

BEECHES GREEN PAGES



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Beeches Has Got Talent

We are very excited about our talent show next week! Mr. Stuart and all the acts have been working tremendously hard to put on a magnificent show for us all. The main event is on Tuesday at 6.00pm and there are still a few tickets available from the office, priced at £2 each. We will be selling popcorn and drinks along with some novelty items. For those performing, there is a rehearsal on Monday and then a full dress rehearsal to the whole school on Tuesday morning. Please ensure all costumes and props are in school for Tuesday morning. We hope to see lots of you here to support the children at the evening show.

Sports Day

The weather behaved itself so our Sports Day could go ahead as planned. We had a great turnout of parents and visitors supporting their children and the atmosphere was lovely. Our children competed fiercely but in a spirit of friendly competition, and in the end, there were just a few points in it between the Red Phoenix and Blue Dragons. It went down to the last event, but the Reds snatched victory in the end to retain the trophy they won last year. Congratulations Reds, and well done everyone!

Year 5 Greek Day

Year 5 enjoyed a special day on Tuesday and Caitlin D (Sycamores) has written about it:

On Tuesday 9th July, Year 5 dressed up for Greek Day. We could dress up as a Greek villager, Greek soldier or even as one the Greek Gods. We had many fun activities, like the Greek food tasting. Leona loved the green olives, but I didn't. Isabel loved the black olives, but I hated them! Our second favourite food in Sycamores was the Pitta bread, which everybody looked forward to, and our favourite food was the Souvlaki which won by a mile! I think the whole of Year 5 could agree that Greek Day was awesome! We had lots of fun doing the activities in the Greek booklet and decorating the front cover. At the end of the day we got to take our Greek pots home which we had made previously. So, I think Greek day was a really fun day.

Acorn Partnership Concert

There was also a very special event last Friday which Sharnie (Cedars) has written about for us:

Last Friday, fifteen children from Year 5 were lucky enough to be invited to the University of Birmingham as members of the Acorn Partnership of schools to perform both singing and guitar. In the morning, we had our practice, a tour of the university and a vocal workshop. After lunch, we watched other schools perform and then it was our turn! The guitarists played before us with four pieces of music and then we stood up and performed, "The Lion Sleeps Tonight" and "How Far I'll Go." We enjoyed the whole day and appreciated the experience. Thank you Mr. Stuart and Mrs. Whittingham.

Last Day of Term

Friday 19th July is the last day of term and on that day we will have an optional 1.15pm finish. Don't worry if you can't collect your child at that time - school will remain open until 3.20pm as usual. If your child is in Year 5 or 6 and you wish them to go home alone at 1.15pm, we will need you to put this in writing to us. The last day will be a non-uniform day and children can bring toys, but anything brought is at your own risk. **Please note, toys must come in with your child at the start of the day. We will not be able to take toys to the children during the day.** Please do not send in electronic devices for the children to play with, including tablets and phones - the children will not be allowed to use these. We also recommend that you don't send in items with small parts.

Genre Awards This Week

Silver: Ellie Mae (Birches)

Beeches Brilliant Writers

Last week's winner: Zain (Palms)

Whole School Attendance

This Week: 97.7%

Year So Far: 96.4%

This Week's Team Points

1. Yellow Unicorns	568
2. Green Griffins	466
3. Blue Dragons	416
4. Red Phoenix	403

Congratulations to the Red Phoenix team who, despite their 4th place this week, have won this term's team treat. On Tuesday afternoon, they will have inflatables and ice creams on the field.

Pupil of the Week

Elms: Amelia, Dominion & Sienna	Cedars: Adanna
Firs: Jaya	Pines: Zak
Oaks: Alieu	Sycamores: Mia
Birches: Mhyrell	Chestnuts: Callum
Palms: Brontie	Magnolias: Kira
Spruces: Rajni	Willows: Tuyen

Diary Dates

Tue 16th Jul, 6.00pm	Beeches Has Got Talent
Fri 19th Jul	Non-uniform and toy day
Fri 19th Jul	Children break up for summer
Mon 22nd Jul	Teacher Day - school closed
Mon 2nd Sep	Teacher Day - school closed
Tue 3rd Sep	Start of Autumn Term

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