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"Be kind to one another,
tenderhearted, forgiving one
another" *Ephesians 4:32*

Our Christian Value in
focus this term is...

Responsibility

The School Prayer

*This is our school
Let peace dwell here
Let the room be full of contentment
Let love be here
Love of one another
Love of mankind
And love of God
Let us remember
That as many hands build a house
So many hearts make a school*



Beckley Church of England Primary School

School Newsletter

20 September 2019

Curriculum Information

Thank you to everyone who attended the curriculum information evening event at school. Topic overviews, newsletters and timetables for each class are available on our website.

<https://beckleyschool.com/curriculum-provision/curriculum-for-ks1-ks2/>

Worship Committee

Like many Church of England primary schools, we now have a Worship Committee at Beckley. The key aim of the group is to evaluate worship and help shape worship at the school. Anyone can join the committee and everyone is welcome to attend the meetings. Here is the new team:



Phonics Workshop

We will be hosting a phonics workshop for parents of children in Reception and Year 1 on Tuesday 15th October at 3.30pm. This is particularly important for parents of pupils in Year 1, as the children will be taking their phonics screening check in June 2020. Please sign up via the Parentmail form if you would like to attend this event.

Our Community

We are very proud of our strong links with the local community and have put together a page on the website celebrating this. Please view here:

<https://beckleyschool.com/our-school/community/>

Bikeability

A reminder that all of our Year 5 pupils will need their bikes and helmets in school next week for their Bikeability training. We have been advised that they may only be needed for the first half of the week, but this will depend on how the training progresses.

Harvest Festival

Parents are requested to provide an item of food (tinned or packet please) which their child will carry from school to the church for their Harvest service on Thursday 24th October. The gifts are presented during the service and are then donated to the local foodbank. The service for children in Reception – Year 3 will take place at 9.15am, while the service for those pupils in Years 4 – 6 at 2.30pm. Parents are warmly invited to attend. Licensed Lay-Minister, Mrs Dye, has kindly agreed to attend these services. Mrs Dye leads bi-weekly collective worship, whilst the Diocese are recruiting a new Vicar.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'M. Szortowski'.

Mark Szortowski
Headteacher

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Wraparound Care

We provide high quality wraparound care with a wide range of fun activities and play opportunities for the children.

Breakfast Club starts at 8.00am and After School Club runs until 5.30pm.

The clubs are run by school and conform to all of our policies and procedures.

Any child who comes to Beckley school is welcome to attend wraparound care.

Places are restricted for the children's safety and to ensure adequate staffing.

Bookings for both Breakfast Club and After School Club should be made via *Bookwhen*. Places must be booked in advance, by the day before at the latest.

Please use this link:

<https://bookwhen.com/beckleyschool#focus=ev-s8o4-20190723080000>

OPEN MORNING

Friday 4th October 2019

You are warmly invited to our Open Morning!

The school will be open to visitors

between

9.00am and 11.00am

Visitors to the school are welcome to drop in at any time during this period.

The Headteacher, staff, Governors and children will be on hand to answer questions you may have.

Also, enjoy a coffee and cake in aid of Macmillan.



Donations of nut free cakes for the Coffee Morning would be gratefully received on the morning itself. Thank you for your support with this.

We look forward to seeing you!

Important Dates

September

- 23rd Year 6 PGL residential
- 23rd Year 5 Bikeability week
- 28th FOBS Barn Dance
- 30th School photographs
- 30th Book Week

October

- 1st Headteacher surgery 4-6
- 4th Open/Coffee morning for Macmillan 9am - 11am
- 7th Parent Consultations 3.30pm - 6.30pm
- 9th Parent Consultations 3.30pm - 6.30pm
- 15th Phonics workshop for Rec/Year 1 parents 3.30pm
- 24th Harvest service at 9.15am for pupils in Rec - Year 3
- 24th Harvest service at 2.30pm for pupils in Years 4 - 6
- 24th Break up today at 3.20pm
- 25th INSET day - school closed
- 25th - 3rd HALF TERM

November

- 4th Children back to school
- 15th Flu immunisations
- 15th Children in Need
- 19th Headteacher surgery 4-6
- 21st SATs meeting for Year 6 parents 3.30pm
- 28th Big Christmas Sing at Oxford Town Hall

December

- 10th Carol Service in Church for Skylarks and Hobbies 6pm
- 11th Nativity in Church for Tufted Ducks, Little Egrets and Lapwings 2.15pm
- 11th Christmas Fayre 3.30-4.30