



# BECKLEY BULLETIN

## 23 March 2018



### March

- Monday 26 Blue Spruce: Greek Day at Peasmarsh  
Mathsbusters - Year 6 @ Jempsons
- Tuesday 27 Easter Fayre - School Hall
- Wednesday 28 Easter Service - 2.15pm, Beckley Church
- Thursday 29 Blue Spruce: Greek Play in a Day  
Last day of Term 4

### April

- Monday 16 First day of Term 5
- Wednesday 18 Mathsbusters - Year 6 : 3.30-4.45pm
- Saturday 21 BSA200: Quingo
- Monday 23 Mathsbusters - Year 6 : 3.30-4.45pm
- Tuesday 24 Blue Spruce Swimming : 1/5
- Monday 30 Mathsbusters - Year 6 : 3.30-4.45pm
- Tuesday 31 Blue Spruce Swimming : 2/5

### May

- Tuesday 8 Blue Spruce Swimming : 3/5
- Wednesday 9 Mathsbusters - Year 6 : 3.30-4.45pm
- Saturday 12 History of Beckley School - 7.30pm
- Monday 14 - Y6 SATs week
- Thursday 17
- Tuesday 15 Blue Spruce Swimming : 4/5
- Monday 21 - Bikeability - Year 5
- Thursday 24
- Tuesday 22 Blue Spruce Swimming : 5/5
- Friday 25 Last day of Term 5

### June

- Saturday 16 Barn Dance - 7.30pm Village Hall
- Wednesday 20 Sports Day : 1.30pm start  
(Reserve Date : Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>)
- Friday 22 Peasmarsh Music Festival : Year 5/6
- Saturday 30 Summer Fayre - Jubilee Field

### July

- Wednesday 11 Year 6 Leavers' Trip: Warner Bros



**EASTER FAYRE** : This will be held at school on **Tuesday 27 March** from 2.30pm; parents welcome from 3pm (Helpers from 1.30pm). Please can children bring their money in a named purse on the day. Prices will vary from 20p upwards.

**EASTER SERVICE**: Our Easter Service will take place at Beckley Church on Wednesday 28 March. The service will start at 2.15pm and finish by 3.20pm. **ALL children to be collected by parents from the CHURCH after the service finishes.**



(It would also be helpful if those children who have a packed lunch could bring it in a throw away bag)

Parents are more than welcome to attend the service; the BSA will be providing tea & biscuits from 1.45pm at the church. They will also be giving Easter eggs to the children after the service.

### MESSAGE FROM BECKLEY CHURCH:

On Saturday 31st March we shall be building an Easter Garden in Beckley Church from 10-11.30am. We would like to see any children (or family or friends) who would like to come along and help. It can be a muddy job - don't wear your best clothes! You don't have to let me know in advance; just come along. Any questions? Call me on (01797) 230324.

*Jennifer Als*



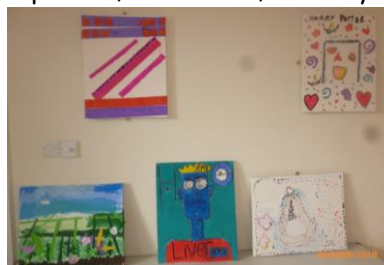
### KINGSWOOD RESIDENTIAL TRIP: September 2018

Please may I remind parents that the third instalment of the residential trip is due today. For those of you paying in instalments, please could you arrange to bring the payment to the office early next week. Thank you.

**BLUE SPRUCE SWIMMING**: Blue Spruce children will be attending swimming lessons on **Tuesday mornings in Term 5 (first session Tuesday 24 April)**. Please could parents return the signed permission slips to the office as soon as possible. Children should arrive at school with their full swimming kit. The minibus will leave school @ 0900 so children should arrive to school by 0845. Further details went home in bookbags earlier this week. Thank you.



**BSA ART EXHIBITION**: Huge thanks to Jenny Edbrooke for organising the Art Exhibition and for spending time in the classroom helping the children create their pieces. Thanks also to our special guest speaker, Jane Fenn, from Rye



Art Gallery. The show was a great success and has raised around £300 towards the 200<sup>th</sup> celebrations.

**VICTORIAN WEEK:** As part of the 200<sup>th</sup> celebrations, the BSA are kindly funding a week of 'Victorian' themed activities which will take place throughout the first week back in Term 6. Ideas currently being discussed include: Victorian Day in school; Victorian style photographer; Blast Science; whole school trip to Bodiam for 'Dig It' archaeological excavation; Victorian sports. Further details will follow next term.

**HISTORY TALK:** As part of the 200 celebrations, Bernard Baverstock will be giving a talk on the history of Beckley School. The evening will start at 7.30pm on Saturday 12 May at the village hall. Adult and older second age children welcome - not suitable for youngsters; donations to 200 celebrations.

**BARN DANCE:** Saturday 16 June (over 16's only) Featuring the Catsfield Steamers. Ticket £15 per person (including hotdogs) are now on sale at the school office.



**LOVE SCHOOL Meals - WE'RE ALL EARS**

**HAVE YOUR SAY**  
12<sup>th</sup> March - 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018

**COMPLETE OUR SURVEY**  
For your chance to win  
**A FAMILY TICKET TO DRUSILLAS, KNOCKHATCH OR DIGGERLAND!**

GO TO [WWW.LOVESCHOOLMEALS.CO.UK/WAE](http://WWW.LOVESCHOOLMEALS.CO.UK/WAE) TO TAKE THE SURVEY



**SUMMER FÊTE:** Saturday 30 June - Jubilee Field. If you are able to donate a raffle prize, please give details to the school office. It will be a big event this year as the Fête will take place alongside the Beckley Horticultural Show and the Dog Show. The Main road between the village hall and Jubilee Field will be closed and it will also be the official opening for the new playground too!

*Further details on above events to follow in due course.*

**SCHOOL LUNCHES:** We have previously sent home in bookbags details of the Chartwells 'We're All Ears' campaign for parents to have their say on school meals. The survey is running until 25<sup>th</sup> March. It would be great if as many parents as possible could find the time to complete the survey. The survey page can be found at: [www.loveschoolmeals.co.uk/wae](http://www.loveschoolmeals.co.uk/wae)

**JUBILEE FIELD PLAYPARK SCHEME:** Due to the Parish Council playpark scheme on the Jubilee Field, ASDA in St Leonards are putting Beckley on their token voting scheme from 1<sup>st</sup> April for three months. If you do have the opportunity, please can everyone vote for the Beckley scheme or get friends and family who live out that way to do so. Thank you.

**SCHOOL CLUBS: Term 5**

**Sports : Cricket**

*Blue Spruce/Evergreen : Thursdays 3.30-4.15pm  
(no session on Thursday 26 April)*

**MUSIC CLASSES :**

Guitar/Violin: Monday afternoons

Keyboard: Friday afternoons

*Sessions will resume in the first week back after the Easter break.*



**BSA NEWS: Future BSA 200 Events**

**QUINGO:** Saturday 21 April 7.30pm start - Beckley Village Hall. An evening of bingo with a quiz mixed in.... everyone welcome; proceeds to BSA 200 celebrations.



**E.A.S.T.E.R.**

**E** is for Easter, coming soon  
**A** is for angels near the tomb  
**S** is for stone which was rolled away  
**T** is for tomb found empty that day  
**E** is for early morning, the children are glad  
**R** is for the Risen Lord, no need to be sad



Term Dates 2017-2018		
Term	Start	End
4	Mon 19 February	Thurs 29 March
5	Mon 16 April	Friday 25 May
6	Mon 4 June	Wed 18 July
<b>INSET DAYS : Thurs 19 July Friday 20 July</b>		
<i>(Monday 7 May - Bank Holiday - school closed)</i>		

