



The Bewbush Academy

## HEADTEACHER'S HEADLINE



The Summer Term got off to a good start with some real summer weather! Sadly, we have returned to weather that is more typical for the time of year with chilly mornings. It's still a good idea to send your child into school with a coat as we do send them out to play if it's only raining a little.

Have you had a chance to see our outdoor gym equipment? We have replaced the old year 5/6 Trim Trail with a set of outdoor gym equipment – the children are loving it! It's great to see them exercising out of choice at break and lunchtimes. We will continue to use our Sports' Funding to purchase more equipment next year.

All the children are working really hard at the moment, with Year 6 preparing for their SATs, they all have the name of their secondary school and are beginning to realise it is time to move on – a big change in their lives. The Senior Leadership Team and I will soon be looking at class teachers for next year and after half term we will begin the transition process for the whole school.

The Summer Term is always busy, we'll be having an Art Week followed by an Open Afternoon for you to come in and see the children's art work, our usual Enterprise Week with the School Fair at the end of the week. Keep an eye on the school diary for these two important events along with specific class events that will be happening. The Year One children have already been on a Bog Baby Hunt to Buchan Park!

### The Usual Reminders...

I'm still receiving requests for holidays in term time – these are never granted! Please be aware that if you request four days and your child is absent for a fifth day we will not authorise this day and a penalty is requested.

I'm still moaning about the lack of PE kits in school – children have to take part in PE it's a statutory requirement – their PE kits must be in school at all times and their earrings must be removed.

Please keep reading with your children – this is the best way to support your child's learning!

Christine Dickens

### Manor Royal Careers Expo

There is a free careers expo at the Crowne Plaza Hotel from 3pm-8pm on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2018. You are encouraged to turn up any time during the event as there is no need to book and free parking is available. For more information please go to [www.manoroyal.org](http://www.manoroyal.org).



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Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018

### Superhero Awards

#### 20<sup>th</sup> April

Nightingale Chantelle  
Dove Frankie  
Kingfisher Zoya  
Heron Harry Peter  
Puffin Ibrahim  
Swan Maksim  
Sparrow Izaak  
Wren Paige  
Blackbird Yohan  
Chaffinch -  
Jay -  
Magpie -  
Mallard -  
Robin -  
Swift -  
Greenfinch -  
Owl -  
Skylark -  
Eagle -  
Hawk -  
Kestrel -

#### 27<sup>th</sup> April

Nightingale Keeley  
Dove Patryk  
Kingfisher Dawid  
Heron Lilly  
Puffin Mohammad  
Swan Hagiell  
Sparrow Umer  
Wren Shivam  
Blackbird Oliver  
Chaffinch -  
Jay Louisa  
Magpie Laura  
Mallard Kameron  
Robin Sadie  
Swift Falah  
Greenfinch Sally  
Owl Rebecca  
Skylark Zainab  
Eagle Brooke  
Hawk Tyler  
Kestrel Harley



### Summer term - PE kit

Now that the weather is getting warmer every effort will be made to hold PE lessons outside therefore please ensure your child has their PE kit in school including plimsolls or trainers. Children

will be unable to join in with PE unless they have their full PE kit. On the cooler days, you may wish to include a pair of leggings or jogging bottoms.



The FOBA had their meeting on Monday and planned the details for the Summer Fair. The date has been confirmed for 13<sup>th</sup> July. There will also be a Non uniform day where children will be asked to bring in a donation on 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018. Further information will be released nearer the date.

## Raffle

Are you able to help with a raffle prize? Do you own a company that would be able to offer a prize or be able to purchase something we could offer as a prize? Please contact the school office if you are able to help.

### Local events

We have included a number of local events and news in our newsletter this week. There is a poster regarding an Autism Support Day on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May at Manor Green College and information regarding this year's STEM in the Park in the Memorial Gardens on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2018. There are also some newspaper articles that have been in the local press regarding Premier League Primary Stars with Crawley Town and a revamp of the play area in Halnaker Walk near Salvington Road.



## KS2 Accelerated Reader Word Count Winners

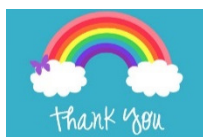
Wow! What amazing readers we have. Keep up the good work.

		20 <sup>th</sup> April	27 <sup>th</sup> April	
Chaffinch	Bobby	99,806	Aleena	50,180
Jay	Arham	29,557	Mahum	37,568
Magpie	Aaron	72,053	Ayesha	24,683
Mallard	Kelly-Louise	42,204	Samuel	36,608
Robin	Luoana	41,087	Luoana	73,532
Swift	Max	84,106	Saarah	54,642
Greenfinch	Heather	4,469	Lewis	73,689
Owl	Alisha	71,575	Zeyaad	30,980
Skylark	Labiqa	197,160	Aaron	208,634
Eagle	Taylor	82,986	Bailey	99,357
Hawk	Justin	4,292	Imogen	162,780
Kestrel	Eshal	228,462	Eshal	138,387

### Friends of Bewbush Academy

We urgently need volunteers to help out with planning and running stalls for the Summer Fair. Please contact the school office if you are able to help out.

The Friends would like to say a huge thank you to the Co-op for their wonderful donations of Easter Eggs for the Easter event.



### Behaviour in the playground

We have had some complaints regarding adult's behaviour whilst dropping off and collecting children from school. We are confident that all parents/carers agree that the use of bad language and aggressive behaviour will not be tolerated under any circumstances on school grounds. Please do not hesitate to contact the school office should you have any concerns.



### Early Years Music at Crawley Music Centre - First Session Free!

We are looking for children age 3 to 5 years to join our Early Years group at Crawley Music Centre, 9.00-9.45am on a Saturday morning at Hazelwick School.

The Centre has been established for over 50 years and enabled generations of young musicians discover a love of music, learn to play and perform to a high level.

Come and experience fun songs, games and musical activities which develop little ones' musical appreciation, listening and skills.

Sessions start on Saturday 21 April; please register to let us know you are coming by emailing [wendy.cooper@westsussexmusic.co.uk](mailto:wendy.cooper@westsussexmusic.co.uk)



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### Key dates for your diary

May 2018	
7 <sup>th</sup>	Bank Holiday
10 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5 Hindleap Warren presentation
12 <sup>th</sup>	STEM in the Park
14 <sup>th</sup> -18 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 SAT's
16 <sup>th</sup>	Year 1-2 Theatre performance
18 <sup>th</sup>	EYFS – Bee Man visit
21 <sup>st</sup> -25 <sup>th</sup>	Year 2 SAT's
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Year 5 Science Observatory Centre
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 1-2 – Lighthouse assembly
28 <sup>th</sup> -1 <sup>st</sup> Jun	Half term holiday
June 2018	
4 <sup>th</sup>	INSET Day
8 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day
11 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup>	Art Week
14 <sup>th</sup>	Reception - Pulborough Brooks
20 <sup>th</sup>	Year 2 Steps in Time
25 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day (reserve day)
27 <sup>th</sup>	2018-19 children settling in session
July 2018	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 1 Arundel castle visit
6 <sup>th</sup>	Non-uniform day (FOBA event)
9 <sup>th</sup> -13 <sup>th</sup>	Enterprise week
13 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Fair
14 <sup>th</sup>	Gossops Green Summer Festival
17 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Production – Dress rehearsal
18 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Production
24 <sup>th</sup>	Leavers assembly 9.15am
24 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of the School year



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