



Message from Mrs Hughes

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to my penultimate newsletter of the academic year. The last two weeks have seen all pupils across the school enjoying our annual Sports Day. This is a day that enables pupils to enjoy sport in both a competitive setting and then in collaboration with others to develop their teamwork skills - one of our Beecroft values. It was lovely to see so many family members who came along to support their children and cheer them on. We were even visited by two unicorns during the UKS2 Sports Day!

Last week we were delighted to welcome Dave and Darren from Urban and Rural into school as they delivered a cheque for £500 to Beecroft Academy. This is part of their Valuation 4 Education incentive where families can nominate the school when having their house valued. Thank you to those kind families who donated Beecroft Academy - bringing additional funds to the school that can then be used to enhance the pupils' experience at school.

This week we have enjoyed our transition days. Our Year 6 pupils have ventured off to try out their new secondary schools and we have enjoyed hearing all about their experiences on their return. All other pupils have spent time in their new classrooms with their new teachers. Thank you for joining us and supporting your child at our Meet the Teacher events on Wednesday. These will have given you the opportunity to meet your child's new teacher and also learn more about their year ahead and how you can support their learning in and out of school.

We welcomed visitors into school last week for Year 5's Greek wow day—enabling them to act out the story of Medusa and the story of Agamemnon. What's more the visitors gave us feedback about how engaged and well behaved the pupils were—and a credit to the school. Well done Year 5!

We are now busy preparing for our end of year reports to send home to parents and our annual end of year awards assemblies. More information will follow in my final newsletter.

Mrs Hughes

#BestofBeecroft

Friday 5th July 2024

Diary Dates

Wednesday 10th July	Summer FEd Fair
Thursday 11th July	Electric Umbrella - Music Visit
Thursday 11th July	Cultural Day - France
Friday 12th July	Whipsnade Zoo Trip - Year 4
Monday 15th July	Whipsnade Zoo Trip - Year 5
Wednesday 17th July	Box End Water Park Trip - Year 6
Thursday 18th July	End of Year Picnic - Year 2
Friday 19th July	End of Term
Tuesday 3rd September	Children return to School

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Thank you for supporting our value of
July:

Forgiveness



How could you encourage your child to show this value at home?

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Attendance

Week ending 28.06.24	95.55%
This year so far	94.75%
Key Stage 1 - Tiger and Penguin	97.67%
Key Stage 2 - Koala	97.93%

Week ending 21.06.24	95.19%
This year so far	94.72%
Key Stage 1 - Penguin	97.67%
Key Stage 2 - Panther	97.42%

House points

Well done to everyone who has received house points to contribute towards their house total.

01.07.24

Brewers	8863
Drovers	8686
Maidenbower	8848
Westfield	9255

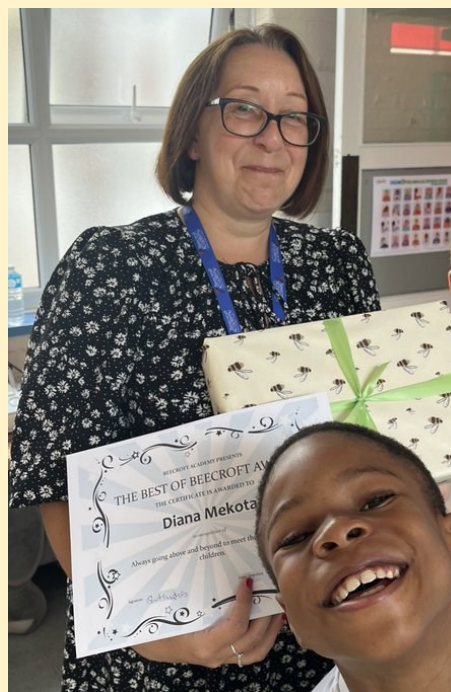
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Brewers	8459
Drovers	8333
Maidenbower	8489
Westfield	8899

Values Winners - Fairness

Class	Winner
Elephant	Harleigh Palmer
Giraffe	Nathan Cecot
Monkey	Harry Bryden
Tiger	Elizabeth McKee
Penguin	Liam Austin-Wilson
Zebra	Jasper Hull
Lion	Cheyenne Graves
Meerkat	Alex Addae-Mensah
Panda	Arminas Zigunovas
Panther	Anastasia Puia
Koala	Scarlett Chamberlain
Lemur	Sienna Sansom-Anderson
Leopard	Alana Sunderland
Rhino	Ollie Kelso-Lisboa

What's been going on?



Well done to Ms Mekota who is our BoB winner for June for going above and beyond to support our pupils.

Achieving Excellence Together

Star of the week

Each week, a pupil is recognised from each class who has shown particular effort in their learning.

Class	Winner - 01.07.24
Elephant	Freddie Chamberlain
Giraffe	Victoria Matei
Monkey	Carys Roberts
Tiger	Naiyah Williams
Penguin	Matei Ciocan
Zebra	Athisayavathy Sathish
Lion	Sophie Angel
Meerkat	Tanaka Nyauchi
Panda	April Kennedy
Panther	Liliana Dzysko
Koala	Mark Millin
Lemur	Lois Kusi
Leopard	Jack Bridges
Rhino	Xavi Apai

Class	Winner - 24.06.24
Elephant	Artur Furdui
Giraffe	Harry fuller
Monkey	Lucy Jackson
Tiger	Saara Rahman
Penguin	Phoebe Easton
Zebra	Freddie Reddington
Lion	Tatenda Nyauchi
Meerkat	Lee White
Panda	Diamond Dennison
Panther	Bella Ryan
Koala	Sam Khan
Lemur	Jerome Mattias-Reef
Leopard	Andra Manda
Rhino	Katelyn Davies

Above and beyond

A pupil can be awarded a house point for upholding the school values of ready, respectful, safe.

Class	Winner - 01.07.24
Elephant	Evie Tonks
Giraffe	Ethan Gibson
Monkey	Aaron Balint
Tiger	Stefan Ryan
Penguin	Phoebe Easton
Zebra	Musa Hussein
Lion	Freddie Patterson
Meerkat	Grace Gorman
Panda	Thomas McKee
Panther	Aidan Nash
Koala	Scarlett Chamberlain
Lemur	Charlie Pettitt
Leopard	Amaan Aierkan
Rhino	Olivia Burzynska

Class	Winner - 24.06.24
Elephant	Joshua Florea
Giraffe	Logan Humfrey
Monkey	Noah Hopgood
Tiger	Emilia Green
Penguin	Anais Golder
Zebra	Oakley Rickman
Lion	Aisha Mahmood
Meerkat	Elisabeta Mincu
Panda	Lily-Rose Stanton
Panther	Kai-Connelly-Gibson
Koala	Jesse Moon
Lemur	Stephen Opata
Leopard	Gabby Niedzielska
Rhino	Lya Mohammed

Certificate of Achievements

KS1

Sebastian Siroklyn	Bronze Stamp Award
Minsa Usman	Bronze Stamp Award
Lillian O'Driscoll	Bronze Stamp Award
Zayden Haque	Bronze Stamp Award
Winterbella Mellors	Bronze Stamp Award
Damian Dan	Bronze Stamp Award
Addison Millross	Bronze Stamp Award
Naomi Orimoloye	Bronze Stamp Award
Bobby Horne	Bronze Stamp Award
Alan Kryk	Bronze Stamp Award
Michelle Makinde	Bronze Stamp Award
Anna Popova	Bronze Stamp Award
Bryan Faria	Bronze Stamp Award
Rico Gomes	Bronze Stamp Award
Oliver Wilkins	Bronze Stamp Award
Grace Carroll	Bronze Stamp Award
Athisayavathy Sathish	Bronze Stamp Award
Maciej Czop	Bronze Stamp Award
Darnelle Johnston	Bronze Stamp Award
Jasmine Bartlett	Bronze Stamp Award
Abby Campbell-Sanchez	Bronze Stamp Award
Emily Inel	Bronze Stamp Award
Ayla Rose	Bronze Stamp Award
Julia Ceglarz	Bronze Stamp Award
Mathias Birtoc	Silver Stamp Award
Liam Austin-Wilson	Silver Stamp Award
Jacob White	Silver Stamp Award
Anais Golder	Silver Stamp Award
Maja Swieboda	Silver Stamp Award



KS2

Hazel Burley	Bronze Stamp Award
Jerome Matthias-Reef	Bronze Stamp Award
Aisha Mahmood	Silver Stamp Award
Jasmin Bertalan	Silver Stamp Award
Ioana Fodor	Silver Stamp Award
Kassidy McKinlay-Hewer	Silver Stamp Award
Leo Bave	Silver Stamp Award
Crystal Stark	Silver Stamp Award
Sienna Sansom-Anderson	Gold Stamp Award
Annie Sygrove	Gold Stamp Award
Jasmin Jayawardena	Gold Stamp Award
Mayo Fatomi	Gold Stamp Award
Sahasra Jasti	Gold Stamp Award
Elorm Dzudor	Gold Stamp Award
Felicity Roberts	Gold Stamp Award
Alex Addae-Mensah	Gold Stamp Award
Eliza Johnson	Gold Stamp Award
Maya Breahna	Gold Stamp Award
Amy Tate	Gold Stamp Award
Rebecca Tical	Gold Stamp Award
Leah-May Griffiths	Gold Stamp Award
Sophie Angel	Gold Stamp Award

Achieving Excellence Together

What's been going on?



Year 5 enjoyed their Greek WOW Day. They acted out the story of Medusa and the story of Agamemnon.



Thank you to @unrbanandrural for their fantastic donation to our school through their 'Valuation 4 Education' scheme! This will help us to support our pupils further in their education.



Beecroft had fun in the sun for our Sports' Day. We had KS1, LKS2 and UKS2 events in the morning and a whole school afternoon spent being active and having fun. Well done to all who participated and those who helped organise. What a brilliantly active day!

Year 2 had a wonderful day exploring Whipsnade Zoo. The pupils enjoyed attending a workshop about habitats from around the world and loved seeing a variety of animals in the sunshine.



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What's been going on?



EYFS enjoyed their sports morning. Both children and staff had such a fun time. The children tried their best with all activities and we had some amazing races to end the morning. Well done to our EYFS children!

Year 6 have been using their mathematical drawing skills to create art. They only drew straight lines and created curved lines as a result of their accurate measuring and drawing. We also looked at 'Curves of Pursuit' in real life such as in bridges and buildings.



Well done to our values winners for May who enjoyed afternoon tea with Mrs Hughes.

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French Day

**THURSDAY 11TH
JULY**

COQ AU VIN

CHICKEN CASSEROLE

QUICHE FORESTIER

MUSHROOM QUICHE

**LYONNAISE
POTATOES**

**SLICED POTATOES ROASTED IN BUTTER AND
ONIONS**

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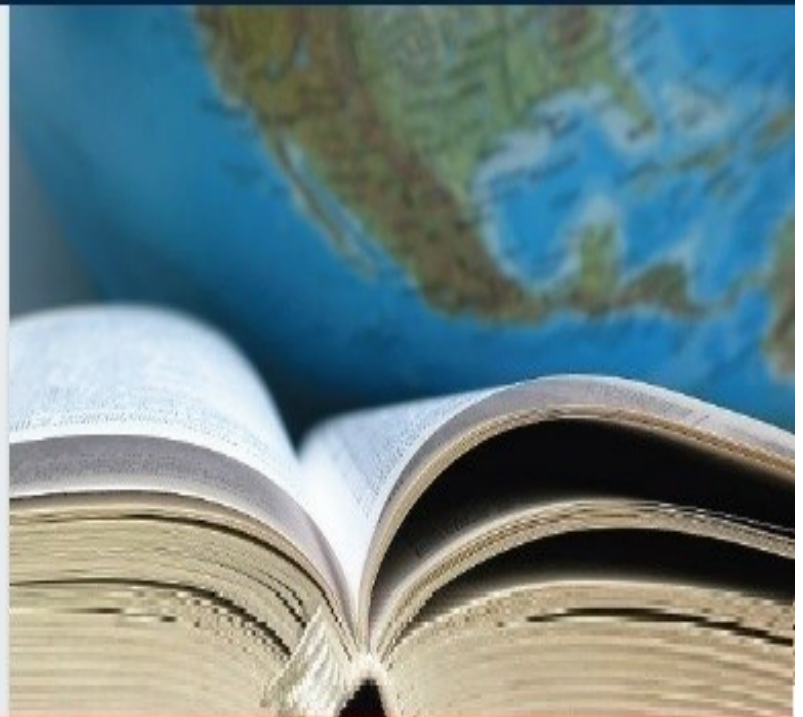
PEAS

**APPLE CAKE WITH
CARAMEL SAUCE**

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SUMMER OF FUN!

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SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Under 8s must be accompanied by an adult

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Youth and Community Team

FREE

SCHOOLS OUT PARTY

Friday 19 July
3.30 pm to 5.30 pm

Bennett Memorial
Recreation Ground

Ages 5 to 9

**£6 per
wristband**



INFLATABLE DAY

Friday 26 July
12 noon to 4 pm

Grove House Gardens

Ages 3+

FREE



DANCE WORKSHOP

Monday 29 July
10 am to 2 pm

Grove House Gardens

45 min sessions
30 spaces per session

10 am to 10.45 am
5 to 8 year olds

11 am to 11.45 am
8 to 12 year olds

12 noon to 12.45 pm
5 to 8 year olds

1.00 pm to 1.45 pm
8 to 12 year olds

FREE



SKATE BOARDING

Thursday 1 August
10 am to 3 pm

Grove Skate Park

4 x 1 hour sessions
12 spaces per session

10 am to 11 am
5 to 7 year olds

11 am to 12 noon
8 to 12 year olds

1 pm to 2 pm
5 to 7 year olds

2 pm to 3 pm
8 to 12 year olds

FREE



LET'S PLAY

Wednesday 7 August
11 am to 2 pm

Downside Recreation
Ground

Ages 0 to 5

FREE



SEASIDE DAY

Tuesday 13 August
11 am to 3 pm

Bennett Memorial
Recreation Ground

Ages 3+

£2 per go



ZORB FOOTBALL

Monday 19 August
1 pm to 3 pm

Grove House
Gardens

Ages 6 +

Call to book onto the dance
workshop and skateboard sessions,
anything else just turn up

01582 891434

FREE



OLYMPICS ARTS, CRAFTS AND OBSTACLES

Ages 3+

Thursday 22 August
10 am to 12 noon

Brewers Hill
Recreation Ground

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