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HEADTEACHER'S HEADLINE

What a welcome I've had! I've already met a number of parents and grandparents and everyone has been very friendly and supportive. The children are absolutely lovely, polite and well-mannered. Several stop by my office at the end of each day to ask if I've had a nice day.

During the rest of the Summer term I intend to get to know the staff and children and to learn how things are done the 'Bewbush Way'. I hope to continue meeting you on the gate every morning and I will be arranging a formal meeting to introduce myself to you. Please be patient whilst we focus on the Year 6 SAT's – I'm looking forward to the SAT's Breakfast.

One thing I have noticed is the number of children who arrive late on a regular basis. I know mornings can be a hectic time but children really need to be through the school gate by 8.55am to have a calm start to their school day.

Please continue to greet me in the morning and I'm looking forward to getting to know as many of you as possible over the next few weeks.

Christine Dickens

Star Awards Cup

28th April

Dove	Nikita
Kingfisher	Tymoteusz
Nightingale	Daria
Heron	Kelsey
Puffin	Amal
Swan	India
Sparrow	Kaya
Wren	Leah
Blackbird	Ellie
Chaffinch	Paige
Jay	Bo
Magpie	Vivien
Mallard	Summer
Robin	Jassir
Swift	Jaydon
Greenfinch	Jahmie
Owl	Rafael
Skylark	Abhishek
Eagle	Rayan
Hawk	Ben
Kestrel	Tracey



Friends of Bewbush Academy

The next meeting for the Friends of Bewbush Academy is next Thursday on 4th May at 3.30pm. The agenda will be based on the Summer Fair. Everyone is welcome to come along and find out how you can get involved.

Hindleap Payments

For children currently in **Year 5**, Hindleap deposits are due today. You can make the payments via our online payment system Joinos. If you have any problems paying online, or have any other queries please contact the School Office as soon as possible.

Summer Term clubs

We have limited places available for a few clubs, further details are below, please contact the School Office if your child would like a space.

Club	Day	Time	Year Group	Cost
Knitting	Mon	3.20pm-4.00pm	5	Free
Cheerleading	Tues	3.20pm-4.20pm	3-4	£30 (10 weeks)
Recorder	Tues	12.15pm-12.45pm	2	Free
Street Dance	Wed	3.15pm-4.15pm	1-2	£30 (10 weeks)
Summer Games	Thurs	3.20pm-4.20pm	3-4	Free
Art Club	Thurs	3.20pm-4.30pm	3-4	Free
Contemporary Dance	Thurs	3.20pm-4.20pm	4, 5-6	Free
Little Dancers	Fri	12.15pm-12.45pm	5-6	£7.50 (5 weeks)
Street Dance	Fri	3.20pm-4.20pm	3-4	£30 (10 weeks)

Free Maths Course

We are offering a free Maths course for parents/carers of children in Reception, Year 1 and 2. To sign up please contact the School Office.

Year 6 SAT's Breakfast

The **Year 6** SAT's are coming up shortly, please do not forget to send in your SAT's breakfast form to ensure your child is able to enjoy a relaxed healthy breakfast before the hard work begins.

Playtime Update

Please could we ask parents to ensure children do not play football before/after school and that children do not bring in footballs or fidget spinners from home.

PARENTS IN SCHOOL AFTERNOON ON MONDAY 22ND MAY 2.15PM



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Year 2 Surprise Visitor

Year 2 had a surprise feast on Tuesday morning. We arrived in class to find Fantastic Mr Fox had left us lots of treats and goodies to enjoy. We will be using the Roald Dahl story, Fantastic Mr Fox to help us in literacy.



Thank You

The children of Bewbush Academy and Ms Harding are hugely grateful to the PTA for funding a classroom set of ukuleles! Although they are all second-hand, they are in great condition and will be making music for years to come at Bewbush. Thank You!!!

May 2017	
Throughout May	Year 2 SAT's assessments will take place throughout May
1 st	May Day Holiday
4 th	Year 4 Swift class swimming starts Friends of Bewbush Academy meeting 3.30pm
W/C 8 th	Year 6 SAT's tests
11 th	Year 5 Football tournament
18 th	Year 5 – Herstmonceux Science visit
22 nd	Open Afternoon – parents in from 2.15pm
26 th	100% attendance rewards
26 th	Last day of term
June 2107	
5 th June	First day of term - Children back to school
W/C 12 th	Year 1 phonics screening checks
15 th	EYFS West Sussex Fire and Rescue visiting
19 th	TKAT Games
20 th	Year 2 West Sussex Fire and Rescue visiting
21 st	Year 2 Steps in Time workshop
29 th	Sports Day Year 5 Swift class swimming finishes
30 th	Year 1 Arundel trip
July 2017	
6 th	EYFS Beach Trip
w/c 3 rd	Year 6 Production Week
10 th	Enterprise Week
11 th	Moving up day
14 th	Reports home to parents Summer Fair
17 th	Extended Open Afternoon from 2pm
21 st	100% attendance rewards Leavers Assembly
21 st	Last day of term
24 th	INSET Day
25 th	INSET Day