Newsletter

Thursday 30th April (No.29)

A message from Miss James in Beach Class

Beech class have had a fantastic start to Term 5 and it has certainly been a very busy one! In writing this term, the children are enjoying *The Barnabus Project*, a gorgeous story that has inspired lots of creativity. To start the unit, the children explored the characters of Barnabus and his friends by designing their own 'failed projects', carefully thinking about what they might look like, what they would eat and how they would move around the laboratory.

Since then, the children have been developing their writing skills by using subordinate conjunctions to write diary entries from Barnabus's point of view. We are currently working on writing descriptive pieces about the laboratory, using expanded noun phrases and prepositions to add detail and interest.







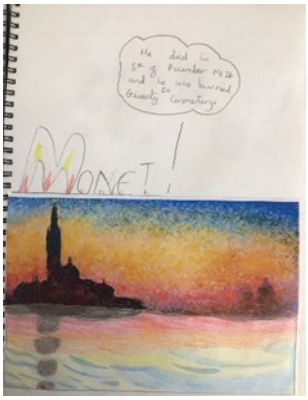


In art, Beech class have been learning about Claude Monet and his artwork, with the aim of creating their own Monet-inspired pieces by the end of the term. The children have been exploring colour mixing and experimenting with a range of brush strokes to create different effects and details. We have recently been studying Monet's *Water Lilies* and *Sunflowers*, selecting key features to recreate in our own artwork. We are excited to see the children's final pieces!









Safeguarding

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Family Hub Wiltshire Council | All Together

Supporting families in Wiltshire

Spurgeons

Family hubs are here to provide greater local community support and guidance for families and young people aged from 0 to 19, extending to 25 for those with special educational needs and disabilities.

Use your mobile to scan the QR code to access the website

https://wiltshirefamilyhubs.org.uk

Family Support Service

One to one support when you need it most for a range of issues which can affect family life:

- Parenting and behaviour
- Routines and boundaries
- Children's emotional support
- Financial and budgeting support
- Childcare funding
- Parental relationship support
- Back to work
- Introductions to other services

Appointments can be at home, via the phone or in the community

Give us a call on 0800 970 4669 for more information or to book your FREE space

Navigators

Come along to meet one of our family navigators at community venues across Wiltshire. They can help you access a whole range of local services and support and also access Healthy Start vitamins. Give us a call or check out the website to find out where we will be.

Find us on Facebook for regular updates and one off events

Family Hub Wiltshire Council

Sensory Space

Book a FREE 30 mins in our sensory space in one of our three main hubs.

Available for children aged 0-5 years or up to 11 years with SEND

Parental Relationship Support

Explore these digital resources (provided by OnePlusOne) to help reflect on your relationship with either your current or ex-partner(s) and the impact these have on your children. Find more information here.



Mighty Girls Holiday Club

TUESDAY 26TH MAY

SCOUT HUT,BRADFORD ON AVON
10AM - 3PM.
AGE 8 TO 12 YRS

MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY CLUB
JUST £35

Fun, craft, adventures and empowerment with the Mighty Girls team.

Further details visit **www.mightygirls.co.uk**

REMINDER

Breakfast Club & Wraparound Care Prices

From the start of this term, there has been a small price increase for Breakfast Club and Wraparound Care.

Breakfast Club - £2.75 per session
Wraparound Care - £4.40 per session (£8.80 for 3:15pm to 5:30pm)

CHARACTERS
STAGE SCHOOL

HOLIDAY CLUB!

Z-O-M-B-I-E-S

BOOK NOW!



£25 PER CHILD

TUE 26 MAY

Time: 1pm to 4pm
Where: The Courtroom, The Old Town Hall, Trowbridge

AGES 7 TO 14

Email: moira@charactersstageschool.com
OR SCAN THE QR CODE

Superstars



Arham, Poppy, Oli, Lucas, Clara & Mollie



Congratulations to Beech, Ash & Oak classes who are all top of the leader board this week!

Please encourage your child to log on and play.

Home - Times Tables Rock Stars

Attendance

136 children had 100% attendance in the last week,. You are awesome!

Sycamore class were the best at being in & on time every day last week.
Well done Sycamore class!

3 Penalty Notice Applications have been made so far this academic year.

Absence line 01225 752678 option 1

Dates for Diary

04/05/2026	Bank holiday - school closed
07/05/2026	Y6 swimming
11/05 - 14/05/2026	SATs Week
21/05/2026	Last day of term 5
22/05/2026	TD Day - school closed to children
01/06/2026	First day of term 6 - children back to school
17/06/2026	Sports Day - more details to follow
22/06 - 24/06/2026	Year 6 - Braeside residential trip