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# Together unlocking the potential of every child, inspiring children, improving lives.

### **Important dates**

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April - Last order date for uniform — delivery by 22<sup>nd</sup> April Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April - Children back in School Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April - After school clubs begin Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April - Red Class Swimming

### **Staffing Updates**

**HLTA Year 6** – We are very pleased to welcome Jackie Scott to our team. Jackie has been with us since Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March and has settled well into her new role as HLTA in Year 6. It has already been a pleasure to work with her.

**School Business Manager** – Sadly I need to let you know that after any years of service to the school (20 Years!!!!!), Julie Haynes will be leaving us at the end of the Summer Term for early retirement. She has been an amazing asset to the school, seeing many Head teachers and staff come and go. I hope that you will join me in wishing her all the very best for the future. Julie will be greatly missed and we will all value the last few months we have with her. The position is currently being advertised on the EPM website and are hoping to recruit a suitable candidate.

#### **Code of Conduct and RID**

This week in assembly we reinforced the school Code of Conduct. Year 6 pupils shared their ideas on what each 'Code' would look like within the school. Their posters and mature responses provided excellent models to help deliver the assembly to the rest of the school.

### Code of Conduct

I keep myself and others **S**afe. I show **R**espect for myself and others. I am **R**eady for learning and joining in.

Our school Code of Conduct is reinforced, when dealing with any issues which are, or could be deemed as Bullying. We continue to use **RID** for a definition of Bullying.

In order for incidents to be bullying, it needs to include all of the following 3 things, referred to as RID:

- Repeated and takes place over a period of time.
- Imbalance of power (being carried out by more than one person, or one person who is bigger or older, for example).
- Deliberate

### BFG - Bags 2 School

Bags will be sent home with children after the Easter break, to be back in school on 8<sup>th</sup> May. Unwanted clothing, shoes, bags, soft toys, bedding, curtains and throws can be included.













### **Decorated Eggs and Easter Bonnet Winners**

Beaupre saw some fabulously decorated eggs and Easter Bonnets today, well done to everyone who took part. Winners chosen in assembly were:

<u>Eggs</u>			<u>Bonnets</u>	
Rainbow:	Florence D	Alice	Toby W	Amelia
Red:	Archie	Sienna	Joshua	Halle
Blue:	Seth D	Brandi	Ollie	Summer
Purple:	Charlie	Thomas	Riley P	Sophie J
Green:	Olivia	Max	Logan	Chloe
Orange:	Olivia	Charlie	Katie	Maja
Yellow:	Ruby	Lily	Eva	Ede

### Assessment and SATs time!!

If you weren't already aware, we are approaching that time of year again when national assessments will be taking place.

Year 6 children will carrying out their end of Primary school SATs assessments in the week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019. Can we please ask that all children are in school for this week.

Year 2 will be carrying out their 'Quizzes' in May 2019

And Year 1 children will be carrying out Phonics checks from 10<sup>th</sup> June.

#### **School Uniform**

We have noticed that there have been varying adaptations to the school uniform, notably hoodies and trainers.

**Hoodies** - hoodies should only be worn as an outer garment in place of a coat and not part of the school uniform as a jumper.

**Trainers** - We have noticed an influx of trainers being worn. School shoes should be worn and not trainers. If there is a legitimate reason for wearing trainers then this should be discussed with the headteacher.

**Make up** – It has been noted that some girls are beginning to wear makeup to school. Can I remind you that this again is against school expectations.

**Jewelry** – as a reminder, earrings should be studs and not hoops. This is for the safety of your child, to reduce the risk of injury to the ears. Earrings should be removed for PE and swimming. If earrings are unable to be removed then they may be required to only participate reduced PE sessions for safety.

**PE Kits** – Please ensure that PE kits are in school every day. If a PE kit is not in school then your child will only be able to participate in a reduced PE session based on safety aspects of the session.

Following the Easter Holidays, we look forward to seeing all the children in appropriate school uniform. (Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April - Last order date for uniform – delivery by 22<sup>nd</sup> April)

### **Head lice**

There have been a small number of reported cases of head lice in school, please be vigilant in checking your child regularly and treat as necessary. We ask that long hair is tied back each day, thank you.

#### **After School Clubs**

New after school clubs begin after the Easter holidays

Monday Cricket and Rounders Years 5 & 6
Tuesday Cricket and Rounders Years 3 & 4
Wednesday Multisports Years 1 & 2
Wednesday Computer Club Year 3
Thursday Dance Years 3 to 6

Choir will continue to run on Wednesday lunchtimes with Miss Knight, no permission slip is required for this as it is within the school day.



## <u>Lunchtime Co – Spring Menu</u>

The new Lunchtime Comenu begins after the Easter break, this is available to view on the school website and a copy is attached.

### Lunchtime Co - Promotional Lunch

Lunchtime Co are providing a Picnic menu for Beaupre's 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations on 8<sup>th</sup> May. The menu is attached and a slip will be sent home after the Easter break.

#### **Attendance**

Our attendance figures for the week ending Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March are as follows – Gold is awarded to Green class with 99.3%, Silver goes to Purple class with 98.6% and Bronze to Yellow class with 97.7%. The winner of last week's 100% attendance prize is Reece in Purple.



Each term Wisbech Schools Partnership ask each school for the name of one child, chosen at random, who has achieved 100% attendance for that term. Those children are then entered into a draw to win prizes provided by WSP. This term Noah from Red class was a winner in the draw and has been presented his prize in assembly today, well done Noah.





Certificates were given for 100% attendance for half and full term at today's assembly. Well done to all of those receiving their certificate.

Please remember that if your child is unable to attend school for any reason it is important for parents to notify the school, by phone, *on each morning of an absence* to confirm why they will not be in. This important procedure is in place for safeguarding reasons. I am sure you would agree that it is important for everybody to know where the children should be, as soon as possible, on a daily basis.

Please be aware that if your child has 3 or more days unauthorised absence within 4 weeks the school may be required to refer for a penalty notice. Additionally the school may be required to ask for medical evidence in order to authorise more than 3 days off sick.

#### **Housepoints**

In 3rd place this week is Combines, 2<sup>nd</sup> place goes to Robots, and in 1<sup>st</sup> place Windmills.

#### **Above and Beyond**

This week's 'Above and Beyond' is awarded to Riley from Red Class for his continual enthusiasm for learning and always going the extra mile with his work.

Wishing you all a fantastic Easter Break, with lots of sun and chocolate!

Yours sincerely,

Michelle Munday
Headteacher





from all of us at Beaupré