

Newsletter 21st November 2025

For Pupils, Parents, Carers,
Governors and Friends

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What is happening at Beechview

Children In Need

Last week saw Beechview turn out in force in our cosy pyjamas in support of **Children in Need**. Thank you to everyone for their monetary donations, which goes towards this fantastic cause. Not only was our community so visually supportive in their bedtime finery but also brought in delicious, cakey donations for a bake sale! All proceeds added to the Children in Need collection.

This year's donations totalled: **£106.20**



Anti-Bullying Week

In class we have been discussing what bullying is and why it is not acceptable. While this topic is also taught as part of our curriculum later in the year, it is so vital to remind children of the support available and reinforce their understanding of the importance of kindness. Bullying is when the unkindness is targeted, on purpose, physical or verbal and is in person or online. Unfortunately, we are aware that bullying can and does happen and always encourage the children to inform an adult as soon as possible. While, as adults, we know that sometimes people can be unkind and this needs to be addressed, please support your child recognising the difference between an unkind incident and bullying.



AIM High Writing Day

On Monday we had the author Colin Parsons in for an AIM High writing day where year 5 and 6 pupils from our school and three other schools attended. It was great to see the pupils get stuck into story writing and we were also given some of his latest books which are available in our school library!



School Council - Christmas Fair Teaser!

I am pleased to announce that Beechview Voice have decided to run the Christmas fair again this year. Please look out for the letter coming soon asking for donations to use in the fair. As always, this is an excellent opportunity to have a clear out before the Christmas period.

Learning Mentors

This week was our second week the learning mentors from John Hampden Grammar School and Wycombe High School visited their year 5 mentees and it has been a great success already. The aim of this mentoring is the chance to give selected pupils to discuss areas of the maths and reading curriculum that they struggle with and get one-to-one bespoke help. Already we have seen the impact on self-esteem and enthusiasm from our pupils in completing these tasks as it seems the fear of getting it wrong when with a sixth form pupil seems to diminish dramatically. Looking forward to seeing the impact for our pupils, especially in preparation for year 6 and secondary transition.

Weekly Attendance Champions:

14/11/25 - 6 Maple 96.3%
21/11/2025 - 5 Willow 97.7%

Whole school
Attendance 14th
November:

92.12%

Whole school
Attendance 21st
November:

94.11%

21/11/2025

Parent and Carer Survey - Please complete

We posted a QR code with our Autumn 1 survey and unfortunately we had no responses.

We need your feedback to know what we are doing well, what you would like us to continue and what we need to improve. A survey is an opportunity to celebrate the school and support it to further improve.

Please click on the link below.

[Parent Autumn Survey](#)

Welcome from the Headteacher

In the last two weeks we have had our mentoring programme beginning and it has already been a great success - with pupils at Beechview already seeing the benefit of having a 1-to-1 mentor for their learning. This programme has been rolled out by John Hampden Grammar School and Wycombe High in conjunction with the leaders at Beechview and the feedback from mentors, mentees and parents has been positive. I am looking forward to seeing the impact across the two terms.

We had our mid programme review with our RISE DfE advisors last week and against the action plan formulated by myself and our partner leadership team, we are on track for success; with green across the board. It has been a great opportunity for not only the leadership team to work with other leaders and visit schools but some of our teachers have had the chance to spend the day at different schools. As practitioners, we are always looking for ways to improve and stealing ideas and strategies from other schools is a lovely way to do this.

As we see the back of fireworks and halloween, the festivities are starting to ramp up at Beechview with the singing of Christmas songs in music lessons and winter performance rehearsals taking place. We are looking forward to spending more time with you at this joyous, if somewhat cold, time of year.

Yours Sincerely,
Mrs Parry-Woolner

Something to celebrate!

Friday 14th November Winners:

3H- Freddy
30-Nyla
4C- Mishel
4E- Asna. Scott
5H- Emily
5W- Isla, Kyler, Lindsay
6P- Dotti
6M- Brezaus, Gianga,
Lilly-Rose

House: Destiny

Friday 21st November Winners:

3H- Alfie, Niko, Sulaiman
30- Makeda
4C- Yusra
4E-Aadiv, Alex, Annum, Chanel-Rose,
Hemanika, Joey, Poppy, Saisha, Teddy,
Usman
5H- Miah
5W- Isla
6P- Dotti, Oscar, Tanya
6M- Grace

House: Courage



Stars of the Week



14/11/2025



21/11/2025

Important dates this term:

Tues 9th Dec - Christmas Panto - Robin Hood
Weds 10th Dec - Y3/4 Winter Performance (2pm)
Thurs 11th Dec - Christmas Jumper Day
Weds 17th Dec - Christmas Lunch Day (Christmas Jumpers allowed)
Thurs 18th Dec - School Council Christmas Fair
Fri 19th Dec - School Finishes at 1:15pm
Mon 22nd Dec - Fri 2nd Jan - CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY
Mon 5th Jan - INSET DAY
Tues 6th Jan - SCHOOL STARTS
Thurs 15th Jan - A.I.M High Writing Day for Year 3 & 4
Weds 21st Jan - Young Voices at the O2