



## Gardening Club



### Help!

Mrs Ford is looking for help with her gardening club. We

are lucky to have such a beautiful school site and it is great to give the children the chance to grow their own plants and flowers. If you would like to help with the allotments and green spaces around school, please let us know. You don't need to be an expert gardener, just a willing volunteer. We would also welcome any donations of seeds and gardening tools; if you have any equipment you no longer use or need please bring it to the school office.

### Track Installation

Our Daily Mile track is almost complete. Had it not been for Storm Callum battering the UK at the end of this week we would be using it already. Hopefully the children will be walking, jogging or running on it very soon. Thank you for your patience during the installation. You can support the daily mile at home by encouraging your child's confidence and through joining them in running and moving out of school hours. Parents often say that The Daily Mile helps children to eat and sleep better. Let's work together to help Beech Hill children be the fittest in Wigan.



### Magic Breakfast!

We are delighted to see so many of you at breakfast in the hall each morning—our bagels have been a massive hit with children, staff and parents. Do you know someone who hasn't been to breakfast yet? Bring them along with you next time. If we meet a target to get at least 25% of our families to attend regularly breakfast is the best way to start every day.



### Parent Conferences

Sign-up sheets are now available outside the classrooms. It is so important that all our children have someone attend the meeting as it is a great opportunity to discuss how we can work together to support your children in achieving their very best. You will be able to ask any questions you may have and see the progress your child has made since the beginning of the year. We look forward to seeing you.

### Sporting News

Well done to our Y4 boys who represented the school so well at football last Friday.



Congratulations to Sophie who has been made Captain of the Netball team and Katielee and Keira who will be Vice Captains.

### 14th December...14th December...14th

The Friends of Beech Hill will be holding a Christmas Fair after school on 14th December. There will be a range of stalls and activities—if you have any ideas for stalls or would like to help, you will be warmly welcomed by our Friends.



### Dates for your Diary

- 17th October: Kingfisher Sharing Assembly
- 17th October: Nasal Flu vaccinations (YR - Y5)
- 19th October: Finish for Half Term Holiday
- 29th October: Return to school
- 31st October: Eagle Sharing Assembly
- 6th November: Kestrel Sharing Assembly
- 7th November: Winning House cinema trip
- w/b 5th November: Parent / Teacher conferences
- 6th November: Parent evening for working parents
- 27th November: Let's Sing Concert at Robin Park
- 12th December: School Book Fair
- 14th December: Christmas Fair
- 21st December: School Closes for Christmas

### Time To Talk

You find an invisibility cloak, where would you go? What would you want to see and why?

### ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance at school is crucial if children are to achieve the best outcomes possible. Please ensure your child attends school every day.

Best attending classes week ending: 05/10/18

EYFS & KS1	Robin Class:	98.4%
KS2	Owl Class:	97.1%



# Owl Class Newsletter



This half term we've done lots of exciting work on the famous artist L.S Lowry. This week we had the pleasure of sharing all our work with everyone in our class assembly- if you didn't manage to make it you can find it on our class Twitter page! @BHCohort2122



We have also looked at the poem 'Albert and the Lion'. The children have loved learning this poem and enjoyed using drama to tell the story of the poem - we have some budding actors and actresses in class!



This half term in science our topic has been Light and Dark. As a class we came up with a big question- Does a shadow get bigger or smaller the closer it is to the light source?... what do you think? Have a look at our Twitter feed to find out!

