Newsletter

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Respect – Determination – Cooperation – Equality – Honesty – Kindness

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We have had a busy and engaging week across the school, filled with exciting learning experiences and celebrations. This week, our pupils explored the history behind Fireworks Night and learned about the story of Guy Fawkes during special assemblies. Alongside the historical context, children also learnt about safety to ensure they understand how to stay safe while enjoying fireworks and bonfires with their families. Meanwhile, Year 2 had a fantastic experience stepping back in time for their Victorian workshop, discovering what daily life was like for children in those days through hands-on activities.

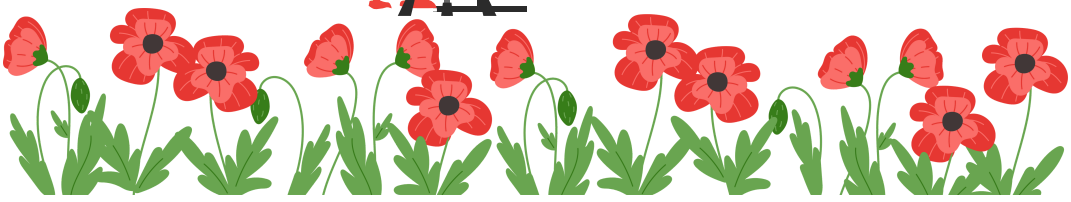
Looking ahead, we would like to wish a very Happy Diwali to all of our families who are celebrating this coming Sunday. Please also mark your calendars for next Wednesday, as the school photographer will be visiting - please ensure your child arrives dressed smartly in their full school uniform for their photos. Wednesday is also Remembrance Day, and we will be coming together as a school community to observe a two-minute silence to mark the occasion and pay our respects.













November Autumn 2—Honesty
8th Diwali
w/c 9th Y2 & Y5 Switch off Fortnight
11th Remembrance Day
11th School Photographer in
12th Nasal Spray—2nd Visit
16th Y6 Heights and Weights
17th Y6 Cinema
20th Children in Need
23rd Parent/Carer Meetings 3:30
24th Parent/Carer Meetings 3:30
24th Y5 Cinema
25th Y6 Imperial War Museum
26th KS2 Travelling Pantomime
27th INSET—School is closed for children
December Autumn 2—Honesty
1st KS1 Traveling Pantomime
4th Christmas Fayre—school finishes at 1:30
4th No Nursery
7th Y5 & 6 Christmas show 9am
8th Y3 & 4 Christmas show 9am
8th Rocksteady Concert 1pm
9th Y1 & 2 Christmas show 9am
10th YR Christmas Nativity
10th Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day
15th Christmas lunch
16th Class Parties
18th No Nursery
18th Break up for Christmas—school finishes at 1:30
January Spring 1—Determination
4th INSET—School is closed for children
w/c 5th Arts week
5th Children return—Start of Spring term
5th Y1 & Y4 Big Schools Birdwatch
18th Nursery - Beavers Library
18th Y4 Science Museum
26th PTA AGM
February Spring 1—Determination
w/c 1st Children's Mental Health Week
6th Lunar New Year
w/c 8th Y5 Boston Manor Workshops
8th Start of Ramadan
9th Y2 St Paul's Church
9th PTA Coffee Morning
15th Half Term
February Spring 2—Equality



Attendance
Good attendance is very important for learning!
Attendance cup winners were:
Gold 100%
Silver 99—98%
Y5 Crimson 99% Rec Apricot, Y4 Lavender, Y5 Red, Y5 Ruby 98%
Bronze 97—96%
Y1 Primrose, Y6 Silver 97% Y3 jade, Y6 Jet 96%
Classes with 100% attendance earn a mufti day.

Autumn 1 value - Respect
UNICEF Article 39 – Children neglected, abused, exploited, tortured or who are victims of war must receive special help to help them recover their health, dignity and self-respect.



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UNICEF – Our Rights - Article 12
Every child has the right to have a say in all matters affecting them and to have their views taken seriously.

Community News —
Barbara Moses
Community Liaison Officer



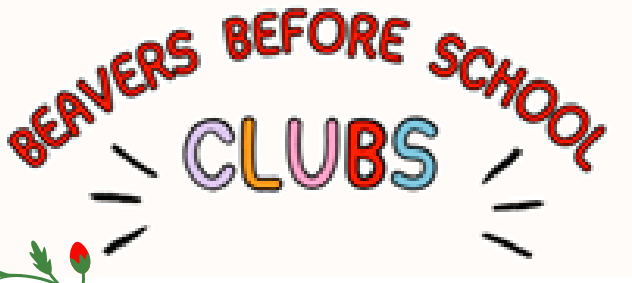


Join us for a Children in Need Coffee Morning!
Come along to the Community Hut on Friday 13th November from 8:30am for a hot drink and a great chat—all to raise money for a fantastic cause. Everone is welcome!



PATHWAY SPORTS

Please use the following link to sign up:
https://pathway-sports.classforkids.io/term/23
Tuesday am – Football
Wednesday am - Dodgeball
7:45am to 8:30am. £4 per session.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

We are delighted to be supporting the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal this year. Parents can easily order and pay via Arbor. All orders will be distributed directly to children in class.

Wristband £1.50





Snap band £1.50



Paper & reflector poppies - £1.00



Pencil - £1.00

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

The Easyfundraising app is a great way to support the school. And it is free. Just click on the app and continue with your online shopping. The P.T.A. will benefit from every purchase you make.

easyfundraising | make it count



This November, you could **win a £1,000 donation** for Beavers Community Primary School PTA, plus a **£100 Tesco gift card** for yourself!

To enter, link your card in the easyfundraising app and **spend over £80* in-store at Tesco** using your linked bank card. With each shop, you'll also earn a **£2.50 donation** for your cause.

Why link your card? You can raise free donations when you shop in-store at selected retailers.

The more you shop, the more chances you have to win!

Link your card

£73 million Raised | 2.5 million Users | 190,000 Causes



If you would like to purchase second hand uniform, please visit the following site: https://oldschooluniform.co.uk/
or contact Ms Moses by email b.moses@beavers.hounslow.sch.uk or on the school phone number.
The school would be grateful for any unwanted uniform, especially smaller sizes.

Exciting news! The Lunchtime Company's 'Healthy Eating with Emma' initiative began today, starting with an amazing first group of Year 5s.





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WEEK 2 MENU

WEEKS: 09/11, 30/11, 4/01, 25/01, 22/02, 15/03

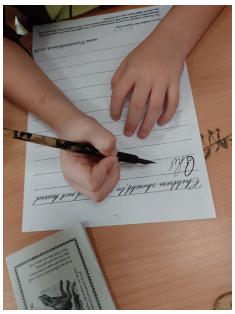
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	Margherita pizza served with baked rainbow wedges, seasonal vegetables	Marinated jerk chicken thigh served with jollof rice, peas & carrots	Italian style bolognese served with pasta, focaccia & mixed vegetables	Chicken sausage served with potatoes, Yorkshire pudding, carrots, broccoli & gravy	Breaded fish fillet served with chips, garden peas or baked beans
MEAT FREE	Rainbow pizza served with baked rainbow wedges, seasonal vegetables	Vegetable & black bean jerk stew, jollof rice served with peas & carrots	Italian vegetable bolognese in a rich tomato sauce served with pasta, focaccia & mixed vegetables	Quorn sausage served with potatoes, Yorkshire pudding, carrots, broccoli & gravy	Vegetable nuggets served with chips, garden peas or baked beans
PASTA & JACKETS	Jacket potato with choice of toppings served with fresh salad	Pasta with homemade tomato and vegetable sauce served with fresh salad	Jacket potato with choice of toppings served with fresh salad	Pasta with cheddar cheese Sauce served with fresh salad	Jacket potato with choice of toppings served with fresh salad
DESSERTS	Choose one dessert chocolate shortbread with orange wedge fruity jelly fresh fruit pot	Choose one of our fabulous desserts orange syrup & semolina sponge natural yogurt & coulis fresh fruit pot	Choose one of our fabulous desserts oat & apricot cookie fruity jelly fresh fruit pot	Choose one of our fabulous desserts pumpkin spice iced sponge natural yogurt & coulis fresh fruit pot	Choose one of our fabulous desserts secret garden muffins (chocolate & courgette) fruity jelly fresh fruit pot

Making lunchtime the highlight of your day









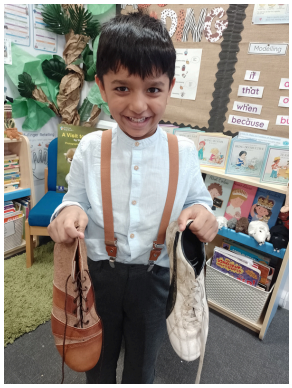




A Step Back in Time!

Year 2 had a fantastic time taking part in a Victorian workshop! They stepped back in time to discover what life was like for children at school during the Victorian era. They experienced some of the rules and routines of a Victorian classroom and learned how children enjoyed the simple things in life. It was a fun and exciting way to bring history to life!


















DIWALI

The nursery children had a wonderful time celebrating Diwali! The children loved decorating diyas, making colourful treats with play dough, making chapatis, and dancing to festive music. A huge thank you to all the mums who came in to help make the day so special





At the end of last term, Year 5 enjoyed getting creative by making their very own colourful fruit kebabs! The children had the opportunity to prepare and combine a variety of delicious fruits, creating their own tasty and healthy treats. It was a lovely way to celebrate our learning about healthy eating and encourage the children to try different fruits. Take a look at some of our fantastic creations!









Some of our talented Year 5 pupils have been busy putting their creativity to the test by writing some fantastic poems inspired by fireworks! Their wonderful poems have been submitted to the Hounslow School Library Service as part of their poetry writing competition. We are incredibly proud of their imagination, creativity and enthusiasm. Take a look at a selection of their brilliant poems below.

A Riot in the Dark! **By Azan**

A spark in the dark, a whisper of smoke.

A sudden bright flame burns in the dark.
Before it fades to black again.
Leaving a ghost of smoky lace behind.

The rocket shoots up high to the top of the sky.
As everyone watches the colours fly by.

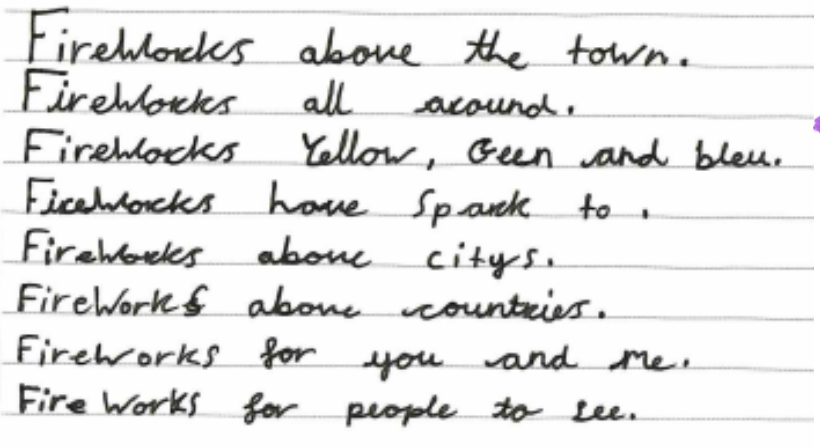
With a thunderous **BANG!**

They sizzle and sparkle, then fade from our view.
A RIOT
IN THE DARK



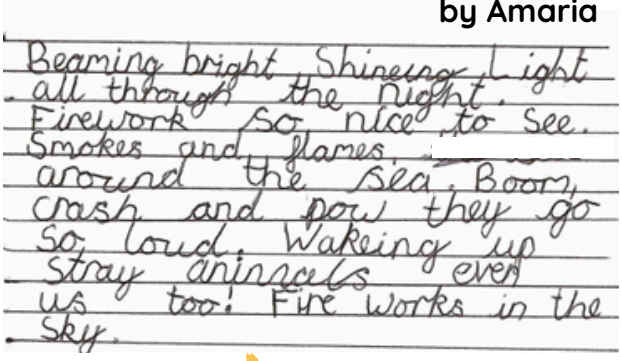


Fireworks **by: Marcya**



Fireworks in the sky

by Amaria



A lonely Spark **by: Junisha**

A lonely spark climbs up the
Quiet sky, it opens like a fragile
Golden flower, with sleepy
Petals drifting soft and high,
That fades away inside a
Passing hour, and leave the
Darkness peaceful as before!!



3rd November 2026

Dear Ms Smith

HARVEST DONATIONS TO HOPE CHURCH FOODBANK

We wanted to say a very big **THANK YOU!** **to everyone at Beavers School** for your generous Harvest donations to the foodbank – your support is greatly appreciated.

The last couple of years have been very challenging for many people in our local community and the situation continues to be difficult. Hope Church currently runs busy foodbanks at both its locations – at St Paul's (Bath Road) on Wednesday mornings and at the Good Shepherd (Beavers Lane) on Thursday mornings.

So far this year, we have served over 2814 guests and provided enough food to feed over 6260 adults and children (as well as providing toiletries and hygiene products). As a result, we get through a great deal of stock each week - so your donations and your prayers are incredibly important to us and, of course, to the people we serve.

We simply would not be able to provide this high level of support to so many people experiencing financial hardship without the very kind donations we continue to receive.

With our thanks and very best wishes,

Avril Gearing

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Foodbank Coordinator
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TfL TRAVEL FOR LIFE

FREE Fix-a-Bike Workshops for Ages 10-16 🔧🛠️🚲

Want to learn how to fix a puncture, remove a wheel and carry out basic bike maintenance?
Join our new Fix-a-Bike workshops for young people aged 10-16, delivered by Community Cycleworks.

📍 Beavers Community School
📅 Sunday, 8 November

Morning Session - 9:15am arrival | 9:30am-12:30pm workshop
🔗 Book here: https://www.tickettailor.com/events/communitycycleworks1/2474080
Afternoon Session - 12:45pm arrival | 1:00pm-4:00pm workshop
🔗 Book here: https://www.tickettailor.com/events/communitycycleworks1/2478565

Please note, there is a £5 refundable deposit which is returned on attendance.

For full details about the workshop, what you'll learn, and booking information, please visit the links above.
Email us at cycling@hounslow.gov.uk for any queries! 😊



RECEPTION'S GROOVY MOVIE TIME

COME WATCH A MOVIE AT SCHOOL

ON THURSDAY 19TH NOVEMBER

FROM 3.10PM TO 4.00PM



FREE POPCORN

ONLY £4 PER TICKET

FREE DRINK

PLEASE PLACE THE MONEY IN AN ENVELOPE CLEARLY LABELLED WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME AND SEND IN TO SCHOOL BY MONDAY 16TH NOVEMBER