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Beechwood Primary News

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Well done to the children in

Costa

<u>Welcome</u>

We would like to welcome Mrs Slonecki to our teaching team. She is teaching our Y4/5 class whilst Mrs Jones is on maternity leave.

Goodbye

At the end of February, we said goodbye to Mr Smith, our Maintenance Officer, we would like to wish him a long and happy retirement. We have also said goodbye to Mrs Jones who has started her maternity leave.

<u>Year 1</u>

Thank you to all of the families that attended the Year 1 class assembly. The children enjoyed sharing their take on a Traditional Tale with you.



Congratulations to....

Harriet & Joseph (YR), Charlie & Isabella (Y1), George & Ellie (Y2), Aaron & Eva (Y3), Ethan & Summer (Y4), Kai & Dougie (Y5), Ellie & Jessica B (Y6).

For their excellent work this half term, keep up the hard work!

Year 5

<u>Crucial Crew</u>

Year 5 had a fantastic morning at the Select Stadium being taught by Crucial Crew. They all had a lovely time and learnt how to become more aware of personal safety in a fun and interactive way.

<u>Easter Journey</u>

Frodsham Church kindly invited Year 5 children to take part in their annual Eater Journey where the Easter story was brought to life. The children took part in an interactive role-play and imagined what it must have been like over 2000 years ago. They all had a wonderful time and learnt a lot about the Christian meaning of Easter.

PTA

Thank you to all of the families that attended our Easter Bingo, it was our most successful one yet.

SAVE THE DATE:

Saturday 12th May 1pm—3pm we will be holding a Summer Fayre. Please note that we have moved the time back from the original time so that we don't clash with football matches that many of our children play. We have lots of exciting activities planned including donkey rides and inflatables (weather permitting). More details will be sent out next term.

Year 1 Residential

Our Year 1 children really enjoyed their first Residential Visit to Foxhowl - Delamere Forest. The children took part in a range of different Forest activities. They were all little super stars and a credit to both the school and their families. It was a memorable trip, which we're sure the children will not forget.

Year 5/6 Residential

The Year 5 and 6 children had a wonderful time conquering fears at Condover Hall. They worked together in teams to build buggies fit for a race as well as climbing walls, high rope challenges and zooming down zip wires! All children behaved really well throughout their stay and they have made memories to last a life time.

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<u>Sports</u>

THANK YOU TO ALL OF THE PARENTS/GRANDPARENTS THAT OFFER LIFTS FOR THESE SPORTING EVENTS, YOUR SUPPORT MEANS THAT WE CAN ENTER ALL OF THE TOURNAMENTS THAT COME UP!

<u>Netball League</u>

Both of our Netball teams have played really well this term. Beechwood B have continued to develop well as a team, winning some of their games and as we go to print Beechwood A remain undefeated!

<u>Netball Tournament</u>

We would like to say a massive well done to both of our Netball teams. Beechwood B came a very impressive 3rd place in the tournament and Beechwood A came a well deserved 1st place. Beechwood A will now go on to represent Halton at the Merseyside Youth Games in the Summer Term,

<u>Swimming Gala</u>

Well done to our Y6 children who represented the school in the annual swimming gala. All of the children swam really well and most of them managed to get through to the finals.

<u>Gymnastics</u>

Well done to our Y1/2 gymnastics team and our Y3/4 gymnastics team, Both teams represented the school at the Key Steps Competition, they all performed their routines very well and were a credit to the school.

<u>Bikeability</u>

Year 6 had a fabulous time learning how to ride their bikes safely around the roads. They braved the snow to learn about signalling, u-turns and emergency stops. All children passed their assessments - well done!

Cricket - Chance to Shine

We are very fortunate that due to our commitment to sporting activities, we have been specially selected to take part in Chance to Shine. Through this programme our children will benefit from free coaching from Cheshire Cricket Coaches and the sessions will also be linked to other areas of the curriculum. The children had their first sessions this half term and more will follow in the Summer Term,

<u>Music</u>

<u>One Family</u>

Well done to our Year 6 children who performed at The Brindley. Their musical talents were amazing, showing how much progress that they have made with their instruments. Our children's singing was also fantastic, a special well done to our two soloists, Macy and Georgia, who braved the big stage and wowed the audience.

Year 3 Class Assembly

Thank you to all of the parents who joined us for the Year 3 class assembly. The children, enjoyed sharing their Egyptian myths and their performance poems during their class assembly. They also wowed us with their performance of Three Little Birds. Well done to Olivia for playing the piano as the rest of the school entered the hall.

<u>Warrington Museum</u>

All of our Key Stage 2 children went on a trip to Warrington Museum to find out more about their topic -Egypt. As well as seeing a real mummy, the children created a range of art around the topic of Ancient Egypt. Thank you to the parents and grandparents who supported us by helping out on these trips.

<u>Year 2 English</u>

Year Two have been enjoying our topic all about 'Dragons'. We've used Talk For Writing, to learn and innovate a Non-Chronological report! We've focused on different sentence openers, as well as extending our vocabulary. We've had a big focus on reading for pleasure and Year Two have found a few authors that they love! These include: Enid Blyton, Roald Dahl, Julia Donaldson and Nick Butterworth.

Egg Decorating

Yet again we have been amazed by the creativity of our children when taking part in the annual egg decorating competition. All of the entries were fantastic and it was very hard to choose our winners. Well done to the following children: Sophia, Sonny, Arianwen, Nameer, Bethany, Lilly, Ruby, Georgia and Niamh.