in their shorts and trainers with their school clothes to change into afterwards. This is not compulsory but Mr Higgs would love to see as many children as want to come.

Uniform for September

We currently have **uniform** stock of most items and have attached an order form which needs to be completed and returned with payment by the **last day for ordering**, which is **Friday 13th July**. Any items not in stock will then be ordered with our supplier and be available for September.

Year 6 Enterprise Summer Fayre – Reminder – It's this Friday!

Friday afternoon, during school time, year 6 will be hosting a Summer Fayre in the Hall. All children are invited to attend the Fayre where there will be a number of stalls selling produce or offering games to take part in. Example of stalls include a penalty shootout game, ice cream, lucky dip and popcorn – look out for posters advertising each stall.

Children can bring in up to £1 (in a named envelope) ideally in 20p coins, as each stall will charge either 20p, 40p or 60p.

Please note that this is not a charity event: the children in year 6 have been learning about business management, budgeting (overheads, turnover, profits) and marketing.

Young Football Talent

This week we are proud to be able to share some football talent...

Lewis Chisholm and Harry Anderson, in J6, recently had football trials where they were competing against 60+ children. They have both successfully been selected to represent Gloucester City Youth Development football team to play in the Junior Premier League from September 2018. Very well done boys for getting through and enjoy playing in your new league.

Winston's Wish – Meet Us Face To Face

Drop-In Sessions – giving young people and their family's space to explore ways of managing grief when someone important has died.

Third Wednesday of every month – 3-5 p.m. at The Lawns Nursing Home, Day Centre, 346 Bristol Road, Quedgeley, Gloucester. GL2 4QW

Helpline 08088 020 021 www.winstonswish.org/drop-in



Found Glasses

Has your child lost a pair of glasses? These stylish black glasses have been in the school office for a few days now. If you recognise them then please call in to claim them.

Stroud Festival

Saturday 7 and Sunday 8 July: Stroud Children's Festival in association with the Festival of Nature – a wonderful weekend of fun for children and families! www.stroudfestival.org

<i>Did you get your post this week?</i>	
Reception and KS1	KS2
ParentMail: Foundation Sports and Snack letter	ParentMail: KS2 Wake & Shake now Tuesdays
ParentMail and Letter: Panto Aladdin appeal to pay or cancel	ParentMail and Letter: Panto Aladdin appeal to pay or cancel
ParentMail: Y2 Cross Country Taster	ParentMail: J6 Reports
ParentMail: Whole School Sports Day Reminder	ParentMail: Whole School Sports Day Reminder
ParentMail: Y6 Summer Fayre in school time	ParentMail: Y6 Summer Fayre in school time

Contact school - admin@beechgreen.gloucs.sch.uk

Website – www.beechgreenprimary.co.uk

BEECH GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL - Uniform Order Form

Child's Name: (PRINT)

Class:

Beech Green SWEATSHIRT with logo:

Size	Unit price £	Quantity	Total price £
24"	9.00		
26"	9.00		
28"	9.00		
30"/32"	9.00		
34"	9.00		
Small adult	9.00		

Beech Green COSY CARDI with logo: (sweatshirt fabric)

Size	Unit price £	Quantity	Total price £
24"	10.50		
26"	10.50		
28"	10.50		
30"/32"	10.50		
34"	10.50		
Small adult 34/36"	10.50		

Beech Green KNITWEAR CARDIGAN with logo:

Size	Unit price £	Quantity	Total price £
24"	12.50		
26"	12.50		
28"	12.50		
30"	13.50		
32"	13.50		
34"	13.50		
36"	14.50		

Beech Green POLO SHIRT with logo:

Size	Unit price £	Quantity	Total price £
24"	7.25		
26"	7.25		
28"	7.25		
30"/32"	7.25		
34"	7.25		
Small adult	7.25		

Beech Green FLEECE with logo:

Size	Unit price £	Quantity	Total price £
24" (3-4 yrs)	12.50		
26" (5-6 yrs)	12.50		
28" (7-8 yrs)	12.50		
30"/32" (9-11 yrs)	12.50		
34" (12-13 yrs)	12.50		
Extra Small adult	12.50		
Small adult	16.50		

Beech Green P.E. BAGS with logo:

Colour	Unit price £	Quantity	Total price £
Royal blue	4.00		
Red	4.00		
Yellow	4.00		
Emerald Green	4.00		
Purple	4.00		

Beech Green P.E. KIT:

Garment	Unit price £	Quantity and size	Total price £
PE Shorts Boys style - Waist 18-20" or 22-24" or 26-28" or 30-32"	5.50		
PE Shorts Girls style - Waist 20-22" or 24/26" or 28/30" or 32/34"	6.50		
PE White T-Shirt 24"/26"/28"/30"/32"/XS/S	5.50		

Cheques to be made payable to 'Beech Green Primary School'

TOTAL VALUE £