



*"Nurturing Hearts
and Minds"*

Belthorn Academy Primary School

Headteacher: Mrs Helen Rowan

Friday Newsletter

Week Ending: 14th September 2018

★★★ This week's certificate winners... ★★★

★ Little Bells –

★ Year 1 – Rae Coyne

★ Year 3 – Daisy Talbot

★ Year 5 – Eva Banks

★ Reception –

★ Year 2 – Marziya Abbas

★ Year 4 – Katie Mayor

★ Year 6 – Amaan Faqir

Welcome to this week's newsletter...

There has been lots of interesting learning going on in school this week. Years 3 & 4 had their Evacuee day on Tuesday as part of their WW2 topic and they thoroughly enjoyed learning about how life might have been as an evacuee child and looking at artefacts from the war. Years 5&6 have had an interesting time learning how to weigh out ingredients, chop, peel and slice as part of their DT cooking project linked to their topic of 'What makes Britain great?'. Miss Egan certainly challenged herself to survive 31 children making apple crumble on Tuesday and then repeating it all again on Thursday. Years 1 & 2 will be having their WOW events next week with a special archery day on Thursday, and Belthorn School for Knights and Princesses on Friday.



Meet the Teacher Meetings have commenced and Miss Gervis and Miss Trafford have been talking to parents about life in years 1 & 2. Next week, Mrs Powell has her meeting on Monday, Mr Griffiths and Mr Carr on Tuesday and Mr Furness on Thursday. If your child is in years 3,4,5 or 6 please come along to the meeting as they are very important in building good home-school relations as well as parents getting vital information.



Please can I remind you that all children in Years 1-6 should have a suitable PE kit in school. This is an important part of our curriculum and the children need to take part fully in activities. **If your child has pierced ears, they must remove their earrings for PE or have the earrings covered up with plasters provided**

from home

Thank you

Attendance Award



Please can I remind all parents that medical or dental appointments should be made out of school time whenever possible. If it has to be during the school day, we are asking that we see the appointment card so that we can note it on the school system. If medications need to be administered in school, please can you complete a permission form via the school office.

Thank you

Picking up and dropping off



From Monday 17th September – **Reception children** can enter by the same door as the rest of the school. Please come to the side hall door from 8.30am where you will be greeted by Mrs Sutcliff. The children are now familiar with the morning routine so will be able to go with Mrs Hall down to the classroom and get themselves organised for the school day. The children can also be collected from the hall door from 3.15pm – 3.30pm.

Children in Years 1 & 2 should be collected from 3.15pm – 3.20pm and Ks2 at 3.30pm.

Thank you once again for your patience and support during the building works.

And Finally



I have added a list of extra-curricular activities for this half term to the school website. Separate letters will be sent out for many of the clubs. I am still trying to organise the Netball club, but will inform parents when we are ready to start again.

Please log onto the website – www.belthornacademy.co.uk, click on the school information tab and then select Extra-

Curricular Activities.

Guitar and Ukulele lessons have started for children in Year 2 upwards. If you are interested, please give Miss Nuttall your details. Lessons are charged at £4.

Judo will resume on Thursday 4th October.

Please see information for each Year Group on the class blogs. Simply click on the orange tab on the school website and select the year group you need.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Rowan and the Belthorn Team.



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