



BECKLEY BULLETIN

15 March 2019

March

- Tuesday 19 Blue Spruce Herstmonceux Trip
- Wednesday 20 Parent Consultations - Evergreen
- Thursday 21 Able Writers' Day, Winchelsea
- Monday 25 Year 6 - Digital Literacy, Playden
Parent Consultations - Acorn, Red Maple & Blue Spruce
- Tuesday 26 Parent Consultations - all classes
- Wednesday 27 Fire Safety in Action - Year 6
BSA Meeting 7.30pm - Venue tbc
- Friday 29 MUFTI Day

April

- Thursday 4 BSA Easter Fayre
- Friday 5 Easter Service : Beckley Church 2.15pm
Last Day of Term 4

- Tuesday 23 First Day of Term 5
Blue Spruce Swimming : 1/5

May

- Monday 13 - Year 6 SATs week
Thursday 15
- Monday 20 - Bikeability - Year 5
Thursday 23

June

- Thursday 20 Sports Day : 1.30pm start
(Reserve Date : Thursday 4 July)
- Friday 28 Peasmarsh Music Festival : Year 5/6
Year 6 Leavers' Service in St Leonards

July

- Saturday 6 BSA Summer Fayre
- Tuesday 9 Year 6 Leavers' Trip : Warner Bros

PARENT CONSULTATIONS:

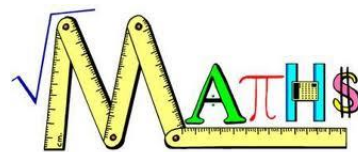
Please see below the times and dates for Parents Evening. Please sign up for your slot using the appointment sheets which will be available from Monday 18 March.



Wednesday 20 March	1.30-5.00pm	Evergreen
Monday 25 March	3.40-6.00pm	Acorn Red Maple Blue Spruce
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Tuesday 26 March	3.40-6.00pm	Acorn Red Maple Blue Spruce

MATHSBUSTERS: As SATs week creeps ever closer, Mrs Nash and Mrs Morley have kindly offered to hold three further additional maths sessions for all the Year 6 children. The sessions will take place from 3.30pm - 4.45pm on :

- Friday 22 March
- Wednesday 27 March
- Thursday 4 April



Mrs Morley and Mrs Nash are keen children do attend these sessions. A letter has already gone home in book bags - please return the consent form by Tuesday morning 19 March at the latest. Thank you



Happy Easter!

EASTER FAYRE : This will be held at school on **Thursday 4 April** 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 Friday 5 April. 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.



YEAR 5/6 NETBALL TOURNAMENT: This week, a team of pupils from Evergreen took part in a Year 5/6 Netball Tournament, held at Rye College.

There were five local schools involved, each playing one another; Beckley finished in second place, to win the silver medal! All the children involved played with real skill, determination and a fantastic spirit in cold and windy conditions, with their only loss being to the gold medal winners - Peasmarsh. Our team only started to play netball two weeks ago, so this was a great achievement and a big 'thank you' goes to Mr Bourne who had coached them so well.



RECYCLE WITH MICHAEL:

At the end of January, pupils came home with a special 'Recycle with Michael' bag which we asked you to fill with items of clothing that could be recycled and donated to the Salvation Army clothing bank programme. Please will you bring your full bags to school from Monday 25th March, ready for collection on Thursday 28th March. The more bags we can donate - the more chances we have of winning a prize for the school!



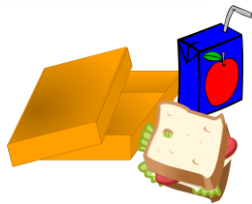
Your bags can include :

- Clothing
- Shoes (preferably in pairs, tied together if possible)
- Socks
- Pyjamas
- Bed linen (sheets, pillow cases)

Please **do not** send in :

- Damaged clothing and shoes
- Duvets, pillows, sleeping bags
- Underwear
- Electricals
- Toys

LUNCH BOXES: Please may we politely remind parents that we do have a 'no chocolate' policy in children's lunch boxes. Thank you.



RIPPLEDOWN VISIT: For those parents paying in instalments, this is a reminder that the next payment is due by 29 March.

PARKING OUTSIDE SCHOOL : Please may we remind parents to be considerate when parking outside the school and avoid parking across neighbours' driveways.

MUSIC CLASSES :

Guitar/Violin: Monday afternoons
Keyboard: Friday mornings

Please can parents ensure that children take their instruments home at the end of the day.



SCHOOL CLUBS: Term 4

Orienteering: 3.30-4.15pm
 Tuesdays : Blue Spruce & Evergreen
Dance Club: Acorn & Red Maple
 Tuesdays : 3.30-4.15pm
Football: 3.30-4.15pm
 Thursdays : Acorn & Red Maple



COMMUNITY NEWS:

Annual Village Meeting: Monday 18 March

Don't forget the meeting for villagers at 7pm in the Village Hall. This will be an opportunity to get together with councillors and other villagers to discuss local matters which concern you.

BSA NEWS :

The BSA would like to send a big belated

Thank You!

to all the parents that helped out during the very busy build up to Christmas and also throughout the year with the various school events and also to those parents who kindly bought and donated items for the BSA . This all adds up and really does make a difference. Thank you.

MUFTI Day : Friday 29 March will be a MUFTI Day in exchange for chocolate for Easter Fayre. The BSA are asking children to bring in donations as follows:-



ACORN	Pack of Crème Egg type eggs
RED MAPLE	Cake and biscuits (any 'non pre-packaged' items should be brought into school on the day of the Fayre)
BLUE SPRUCE	£1ish medium size chocolate egg or bunny
EVERGREEN	pack of chocolate biscuits, eg Penguin or Club

Litter

*God's world is full of litter
 and what we plan to do
 is go and pick it up to make
 the whole world good as new*

Amen



Term Dates 2018-2019

Term	Start	End
4	Mon 25 February	Fri 5 April
5	Tues 23 April	Fri 24 May
6	Mon 3 June	Fri 19 July
INSET DAYS : Monday 22 July 2019 Tuesday 23 July 2019		