

Happy Friday!

I'd like to remind you that **Thursday 22nd** and **Friday 23rd October** are our Teacher **Training Days** so we will break up for **October half-term** on **Wednesday 21st**. We will have our end of half-term **non uniform** day on **Wednesday 21st**.

Please remember to send your child to school wearing a **warm coat** as the weather starts to turn **cooler**, particularly in the mornings.

We are resuming our **beach visits** next week when **Reception** will be heading to **Blyth**.

I hope you all enjoy a lovely weekend. Mrs Robinson.

Halloween Raffle

The children will bring home a strip of raffle tickets for our **Halloween Raffle** today. Tickets are **£1 each** or **£5** for the **strip**, please try to sell them to family and friends. On the back of each individual ticket sold, please write the name of the person who bought the ticket, your child's name and their class. Please **return sold raffle tickets** with the money in an envelope to school by **Monday 19th October 2026 at 9am** so that they can be added to the draw that week.



School Council

Our new school council met for the first time last week. The council, as always, has been elected in a **democratic process**. The **School Council** gives our children a voice in how the school is run - helping to make it an even **better place** for everyone. Members meet regularly to **share ideas**, **discuss improvements** and **plan projects** that benefit our **school community**. The **first project** of the year relates to a **Superzone** that we are creating around school. The school council shared their ideas in assembly this week.

Bonfire Night Safety

We have been asked to **share** the following information with all Parents and Carers from **Northumberland Fire and Rescue Service**:

'With Bonfire Night approaching, Northumberland Fire and Rescue Service is encouraging parents and carers to talk to their children about the dangers of deliberate fire setting. Deliberate fires can put people, property, and the environment at risk, while placing additional pressure on emergency services. Please take a moment to read the attached Deliberate Fire Setting Leaflet, which highlights the risks and consequences of fire setting and provides details of support services available. We also encourage families to celebrate Bonfire Night safely by attending organised displays where possible and ensuring any fireworks used at home are handled responsibly and under adult supervision. Thank you for helping us keep our communities safe this Bonfire Night.'



Parent Evenings

Regular Parent evenings will take place on **Monday** and **Wednesday** next week. (**12th** and **14th**) If you have not booked your appointment, please contact the school office to help. If your child is on the **SEND** register, you

should have received an invitation to a separate, longer meeting on a different date.

Harvest Festival

Thank you to everyone who has **donated** food and toiletries to **help** people in our **local community**. We will be taking the items to the **Hope Centre** next week, so any late donations at the beginning of next week will be **gratefully** received.

Save the date!

Beaconhill Christmas Fayre, Wednesday, 2nd December · 2:30 – 3:30pm. Following the huge success of our **Christmas Fayre** last year we are holding another this year and hope parents can come along and **enjoy** the event with their children. We hope to have a range of stalls and would appreciate donations for the following: Toys and books in **good condition** - for prizes for our **Toy** and **Book Tombola** (we will advise drop off dates and location nearer to the time).

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 **alcohol** or **items in glass containers** are **NOT** donated.

Thank you for your continued **support**.

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On **16th October**, our **Fun Friday** out of school club will be enjoying a new theme... **Circus skills!!** Whilst **Miss Fox** does not profess to have circus skills, she is keen to help and learn with the children to provide a **fun filled** evening with lots of **laughter** and **games**, including; learning how to walk on the tight-rope (beam), tin cup alley (with paper cups), clown face art work and juggling, alongside many other **circus related crafts**. We are sure this will be a busy evening, so remember to **book up** in **advance** to secure your child's place!

Attendance

Very well done to **Year Two** for recording the highest overall **attendance** this week with an impressive **98%**. **Year Four** also did well with **96.67%**. Letters of concern will be sent home when your child's attendance dips below 90%. **Attendance** for this year and last year will form part of the discussion at **parents/carers evening** over the next two weeks.

Reception - 95.33% **Year One** - 95% **Year Two** - 98% **Year Three** - 94.62%
Year Four - 96.67% **Year Five** - 94.83% **Year Six** - 92.41%



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Newsletter - Friday 9th October 2026. Week 6.



On the Menu Next Week . . .



First & Primary School Summer Menu 2026



WEEK 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Course Choices	Chicken Fajitas	Spaghetti Bolognese	Chicken Curry	Roast/ Veggie Roast of the Day & Yorkshire Pudding	Oven Baked Sausage Veggie Sausage
	Cheesy Pasta	Tuna/Cheese Melt	Tomato and Basil Pasta	Tuna and Sweetcorn Pasta	Breaded Fish Portion
	Sandwich with a choice of fillings	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings
POTATOES PASTA RICE	Potato Tots Crusty Bread	Garlic Bread Potato Waffles	Wholegrain Rice Naan Bread	Mashed Potatoes Herby Bread	Chips
VEGETABLES	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
SALAD BAR	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad
DESSERTS	Fruit Mousse Slice	Homemade Shortbread	Mini Muffin	Cherry on top Cake	School Pudding of the Day