

TEACHER DAY

Monday 20th March will be a Teacher Day and school will be closed to children. Please note that the infant school is open as usual that day.

HOLIDAY CAMP

HAF is a **FREE** holiday program for Free School Meal eligible children that offers fun, food, and physical activity. It is delivered by the Aspire Active Camps team and includes four physical activity sessions and a nutritious meal each day. The program offers a variety of activities, including multi-sports, Maths on the Move, English on the Move, and Active Families. We are pleased to let you know that Aspire will be hosting a camp here at our school from **Monday 3rd to Thursday 6th April**. By participating in this program, children can engage in enjoyable and educational activities in a secure and social atmosphere, learn new skills and gain knowledge, and explore new experiences.

You can book using this link and your HAF code. We will also be at school on **Wednesday 22nd March at 8:00am** to help with sign ups and answer any questions you might have.

<https://www.aspire-sports.co.uk/active-camps/free-easter-activities>

Please note that although this is being hosted here, it is not a Beeches Junior School event, and we make no guarantees about it. However, we have worked with Aspire before and have had positive experiences.

STAY AND READ

Our first Stay and Read session was a great success with lots of parents attending to read with their child. There was a lovely atmosphere and the children even got a biscuit at the end. We look forward to welcoming **4P** to stay and read next Tuesday 21st March. Please enter through the side entrance of the hall. The session will start at 8.45am and end at 9.05am.

PARKRUN

On Saturday 25th March, some of us will once again be visiting Perry Hall Park to take part in their Parkrun, starting at 9.00am. Parkrun is a free 5km walk or run around the park. You can find more information here: <https://www.parkrun.org.uk/perryhall/>

This page includes a link to get yourselves signed up. We hope to see some of you there. Remember, it doesn't matter how fast or slow you are - nobody cares about that. It is just a nice, healthy activity in a very friendly environment. A reminder that children under 11 must have an adult who goes round the course with them (Parkrun's rule, not ours) and your child will remain your responsibility at all times - school staff will not take charge of the children.

MYCLOTHING.COM

On the next page of this newsletter you will see a flier from My Clothing. They are an online supplier of our school uniform and you can find them online here: <https://myclothing.com/collections/beechees-junior-school-18952>

A reminder that you don't have to buy branded uniform items for your child - plain jumpers and cardigans from the supermarket are just fine if you prefer them.

MOTHER'S DAY

Thank you very much to those who came to our Mother's Day afternoon on Thursday. It was lovely to welcome so many of you to school, and it was great for the children to be able to celebrate the special women in their lives. We hope you enjoyed yourselves. We did have quite a few enquiries about booking this after the deadline. Unfortunately, we do need to be firm with our deadlines for organisational reasons so please make sure you read the newsletter each week and check ClassDojo regularly to ensure you don't miss out on special events. Thank you for your support.

END OF DAY ISSUES

A few old issues have been creeping back in at the end of the school day, especially with some of our older siblings. If you have a secondary school child who collects a child from our school, please remind them that they must wait sensibly on the playground and not run around and play games. Youngsters coming from Arena Academy must exit the site when their school day finishes and come back in via the usual gate at the end of the day; they must not come straight across from Arena onto our playground.

ASTON VILLA WOMEN

Also on the next page is a flier from our friends at Aston Villa, letting us know about their women's team's forthcoming match against Leicester City. This takes place at Villa Park on Sunday 26th March with a 2.00pm kick off. Tickets cost £10 for adults and £5 for under-14s: <https://tickets.avfc.co.uk>

DIARY DATES

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|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mon 20 Mar | Teacher Day - school closed |
| Tue 21 Mar, 8.45am | 4P Stay and Read |
| Thu 23 Mar | Year 6 church visit |
| Sat 25 Mar | Beeches does Parkrun |
| Mon 27 - Wed 29 Mar | Year 4 Woodlands residential |
| Thu 30 Mar | Year 3 synagogue & library visit |
| Fri 31 Mar | Last day of term |
| Mon 17 Apr | School reopens |
| Mon 1 May | Bank Holiday - school closed |
| Mon 8 May | Bank Holiday - school closed |
| Tue 9 - Fri 12 May | Year 6 SATs week |

TEAM POINTS THIS WEEK

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|---|----------------|-----|
| 1 | Team Cadbury | 556 |
| 2 | Team Zephaniah | 553 |
| 3 | Team Malala | 540 |
| 4 | Team Lewis | 402 |

BEECHES BRILLIANT READERS

Year 3: Ellie (3RW) & Zulqarnain (3JW)
 Year 4: Raem (4AS) & Humaria (4AS)
 Year 5: Reegan (5P) & Hamza (5P)
 Year 6: Jesuferanmi (6S) & Sam (6M)

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

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| 3JW: Tommy | 4AS: Humaira | 5A: Cassius | 6A: Lilly May |
| 3P: Alexis | 4L: Latifa | 5L: Riaz | 6M: Diya |
| 3RW: Ellie | 4P: Amanpreet | 5P: Nihal | 6S: Leo |

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| Round Neck Sweatshirt | £10.30 | £12.50 | £18.00 |
| V-Neck Sweatshirt | £10.30 | £12.50 | £18.00 |
| Jersey Cardigan | £10.30 | £12.50 | |
| V-Neck Jumper (100% cotton) | £10.30 | £12.50 | £18.00 |
| Straight Edge Knitted Cardigan (100% cotton) | £11.50 | £13.50 | |
| T-Shirt | £6.10 | £7.50 | |
| Waterproof Lightweight Jacket | £15.50 | £17.50 | £21.00 |
| Full Zip Fleece | £13.50 | £16.00 | £19.50 |
| Blazers (Boys and Girls) | £24.00 | £27.00 | |
| Book Bag | £6.50 | | |
| P.E Bag | £5.00 | | |
| Rucksack | £9.50 | | |
| Water Bottle and Holder | £6.00 | | |
| Legionnaire Cap | £7.00 | | |
| Baseball Cap | £6.00 | | |
| Nametapes | £4.80 | | |
| Shadow Stripe Shorts | £5.50 | £5.50 | |
| Plimsolls | £6.20 | £6.50 | |
| Hair Accessories (Small Set) | £5.00 | | |
| Hair Accessories (Large Set) | £6.00 | | |
| Trousers | £11.00 | £13.20 | |
| Box Pleat Skirts | £9.50 | | |
| Jogging Pants | £6.99 | | |

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SUN 26 MAR | KO 14:00

IT'S GAME TIME
AT VILLA PARK