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Events

2nd Oct Sycamore assembly
5th Oct 'flu vaccines
6th Oct YR vision screening
7th Oct Oak Maths eve 6pm
8th Oct Break the Rules Day
9th Oct Oak Class assembly
13th Oct Skip4fit sessions
14th Oct Oak Bake sale
21st Oct Parents' evening.
23rd Oct Beech assembly

Nether Kellet News

The Term So Far....

We have packed a lot in to our first few weeks back (as well as a few lurgies too!) Y1-6 children enjoyed fabulous days at Borwick, challenging themselves to go out of their comfort zone and persevere with new things as well as having lots of fun.

Our Year 6 children have really stepped up and taken responsibility around school brilliantly as playtime buddies, sports leaders, organising games and helping at lunchtimes and in assemblies - well done to them.



School Council

The children have once again selected school councillors from their classes. Children who wanted to represent their classes did presentations before a vote for members from each year group from Y1-6. Our councillors this year are: Y6: Lara, Jasper, Ada, Rowan Y5: Liliana, Charlie, Evie, Harry Y4: Ollie, Isla Y3: Ferne, Seth Y2: Laurie, Lyra Y1: Beatrix and Matthew.

They will be meeting soon to decide on issues and events that they would like to work on. They will be gathering ideas from their classes so they represent everyone's views. I'm sure they will do a great job!

Our new Reception children have settled in brilliantly and have already made friends and been looked after very well by their Year 6 buddies.

PTA

Our PTA have held their first meeting of the term and planned some exciting events for the children. The first is a "Break the Rules Day" on Thurs 8th Oct. The PTA will be in touch with suggestions of rules that can be broken for one day only!

They have also planned a movie night on Tues 24th November so keep that evening free for your children!

Meanwhile, they continue to run a tuck shop every Friday raising funds for lovely things in school and subsidies for school trips. Our PTA is always keen to have more members to help at occasional events/ tuck shops or be part of the core committee. Please let Vicky L know if you are interested in helping out and being part of our friendly PTA.



Beech Class enjoying team-building activities at the start of term!

Half term: 26th– 30th Oct incl.
Half term: 12th – 19th Feb incl.
Half term: 31st May – 8th Jun incl.

Sports

Our football teams have have already played against two schools in matches organised by

Ms Perry. Well done to all the children who have represented our school so well with excellent sporting attitudes to the games. We will have more matches coming up. We also have an indoor athletics league starting in November for Year 5 and 6 children in our athletics team. As mentioned in the bulletin, all of the children have the opportunity to play football at lunchtimes (Thursday lunch is girls only!) If your child is playing football, please ensure that they have kit in school – joggers/ trackies/ boots/ trainers and shin pads to change into and out of as our field will get very muddy! We are also having a Skip4fit session for all classes where the children learn skipping techniques and games and how to keep healthy skipping.

Please ensure you are reading with your child (or your child is reading to themselves) everyday to get into a good reading habit and really take off! Parents' involvement in reading makes an enormous difference. Remember to use our Reading Shack too to exchange books!

Visits and Visitors...

Beech Class loved their Mayan workshop and learning through drama and artefacts. Similarly, Sycamore Class enriched their learning with their Viking workshop: they certainly looked terrifying as Viking invaders! Chestnut Class are heading to Haverthwaite to visit the transport museum and steam railway soon linked with their topic.



Best wishes Nicki Bradbury

Christmas: Break up 1:30 18th Dec return 4th Jan.
Easter: Break up 25th Mar return 12th April
Summer: Break up 1:30 20th July

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