



Beech Hyde Primary School and Nursery

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Newsletter 19 – 9 February 2024

Next Week:

Tuesday 13th February	Reception 'Island Day'
	Football Match (Away) St Dominics with Harpenden Academy
Wednesday 14th February	Netball Match (Home) vs St Dominics
	End of 1st half of Spring Term (normal finish time)
Thursday 15th & Friday 16th Feb	Inset Days - no children in school

Key Dates / Reminders:

Half Term Break	19th Feb - 23rd February
Monday 26th February	Return to school

Don't forget to book a Parent Consultation appointment for either Tues 27th Feb or Thurs 29th Feb. If not booked, we will allocate a time slot for you which may not be convenient.

Dear Parents / Carers,

This week was Children's Mental Health Week this week with the theme 'My Voice Matters'. By shining a light on children's mental health, it serves as a reminder of the importance of nurturing not just the physical, but also the emotional and psychological development of our children. Mental health lays the foundation for resilience, self-esteem and overall happiness. We've worn scarves to represent that there is always someone to talk to and keep us safe, we've brought in an object that makes us feel happy, pictures of important people in our lives and today we are wearing a top that shows off our personality. Personally, my highlights have been seeing all the children working together in their houses to create a Beech Hyde linked chain to show we are all there for one another, and listening to the whole school singing together in Singing Assembly this morning.



We've been regular team Bees this week, on the rugby pitch, the netball court and the maths area. On Tuesday, Y5 participated in the HFL Maths challenge and they did an amazing job, working brilliantly together as a team. Our teams also put such a huge amount of effort into the games and do Beech Hyde proud.

Congratulations this week go to Daisy-Anne Stevens for receiving the Davey Cup for Maths and to Alice Turner for being awarded the English STAR award.

If you have any queries or concerns, please feel free to contact me at head@beechhyde.herts.sch.uk.

With best wishes

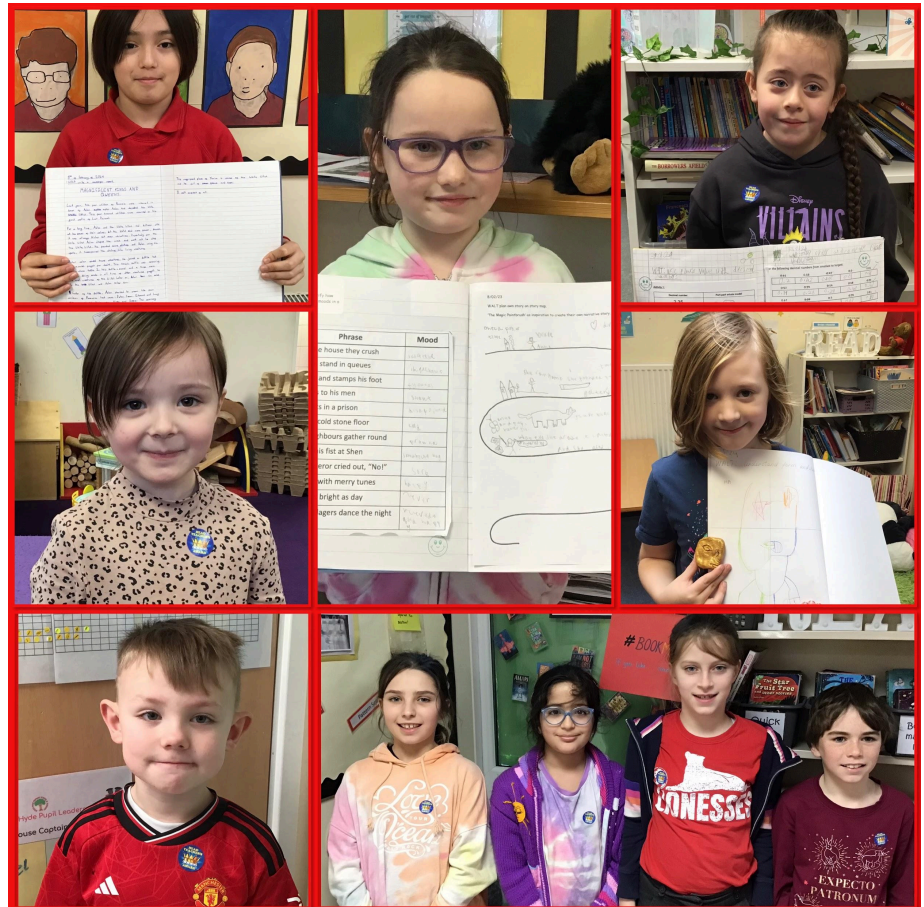
Karen Thomas
Headteacher

Attendance of the Week Rec/KS1 = Year 1 - 95%
Attendance of the Week KS2 = Year 3 - 96%



WORK OF THE WEEK

Ava-Rose O'Connor
Tommy Beaney
Annabelle Bayliffe
Thomas Stratton
Mary-Kate Smith
Hannah Coomber, Cillian
Toolan, Aisla Colley &
Ayesha Thakrar
Sebastian Ballesteros



Website Class Pages



Did you know there are individual class pages on our website? (beechhyde.herts.sch.uk) They are located under the 'Learning' tab.

They are updated with work and activities that the class has undertaken each term. Discover what's been happening and perhaps continue the conversation at home as to what your child has been learning!

SPECIAL THANKS

We just wanted to extend our gratitude to all parents for the continued support with sporting events. We understand the sacrifices you make to ensure your child's participation in these events, whether it's providing transportation or simply being there to offer words of encouragement. Your unwavering support does not go unnoticed and you deserve a well-earned pat on the back!





W.A.S.P.S.
Wheathampstead After
School Play Scheme



HOLIDAY CLUB HALF TERM

19th - 20th February



OPEN TO ALL PRIMARY AGE CHILDREN

Full days (8.30am - 5.30pm)	Half days (8.30am - 12.30pm / 1.30pm - 5.30pm)
Wasps members - £30	Wasps members - £18
Non members - £32	Non members - £20

Book online - wasps.kidsclubhq.co.uk

Email - admin@wasps-asc.org

www.wasps-asc.org

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Parking on ZigZag lines

It has come to our attention that some parents have been seen parking on the zigzag lines outside the school entrance. We cannot emphasise enough the importance of keeping these areas clear at all times. The zigzag lines are designated no parking zones for a reason. They provide essential visibility for pedestrians, especially children, as they cross the road and approach the school. It also provides the room for buses and cars to pass the school safely.

Parking in these areas obstructs the view for both drivers and pedestrians, creating unnecessary risks and hazards.

We understand that parking may sometimes be challenging, but the safety of our children must always be our top priority.