



Happy Friday

Hello everyone. This weekend should prove to be a particularly exciting one with the start of the **Euros**. I was quite pleased to pull **Germany** out of the hat for the staff **sweepstake** - from experience, they tend to do pretty well in major tournaments. That said, fingers crossed England go all the way! Also, I hope the **fathers** in our community enjoy **Father's Day** on **Sunday**. I am looking forward to spending time with my little boy and (maybe) watching the **England match** with him. For now, have a lovely weekend. Many thanks, Mr Routledge

Year One Phonics

This week, Year One children across the country have completed their **Phonics Screening Check**. Our children have all **worked incredibly hard** to develop the **basic skills** which support **early reading** and **writing**. The progress that they have made has been **remarkable** and we're very proud of them. **Mr Shepherd** and the **Year One** team have done a fantastic job to support the children.

Year Four Times Tables

Mr Gray and our **Year Four children** have been working hard this week on their official **Multiplication Tables Check**. Much like the **Phonics Screening Check**, this is a **statutory assessment** which Year Four children across the country complete in **June** each year. A lot of effort from **staff** and the **Year Four children** has gone into the check - not least the **commitment to TTRS**. The images below **illustrate the progress** from **September** to now based on the class average time taken to answer a **multiplication question**. We are thrilled with the outcome!

Class Average per Table - How quickly can the class correctly recall each times table? Click a table to focus on those facts.

Avg	10 ×	2 ×	5 ×	3 ×	4 ×	8 ×	6 ×	7 ×	9 ×	11 ×	12 ×
7.0s	4.5s	7.0s	7.5s	7.0s	7.1s	7.4s	7.7s	7.9s	7.2s	6.0s	7.1s

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2.8s	2.1s	2.3s	2.5s	2.8s	3.1s	3.4s	3.1s	3.2s	3.2s	2.0s	3.0s

Assault Course

Unfortunately due to the **poor forecast** today, we have **postponed** the **inflatable assault** course until **Friday 21st June**. As this date is a **non-uniform day**, children are encouraged to wear **sporty clothes** so they can safely enjoy the course. Could you please ensure that:

- Any children with **long hair** have it tied up with a **bobble** rather than a **plastic clip**.
- Children wear long trousers/tights and a **long sleeved top** to limit the risk of a **friction burn**.

We can't wait to **finally see the course** back in school. There have been a lot of **excited children** (and staff!).

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Year Six Author Visit

Our **Year Six** children enjoyed a visit at the **Learning Village** on Monday morning. **Phil Earle** shared **funny stories** about his experiences and how he became an **author**. Our pupils' behaviour was impeccable throughout the visit which was wonderful to hear! It was also very useful to continue the transition process by visiting the high school.



Sports Day

We are pleased to let you know that **Sports Day(s)** will take place as follows -

Key Stage Two: Monday 15th July from 2pm - 3pm

Reception and Key Stage One: Tuesday 16th July 2pm - 3pm

More **information** will **follow closer to the time** but we're looking forward to welcoming **families** into school to watch our **very sporty children!**

Parent/Carer Workshop

A reminder that our next parent/carers workshop will take place next **Wednesday** at **09:00**. The session will focus on **reading fluency** and the importance of **reading for pleasure**. **Mrs Carrick** will lead the session and **tea/coffee** and **biscuits** will be available for parents/carers. Reading to and reading with your children is hugely beneficial and we hope to provide additional **support** for you **at home** with **reading**.

Summer Fayre

A reminder that we will hold our **Summer Fayre** on **Wednesday 10th July** from **2:30** until **4:00pm**. We hope to have a **range of stalls** and would **appreciate donations** for the following:

- Summer **toys** or **games** to make hamper raffle prizes
- Quality **used toys**
- **Raffle prizes** - if you work for or have contacts with any local businesses who might donate a raffle prize please let us know via the admin@beaconhill.northumberland.sch.uk email address.

We kindly request that all donations are **nut free** and that **no alcohol** is donated. Parents and carers are invited to enjoy the fayre with their children. Children who are not picked up e.g. those who attend **Beaconhill OOSC** will be given the chance to explore the fayre with a **member of staff**.

Attendance

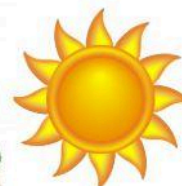
Very well done to **Year 5** who recorded the highest overall attendance for this week with an impressive **97.86%**. **Reception** and **Year Six** also recorded a rate of **96%+** which is our **whole school target**. I am really keen to keep pushing as much as possible to beat our attendance rate from last year. We have five weeks to go until the summer so please do everything you can to get your child **in school on time**, every day.



Reception - 97% **Year One** - 95.38% **Year Two** - 95.17% **Year Three** - 92.58% **Year Four** - 94.33%
Year Five - 97.86% **Year Six** - 96.13%

On the Menu Next Week . . .

Beaconhill Primary School Summer 2024 Menu WEEK THREE



Homemade Dish

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Course Choices	Pizza Wrap Fishfingers Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce Tuna & Mozzarella Melts Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings 	Mince and Dumplings Tomato and Basil Pasta Sandwich with a Choice of fillings 	Gammon dinner/Quorn Fillet with Yorkshire Pudding Chicken Goujons Jacket Potatoes with a Choice of Fillings 	Fish Fingers Sausage/Vegetarian Sausage Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings
Potatoes Pasta / Rice	Oven Baked Potato Wedges	Pasta Crusty bread	Mashed Potato Crusty Bread	Roast Potatoes	Chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Baked Beans
Salad Bar	Seasonal Salads	Seasonal Salads	Seasonal Salads	Seasonal Salads	Seasonal Salads
Starters or Sweets	Marshmallow Crispy Squares	Strawberry Delight 	Cheesecake 	Homemade Biscuit Glass of Milk or Juice 	School Pudding of the Day



Fresh fruit and a selection of breads are available at every meal.
 Drinking water is also provided on dining room tables.
 Menus are subject to change.