



BECKLEY BULLETIN

10 March 2023



March

- Tuesday 14 Year 6 Mathsbusters
- Monday 20 Blue Spruce : Parent Consultations
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- Tuesday 21 Year 6 Mathsbusters
- Wednesday 22 Non-Uniform Day for Easter Fair
Red Maple : Parent Consultations
BSA Film Night
- Thursday 23 Evergreen : Parent Consultations
- Friday 24 Evergreen : Parent Consultations
- Monday 27 Acorn : Parent Consultations
- Tuesday 28 Acorn : Parent Consultations
Year 6 Mathsbusters
- Wednesday 29 BSA Easter Fair
- Friday 31 Easter Service : Beckley Church 2.15pm
Last day of Term 4

April

- Monday 17 First day of Term 5
- Tuesday 18 Year 6 Mathsbusters
- Wednesday 19 Sussex Cross-Country Finals
- Tuesday 25 Year 6 Mathsbusters

May

- Tuesday 2 Year 6 Mathsbusters
- Tuesday 9 - Year 6 SATs week
- Friday 12
- Monday 15 - Bikeability - Year 5
- Thursday 18



EASTER SERVICE: Our Easter Service will take place at Beckley Church on **Friday 31 March**. The service will start at 2.15pm and finish by 3.20pm. **ALL children should be collected directly from CHURCH**

after the service finishes.

Parents are very welcome to join us. The BSA will be providing tea & biscuits from 1.45pm at the church. They will also be giving chocolate eggs to the children after the service. (It would be helpful if those children who have a packed lunch could bring it in a throw away bag. We would also ask that children do not bring bookbags to school that day).

NON-UNIFORM DAY : Wednesday 22 March will be a Non-Uniform Day in exchange for chocolates for the BSA Easter Fair. The BSA are asking children to bring in donations at drop-off as follows:-



ACORN	Pack of Crème Egg type eggs or pack of mini foil-wrapped eggs
RED MAPLE	£1 (ish) medium size Easter Egg/Chocolate bunny
BLUE SPRUCE	Cupcakes and biscuits (any 'non pre-packaged' items should be brought into school on the day of the Fair)
EVERGREEN	Pack of chocolate biscuits or bars eg Penguin, Finger of Fudge, Club

BSA EASTER FAIR: This will be held at school on Wednesday 29 March from 2.30pm; parents welcome from 3.00pm (helpers from 1.30pm); parents can take their children home from 3pm. Please can children bring their money in a named purse on the day (maximum £5). Please give them small coins. Prices will vary from 20p upwards.

The BSA need volunteers to help set up and run the Fair on the day. Please can you let the BSA know asap if you are able to help.



WORLD BOOK DAY: On Monday, the school was filled with amazing characters from the pages of a wide range of books, as we held our Beckley World Book Day. With 'Gangster Grannies' to 'Gandalf', 'Miss Trunchbull' to 'The Cat in the Hat', 'Willy Wonka' to 'Percy the Park Keeper' - the school was full of colourful costumes and characters. As well as dressing up, pupils also enjoyed buddying up with another class and sharing their books with one another. In the afternoon, the children chose to go and listen to a story from a 'mystery reader', knowing only the title of the book when they made their choices. It was a great day, and reminded everyone about the joys and benefits of reading. A big thanks to all those parents who were up late on Sunday night, gluing, sewing and painting costumes and props - the results were fabulous!





AFTER SCHOOL CLUB: We are very sad to be saying 'goodbye' to Kirsty Berry at the end of Term 4. Kirsty has been running our After School Club since January, doing an excellent job with the children who have really enjoyed their time with her. Kirsty has been offered full-time employment so is not able to continue in her role at school. She will remain in post until the end of this term. We would like to thank her for her time at Beckley and wish her well in her new job. We do have a short-term plan to staff After School Club, but will also be advertising for a position in the next few weeks.



TENNIS WORKSHOP:
Unfortunately the tennis coach has once again had to postpone. Hopefully she will be able to re-schedule it for next term.

SCHOOL JUMPERS/CARDIGANS: Please would you check the jumpers/cardigans (and coats!) that your children bring home to ensure they belong to you. Even though items are clearly labelled, some pieces of uniform have still been picked up inadvertently by another child and taken home.



PE DAYS: Don't forget, children should come to school on Fridays wearing the correct school PE kit. We also have a rota for classes wearing PE uniform every other Thursday as follows:-

- Acorns & Blue Spruce:** Thursday 16 March
- Thursday 30 March
- Evergreen & Red Maple:** Thursday 23 March

MUSIC CLASSES :

Guitar: Tuesday mornings
Violin: Wednesday mornings
Keyboard: Friday mornings
Please ensure children take their instruments home at the end of the day.

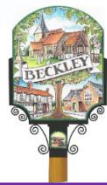


SPORTS CLUBS: Term 4

Striking & Fielding: 3.30-4.15pm
Thursdays : Blue Spruce & Evergreen
Football Club : 3.30-4.15pm
Fridays : Years 1 & 2



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Messages from the Local COMMUNITY

Preschool Easter Egg Hunt!

Sunday 2nd April 10 am – 12 noon

Beckley Village Hall
Main Street
Beckley
TN31 6RL



£3 per child

(Tickets to be purchased in advance and can be collected from the preschool. Each child will receive one chocolate egg and egg hunt map.)



**Cake Stall
Tombola
Refreshments**

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May we learn to appreciate different points of view:

- to know that the view from the hill is different from the view in the valley;
- the view from the east is different from the view to the west;
- the view in the morning is different from the view in the evening;
- the view of a parent is different from the view of a child;
- the view of a friend is different from the view of a stranger;
- the view of humankind is different from the view of God.

May we all learn to see what is good, what is true, what is worthwhile.



Amen

Term Dates 2022-2023

Term	Start	End
4	Monday 20 February	Friday 31 March
5	Monday 17 April	Friday 26 May
6	Mon 5 June	Thurs 20 July

INSET DAYS : Monday 3 July 2023
Friday 21 July 2023

MAY BANK HOLIDAYS : Monday 1 May
Monday 8 May