

# Beechwood Primary News



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Well done to the children in

Hyerle

# EYFS Class Assembly

Our EYFS children wowed their families and the rest of the school as they took part in their first ever class assembly. They shared their learning on life cycles, their most recent talk for writing - Mr Grumpy's outing, their maths learning on subitising and sports day. We all enjoyed their final song - spring chicken!

# **Sports Day**

Well done to the children in Hyerle who were the winners of Sports Day!

# Overall Winning House

Well done to the children in Kagan who were the overall winning House.

# Goodbye and Good Luck

We would like to say good luck to our Year 6 children who are leaving us to start new adventures at High School. We are sure that they will continue to shine brightly during the next phase of their education and we are honoured to have been part of their journey, they have all been truly amazing throughout their time with us, we are so proud of how they have all grown and matured during their time with us. We would also like to say goodbye and good luck to our Year 2 Lewis Carroll children who are moving on to new schools. We have loved getting to know the children during their time with us and we are sure that they will continue to make us proud in their new school.

# Congratulations to....

Oscar C & Grace (YR), Isabella & Charlotte (Y1), Elsie, Ben N & Ben F (Y2), Evelyn & Vega (Y3), Nathan & Daisy Mai (Y4), Scarlet R & Tristan (Y5). For their excellent work this half term, keep up the hard work! Maddison (Y6) - Headteacher's Award Chloe (Y6) - Thinking Award

As a reminder, the children are only allowed plain black tracksuit bottoms and either plain black or plain red hoodies/jackets to go over their plain black shorts and red polo neck t-shirts.

# Snack/Lunch

As a reminder, from September lunch is increasing to  $\pounds 2.70$ .

Also please remember the children are not allowed any products that contain nuts, fizzy drinks or sweets/chocolate bars in their packed lunches.

We would like to say a massive thank you to Jenny Beech, Rachel Moorcroft, Andrew Foulkes, Cheryl Kinouchi, and Kirsty Ap-Carreg for all of their hard work behind the scenes pulling the summer fayre together. We would also like to thank all of the parents and staff who helped out setting up the stalls and running the stalls during the event. Finally thank you to everyone who turned up to support, the fayre raised a very impressive £873.72! Selling the ice pops has also raised an impressive £228.15! Well done and thank you everyone.



# **Sports**



Over this half term, the children have taken part in a range of different sporting events and competitions. Photographs from the different events can be found on the website and twitter. We would like to say a massive thank you to all of the parent volunteers who have helped us, without your support we wouldn't be able to take the children to all of these events or maintain our <u>School Games Platinum</u> award.

#### Girls Dynamo Cricket

8 girls from Y6 represented the school at the Widnes Dynamo Cricket Tournament; the girls were amazing and despite being tired from their Residential, they came in 2nd place, earning them the chance to represent Halton at the Cheshire County Finals. The girls also did a fantastic job at the Cheshire County Finals, getting wickets with their bowling and hitting some fantastic sixes - well done girls

#### Mixed Dynamo Cricket

10 children from Y5/6 represented the school at the Runcorn Dynamo Cricket Tournament; the children were amazing and came in 1st place, earning them the chance to represent Halton at the Cheshire County Finals. The children also did a fantastic job at the Cheshire County Finals, getting wickets with their bowling and hitting some fantastic sixes. Year 5/6 Girls Football

8 girls from Y5/6 took part in a girls football festival. They played 3 matches, winning one match and drawing 2 matches finishing in second place overall. It was lovely to see some girls who wouldn't normally play football taking part and really enjoying this opportunity.

## Merseyside Youth Games Netball

8 children from Year 5/6 children represented Beechwood and Halton at the netball county finals. The children all played brilliantly throughout and they were awarded the 'Spirit of the Games' trophy due to their fantastic sportsmanship, cheering on others and showing respect to the umpires - well done children!

# **Arts**

#### Year 6 Music Showcase

Our Year 6 children wowed their parents and the rest of the school when they performed their final music showcase. We also invited Mr Steward from the Heath who was amazed at how talented all of our children are and is excited to be gaining so many amazing musicians in September.

#### Halton Poetry Festival

Charlotte, Isabelle, and Isaac (Year 1), Hope and Nancy (Year 2) were selected to represent the school at the first ever Key Stage 1 Halton Poetry Festival, performing poems that they had written themselves in a workshop with author and poet Paul Delany. The children did a fantastic job and they all performed their poems with great confidence, well done children!

## Arts Award

All 25 of our Year 6 children have taken part in Arts Award Explore this academic year, they have worked hard throughout the year on their portfolios for this award and we are delighted to announce that following a successful moderation of the portfolios all children have passed, well done Year 6!

#### Circus Capers

Our Key Stage 2 children wowed the audience with their amazing acting, singing, dancing and musical skills during their end of year performance. We are so proud of all the children, they performed with confidence and had the audience laughing with their acting skills and jokes. Thank you to all of the staff for your hard work getting the children stage ready.

#### Children of the Hub Sing

19 of our Key Stage 2 children took part in the Children of the Hub Rewind concert at DSBL stadium. They joined other Halton and Warrington Primary Schools, wowing the audience with their amazing singing and actions. We really enjoyed being able to take part in this concert again for the first time since covid.

#### <u>Drama</u>

All of our children have really enjoyed their drama sessions this half term. It was lovely to see how much the children grew in confidence during these sessions. Thank you to the PTA for funding drama tuition for us.

# Year 4 Class Assembly

Our Year 4 children wowed their parents and the rest of their school with their pirates performance and the sharing of their amazing writing. You could definitely see the impact of the drama sessions

# **Healthy Schools Award**

We are delighted to have received this award which recognises the various educational health sessions and the work we do within school promoting the importance of being active and having a healthy body and mind.

# Year 6 Residential Visit - London

Year 6 had an amazing time on their residential to London. They had the once in a lifetime experience of sleeping on HMS Belfast as part of their 'Kip on a Ship' experience. They had a fantastic view of some of the wonderful London landmarks including the Tower of London and Tower Bridge. They really enjoyed walking around London and seeing the sights despite the heat! They braved the glass walkway over the river Thames in the Tower Bridge on the first day. On the second day they had a tour of the Houses of Parliament and had the amazing opportunity to meet and talk to our MP- Mike Amesbury who was really impressed with their questions and knowledge of politics. Finally, before heading home, they went to the West End to watch Frozen live on stage, they were all blown away by the amazing effects and music.