

Have courage; be kind; shine!



Hello

We have had another busy couple of weeks in school.

Teachers have loved meeting with parents face to face and have been excited to talk about learning and to share all the things they value about individual children.

We are making a few requests for your help. Please see below for ways you may be able to help us embed our new values and support our fabulous Early Years team. Please see the bottom of this newsletter for a way you may be able to help FOBS by recycling aluminium cans, as well as a couple of exciting opportunities for children during the Easter holiday.

New School Values

Have courage; be kind; shine!

Mrs Burt, who is in charge of our Heartsmart programme (amongst many other things!), has had some new stickers made so that teachers can provide instant recognition of children who are demonstrating our values.

We are also always pleased to hear about children showing courage or kindness or "shining" (showing aspiration or creativity) out of school.

Please do let us know if you notice your own child, or one of the other children, demonstrating school values, as this feedback will really help us to embed our new approach.

As you know, we encourage our children to have dreams about things they would like to do or be when they are older. Children can have many dreams and the dreams can change. The key thing is for our children to feel that they have lots of opportunities and that anything is possible if they work hard.

If you have a job, a hobby, or an interest you would be happy to talk to our children about, we would love to hear from you.



Staffing Update

We wanted to share some lovely news. Mrs Berg, who supports children in Years 3 and 4 and who started her maternity leave at half term, has given birth to a beautiful baby girl called Halle Rose.

Halle has three fantastic big brothers to help look after her. Huge congratulations to Ally, Gareth and the boys!

We are also very excited to let you know that Mrs Stevens, who gave birth to the gorgeous

Noah ten months ago, is returning after Easter. Amy will re-join the Key Stage 1 team, teaching two days a week in Years 1 and 2. Amy has been visiting us this term and working closely with Mrs Doman and the rest of the team, to get to know the children and to help her to feel up to date with all the developments there have been in school since she left. We are delighted to have her back!



Parent's Evening

Parents' Evenings

Thank you to everyone who attended one of our recent parents' evenings or who is signed up to meet with their child's teacher next Wednesday. The teachers really value having the opportunity to talk to you and to share what you are noticing about your child, as well as discussing what we notice in school.

As you may be aware, there will be an annual report on your child's progress towards the end of next term, after which, if you have any questions, you will be very welcome to arrange another meeting with your child's teacher.

In the meantime, just a reminder to please keep talking to us, and never to wait for a parents' evening if you have particular questions or concerns. We also always appreciate hearing about your child's successes at home.

You can usually catch your child's teacher for a quick word after school, or to arrange a longer meeting if you need one. You can also phone or email Lisa in the school office to pass on any message. 01590 612255

schooloffice@beaulieu.hants.sch.uk



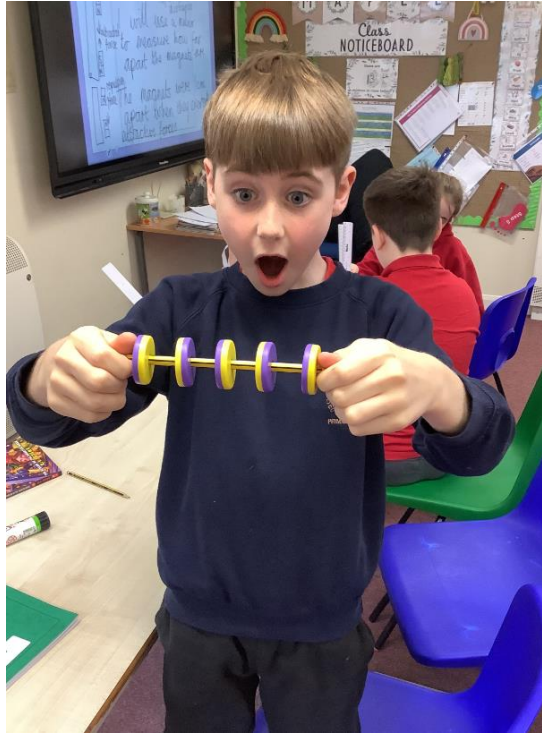
Beaulieu Village Coronation Tea Party

A reminder that all Beaulieu village Primary School children and their families are warmly invited to the Village Tea Party on **Monday the 8th of May**. This is an exciting opportunity for our children to create a unique memory of being part of the Beaulieu Village community at a historic time!

Plans may change a little, but I wanted to share the latest information I have with you:

- The High Street will be closed to traffic from 3.00 pm
- The children (and their families), along with older members of the community, are invited to have tea together, possibly in the area in front of the school
- The dress code is "Dress fancy, or Fancy Dress"
- Lord and Lady Montagu will arrive at 4.00 pm in a special car to judge the children's fancy dress competition and to award prizes in front of the school (please dress as a king or a queen if you would like to take part!)
- The cake competition will then be judged and prizes awarded in the Village Hall
- Outdoor entertainment will include live music, a coconut shy, a carousel and a story teller
- Tea will consist of a BBQ with burgers and sausages, plus plenty of cake, tea and soft drinks (all members of the community planning to attend will be issued with free food vouchers)
- Parking will be available on the Church meadow and the cricket field for everyone, or in the village hall carpark for blue badge holders only
- The organisers would love as many entries as possible to the cake competition nearer the time!
- Before the day, we will be making table decorations for the party and special banners for the Abbey Church (details to follow)

If you are able to come along, please phone or email Lisa in the school office, and she will ensure your family is on the list to be allocated a free food voucher!



Curiosity in our curriculum

Our teachers aim to foster children's curiosity as part of their mission to inspire our children to love learning.

Eli's curiosity shone out for Miss Bennison during a recent Year 3 science lesson. The children were learning about magnetic poles and observing how magnets repel and attract.

"It's exciting how they pinged together with so much force. I can't wait because I know we're going to find out more and more about them."

Year 5 STEAM Day at Noadswood School

Mrs Stroud was extremely proud of our Year 5 children who attended a fantastic Science, Technology, Engineering and Arts day at Noadswood this week.

The children loved having a taste of life in secondary school and enjoyed an exciting range of lessons. They all behaved beautifully!

William – Year 5 My favourite lesson was the music. A few of us were picked to play instruments in front of all the other students – it was great fun and good for our confidence.

Noah – Year 5 I loved the DT. We had to create a super hero. William and I used the light box to help illuminate the outline for us to draw around.





Alfie – Year 5 It was drama for me! They described it as putting slices of pizza together. It was fun to read scripts and good practice for our summer play!

Maddie – Year 5 We had actual Domino's pizza boxes with paper for scripts inside the boxes! I was very pleased to see Ethan, my cousin.

Grace – Year 5 We had 4 choices of setting: a murder mystery, a restaurant, a pub or a museum. Harriet, Paloma and

I did the museum. Paloma was the owner, the parent was Harriet and the child was me. Paloma had to be "bossy" and raise her voice. I said "How much was it worth?" and Paloma said, under her breath, "More than you are!"

This visit has prompted some lovely, positive conversations about secondary school life for both our Year 5 and our Year 6 children.



Red Nose Day

Huge thanks to all the families who donated money for Comic Relief on Friday 17th March.

The children enjoyed dressing up for the day and were delighted to raise **£118**.

Year 3 and 4 Netball



Mrs Buckmaster was very proud of the behaviour and attitude of these lovely children, who represented our school in netball at Priestlands on the Wednesday before last. Here is what a few of them thought:

Sadie – Year 4 "The 2 teams were amazing."

Luca – Year 3 "I enjoyed trying to mark people."

Molly-May – Year 4 "Jack was really good because he was scoring points for our team."

Jack – Year 4 "James' shots were brilliant; he

even scored from 4 yards from the post."

Oscar – Year 4 "We did a lot of good teamwork."

James – Year 4 "We all tried our best and all played brilliantly."

A special well done to **Jack** and **Molly-May** who were awarded wrist bands for excellent teamwork.

Year 5 and 6 Netball



Our Year 5 and 6 netballers were a very creative group, as you can see from the photo! They had some tough competition, but managed to win half of their matches at Priestlands on Wednesday.

Neve – Year 5 "We tried our best and came 4th."

Mrs B "I was so proud of Evie for facing her fears and having a few shots."

Ruby – Year 5 "I scored 6 goals and we all did a lot of quick passing."

Daisy – Year 6 "We all did the best we can."

Skylar – Year 5 "Teamwork is key in netball."

Respect wrist bands were awarded to **Ruby** and **Skylar**. Well done, girls!

Building children's resilience

Teachers are highly focused on supporting children to build resilience. Life, as we know, is full of ups and downs and the ability to bounce back can be one of the most important factors in how happy, healthy and successful we are.

We have noticed a particular need to build resilience since we returned to school after the periods of lock down.

Of course our children must always be safe and they need to feel loved and valued. However, small problems, such as a minor falling out with a friend or work which is tricky and takes time and thought to complete, are great opportunities for children to be supported to show resilience.

In our school, resilience is linked to our value of Courage and is something we talk about and celebrate constantly. Mistakes and problems are opportunities for learning and growth! Teachers avoid jumping in to solve small problems for children, but show them that they believe they can manage themselves, with a little support.

Bullying must never be tolerated but minor problems which occur with friendships or at playtimes can be tackled by adults asking questions such as "What do you think you will do about this?" "What would you like to see happen?" "How could we sort this out?" Similarly no child would be left to struggle alone with school work which was distressing them, but a degree of challenge and difficulty is important for learning. Rather than telling a child how to solve a problem – or taking the problem away – teachers will express their confidence that the child will be able to figure it out for themselves and, if necessary, remind them about resources and strategies which could help them.

Reading regularly at home and completing short, age-appropriate, pieces of homework without their teacher being present are important ways of building children's independence and resilience. Please talk to us if you have concerns.

We strongly believe that children who are supported to show resilience and who see themselves as resilient will be more likely to thrive in the future. We're very grateful for your support in reinforcing this approach with your child at home.



CET Pop-Up Shop

We are delighted that our neighbours at the Countryside Education Trust are organising a school uniform and welly boots swap on **Wednesday 29th March** between **2.30 and 4.30 pm** with proceeds going to the school and the CET.

There will be Easter crafts, cake and CET produce to browse and the opportunity to visit the new Fort Climate Centre, recently opened by the Countess of Wessex. (Please see poster below.)

Wonderful Willow



The children in Willow Class have been growing sunflowers and measuring them. The teachers have been delighted with the children's enthusiasm and by the care they are taking of their plants.

Hunter "We planted flowers because we wanted the bees to come to our garden."

Zoja "I think it's growing, it's taking a long time but it is getting bigger."

Benjamin "It will be yellow on the outside and brown on the inside. When you pick the seeds out you can make oil. Mine is 18 now. I think tomorrow it will be 20."

Can you help our fabulous Early Years Team?!

We have an outstanding Early Years team who are always looking to improve the provision for our youngest children.

As you may be aware, school funding is currently extremely challenging. Mrs Burt, Mrs K and Mrs Williams are nevertheless determined to provide the best learning environment they can. They have been creative in making an affordable plan to improve learning inside and out. If you are able to support them by providing any of the following, please speak to Mrs Burt (Monday – Wednesday) or Mrs K (Thursday - Friday) or to Lisa in the school office. The team would be extremely grateful and would put your donation to immediate good use. Thank you!



Metal pots for planting



Crates and planks of wood for building and making



Cable reels to use as tables/surfaces to put things on



Different sized logs to make tables and chairs or stepping stones to walk on



Large terracotta pots for planting



Wooden crates to display books/objects



Wooden shelving rack x2
– to hold our pots and pans in our mud kitchen
-to display our gardening tools



Old fashion kitchen scales to put in our home corner



Book Case so we can display small world characters and books

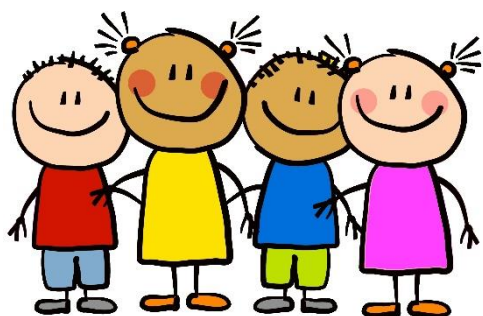


Potted herbs for our sensory play

	
Wooden Pallets	Child's wooden easel

Celebration Assemblies

We would love our Year R (Willow) children, and their families, to join us for celebration assemblies in the Village Hall next term. Year R parents, please see diary dates below and please feel welcome to come along to our first assembly of the summer term on **Thursday 27th April at 2.30 pm** if you are able to.



Headteacher Stickers

Isabelle, Lenny and Belle – Year R For courage shown in their out of school activities

Ned – Year R For excellent knowledge of number bonds in maths

Isabelle – Year R (2!) For being resilient and correcting her mistakes to produce some beautiful writing

Martha – Year 1 For outstanding writing

William – Year 2 For fantastic mathematical thinking

Eli – Year 3 For a superb piece of writing

Tilly – Year 3 For extraordinary kindness (giving up most of her lunchtime to help another child search for something)

Natalie – Year 5 For excellent editing
Tilly – Year 3 (2!), Rebecca – Year 4 and Bethany – Year 4 For showing courage and kindness in speaking about their mums in the Abbey Church on Mothering Sunday
Ruby – Year 5 For shining in maths
Maddie – Year 5 For superb work in DT (including some fabulous sewing)
Maddie – Year 5 (2!) For kindness in helping others with their DT projects
Daisy – Year 6 For a highly emotive piece of writing
Esme – Year 6 For exceptionally heartsmart behaviour
Freddie – Year 6 For excellent use of punctuation

I hope you and your family have a lovely Easter holiday, when we get there, and that you have an enjoyable weekend in the meantime,

K. Jones

Headteacher



Diary Dates

New dates will appear in red

Day/Time	Event	Notes
Week beginning Monday 27 th March	Parents of children in KS2 welcome to come into class to look at their children's books	Monday, Tuesday or Friday in the classroom after school (please come back in with your child at the end of the day)
Tuesday 28 th March	Parents of children in Years 1 and 2 welcome to come into the classroom to share learning	3.00 pm in the classroom (Please come to the school office)
Wednesday 29 th March	Key Stage 1 Parents' Evening rescheduled from 15.3.23	In school (not online!)
Thursday 30 th March	Celebration Assembly	2.30 Village Hall For children in Y1-Y6 All families welcome
Friday 31 st March	Year R visit to Longdown Activity Farm Break up for Easter	Details to follow
Monday 17 th April	Return to school	

Wednesday 19 th April	River Children visit to Patrick's Patch	
Monday 24 th April	Year R visit to Patrick's Patch	Please see separate email Lessons are led by head gardener, Rachael, to enrich our science curriculum. Visits to the garden are weather permitting and sometimes have to be postponed
Wednesday 26 th April	Year 2 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Thursday 27 th April	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome
Wednesday 3 rd May	Year 3 (Group 1) visit to Patrick's Patch	
Monday 8 th May	Bank Holiday to celebrate the King's Coronation	All families warmly welcome to attend the Beaulieu Village Coronation Tea Party (please contact the school office for your free food voucher!)
Tuesday 9 th May	Start of SATs week for our Year 6 children	
Wednesday 10 th May	River Children visit Patrick's Patch	
Thursday 11 th May	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome
Wednesday 17 th May	Year 4 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Monday 22 nd May	Year R visit to Patrick's Patch	
Wednesday 24 th May	Year 3 (Group 2) visit to Patrick's Patch	
Thursday 25 th May	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome
Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June	HALF TERM	
Monday 5 th June	INSET day	
Wednesday 7 th June	Year 4 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Wednesday 14 th June	Year 1 visit to Patrick's Patch	

Thursday 15 th June	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome
Tuesday 20 th June	Sports Day	Whole school picnic followed by traditional races – families welcome. Details to follow
Wednesday 21 st June	Year 2 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Friday 23 rd June	Sports Day Reserve	In case it rains on the 20 th !
Monday 26 th June	Year 6 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Wednesday 28 th June	Year 1 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Thursday 29 th June	Residential trip for children in Years 3 and 4	
Monday 3 rd July	Year 6 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Wednesday 5 th July	Year 3 (Group 2) visit to Patrick's Patch	
Thursday 6 th July	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome
Monday 10 th July	Year 5 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Wednesday 12 th July	Summer Show (starring Key Stage 2 children) – afternoon performance	In the Village Hall Details to follow, tickets will be available nearer the time NB Year 3 (Group 1) Patrick's Patch visit to be rearranged
Thursday 13 th July	Summer Show (starring Key Stage 2 children) –evening performance	In the Village Hall Details to follow, tickets will be available nearer the time
Monday 17 th July	Year 5 visit to Patrick's Patch	
Thursday 20 th July	Celebration Assembly	2.30 pm in the Village Hall All welcome
Friday 21 st July	Break up for the summer holiday	



SCHOOL UNIFORM AND
WELLY BOOT SWAP AT

CET's Easter Pop-Up Shop

Donate outgrown wellies and school uniforms and pick up bigger sizes with all proceeds going to Beaulieu School and the Countryside Education Trust.
An opportunity to visit the new Fort Climate Centre and browse Easter crafts, cake and CET produce.

29 MARCH 2023 | 2:30PM-4:30PM
FORT CLIMATE CENTRE, THE
COUNTRYSIDE EDUCATION TRUST



Donate wellies and uniforms by 27 March. Collection point in school reception.

Recycle your aluminium drinks cans to raise money for FOBS



What you need to do....

- Rinse empty drinks cans
- Post them in the can recycling bin in the school playground

Located in the bin store in the corner of the playground next to the Twinning Garden



These will be collected weekly and stored off site until we have enough to take for recycling



FREE TENNIS FUN DAY

WATERSIDE TENNIS CLUB
179-181 Long Lane, Holbury, SO45 2PA
(formerly the Esso Club)

WEDNESDAY 12TH APRIL 2023

One hour sessions will be led by a Level 4 LTA Coach and children will be divided into groups according to age.

Please book a space or make an enquiry by emailing Vanessa on vpoucher@hotmail.com

I can also be contacted on 07799 648162 if you would like further information.

Junior Coaching sessions are also available at our club on a Saturday morning during term-time

St Barbe's Easter Bash



Tuesday - Friday
11-14 April 2023

Does your child have
benefit related free
school meals?

FREE activity days
+ **FREE** hot lunch!

Holiday
Activities &
Food (HAF)
Programme

11

Terrific Textiles

(11-16 year olds –
no parent required)

Use textiles to create
your own original
piece of artwork to
take home.

12

Green Fingers

(Family Day)

Learn how to
grow your own veg
and flowers
in limited space.
Fun activities for the
whole family.

13

Family Felting Fun

with the Art Angels
(Family Day)

Have a go at wet
felting. Create your
felt placemat to
take home.

14

Wire Weaving

with the Art Angels

(11-16 year olds –
no parent required)

Learn techniques and
how to wire weave.
Make your own
unique
creations

Book your place on 01590 676969
or email joanne.ainslie@stbarbe-museum.org.uk

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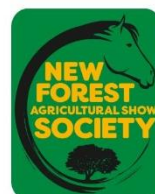
FREE Family Drop In. Sat 1st April
10am – 12pm or 1pm – 3pm



Forestry England



**YOUTH
OPTIONS**



*Happy
Easter*



**Little
New Park
Rangers**



Join us this Easter for lots of outdoor
educational fun in our beautiful ancient
woodland





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Activity Club

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Beaulieu Village Primary School

Spring 1 Term : 3.15pm – 4.15pm

Monday – Football Boys & Girls Years R-6

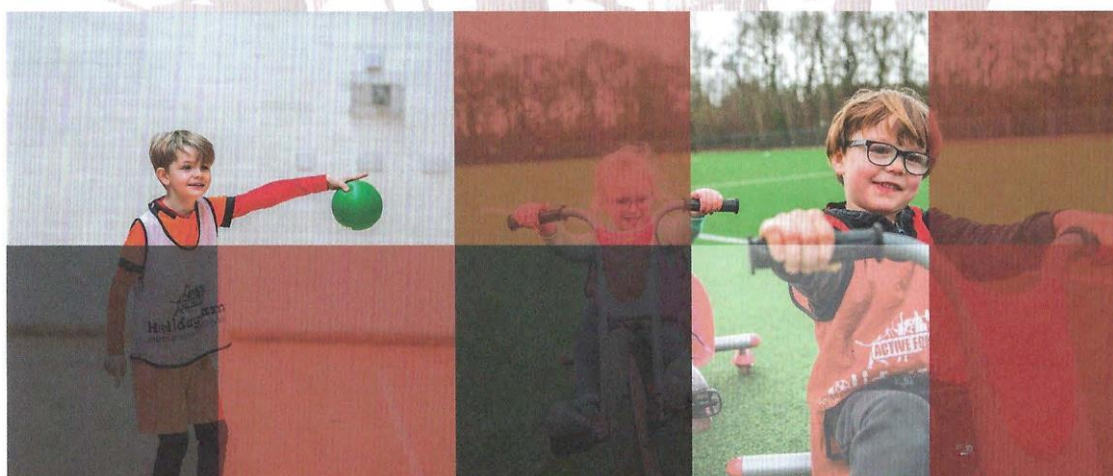
Tuesday – Dodgeball years R-6

Wednesday – Arts & Crafts/Lego Years R - 6

Thursday – Multi-Sports Years R - 6

Friday – Team Games R - 6

For more details or to book go to our website



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