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Dear Parents and Carers,

Although it has been a shorter week in school it has felt just as busy. Everywhere I turned I was faced with children and teachers working hard and being fully engaged in the learning experience. It is wonderful to see teaching and learning in practice. Our first coffee morning is not very far away and you too will get to be involved in lessons!

Thank you all for your support for our Attendance focus. I can tell how important your child's education is to you and I am delighted to say that our attendance last week was **97.9%** and for the academic year to date is **95.5%** which is still a significant increase on last year. A huge well done to Year 2 children who have 100% attendance for the year so far. All our classes have won a Halebank Attendance Hero star this week (95% or above) and I need to think of a special treat for Year2!

Beech class have won the award for tidiest classroom this week and have shown us how much they respect the equipment and resources available to them and that they are willing to tidy up after themselves and work as a team.

We are very excited to be offering an overnight trip to our Year 2 pupils this year. It will be in Delamere Forest in November. A letter will be coming out next week with all the details.

***A reminder that the applications for new school starters in September 2023 is now open. You can find information leaflets around school and on the school website. You MUST apply before 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023. We will be having an open day for parents of 2023 new starters so watch this space for further information!***

**FLU Reminder – please complete regardless of whether you want your child to have nasal spray or not. [www.BWimmunisations.co.uk](http://www.BWimmunisations.co.uk) (use this link below is just an image)**

**The session for Halebank CofE Primary School is on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022  
The online consent form closes at 11am, two working days before the session.**

- 1. Click on the following link:** [www.BWimmunisations.co.uk](http://www.BWimmunisations.co.uk)
- 2. Enter and confirm your preferred email address** – you will receive a confirmation email following submission of the consent form.
- 3. Enter your school code: BW111244**
- 4. Complete and submit the consent form**, indicating your choice of consent - please ensure you provide your child's registered address and GP.

### ***Dinner Money and Free School Meals***

*All pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to a 'universal infant free school meal' so no payment is required.*

*If your child is in Key Stage 2 (Years 3 to 6), school dinner money should be paid using the School Gateway app. The cost of a school meal is £2.50; this should be paid in advance, ideally at the start of each half term (and no later than the start of each week).*

*If you think your child may be eligible for a free school meal, please use the [Free School Meals](#) link have a look at the Free School Meals information on HBC website.*



# STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Lincoln	Frankie	Bella	Georgie	Gracie	Elsie May	Louis



- 5<sup>th</sup> October – Geography Coffee Morning for parents
- 6<sup>th</sup> October – Y4 Football Widnes
- 7<sup>th</sup> October – Flu Vaccinations
- 10<sup>th</sup> October – Hello Yellow Day (non-uniform to raise money for Young Minds)
- 20<sup>th</sup> October – Y5 Football
- 21<sup>st</sup> October - Harvest Festival Assembly
- 2<sup>nd</sup> November – Parents' Evening 1:00pm until 6:00pm. Please keep the day in mind. You will be able to sign up for an appointment in the next week or so.

After School Clubs will be starting soon. You will be able to sign up in the usual way from Monday 26<sup>th</sup> September.

Club	Who with	Day	Start Date	Classes
Irish dancing	Miss Walsh	Monday	03/10/22	Beech, Oak
Construction	Miss Stones	Monday	03/10/22	Cherry, Willow
Multi-Sports	Progressive Sports	Wednesday	05/10/22	Willow
Drama and Arts	Andrew Curphey Theatre Group	Thursday	29/09/22	Willow, Beech, Oak
Multi-Sports	Progressive Sports	Friday	30/09/22	Beech, Oak



## READING CHAMPIONS



Cherry Class	Willow Class	Beech Class	Oak Class
Nevaeh	Jessie	Marley	Scarlett

## HANDWRITING CHAMPIONS

Cherry Class	Willow Class	Beech Class	Oak Class
Bobby	Clara	Jake	Emily

## MATHEMATICS CHAMPIONS

Cherry Class	Willow Class	Beech Class	Oak Class
William	Thomas W	Hugo	Coltyn

Our Prayer of the Week has been written by a pupil in Oak Class:

Dear God,

Thank you for all my friends and family,  
 Thank you for my arms and legs and body,  
 Thank you for my food and water,  
 Thank you for my unique mind,

Please help people who need food money and homes.

Amen

Have a lovely weekend.  
 My very best wishes.

Mrs C Warner  
 Headteacher