

Friday 23rd September 2022

Calderdale Smart Move

On Tuesday this week, Dom and Paula from the charity Calderdale Smart Move visited Dean Field to introduce our Harvest Festival collection. They explained what the charity does and who/how it helps. Alongside our collection of non-perishable food items, Dom and Paula also asked if any of our children would like to create a simple recipe card that can be donated to the families that need them. Something that can be easily made by someone who is perhaps not used to or not skilled at cooking. They also requested that if anyone would like to make a 'welcome to your new home' card, these will be given out to people or families who have been located off of the streets into a home through the charity's help. If your child makes either of these things at home then please pass them on to your class teacher and we will make sure they are received by Smart Move when they collect the food donations on 7th October. Thank you!



Reminder: Please complete the flu vaccination form via this link <https://immunisation.cht.nhs.uk/vaccinations/flu>. We need to know if you consent or do not consent to the flu vaccine for your child. Thank you.

Staff Training

This week various staff have attended Trauma Training from Amelia Brunt who highlighted the importance of Attachment, Belonging and Connections (ABC). Staff learned a variety of knowledge on how to identify signs of emotional distress and how best to support children to work through this.

Miss Clay and Miss Hussain have previously attended the above training so instead they completed Iris Connect training. Iris is a system staff use to share good teaching techniques in order to reflect on and provide support to other staff members.

Also this week teachers have explored Dean Field's spelling resource 'Spelling Shed', an online resource used to promote children's spelling skills.

Safeguarding

Smart Internet Rules:

S Safe: Keep safe by being careful not to give out personal information when you're chatting or posting online, personal information includes your email address, password or phone number.

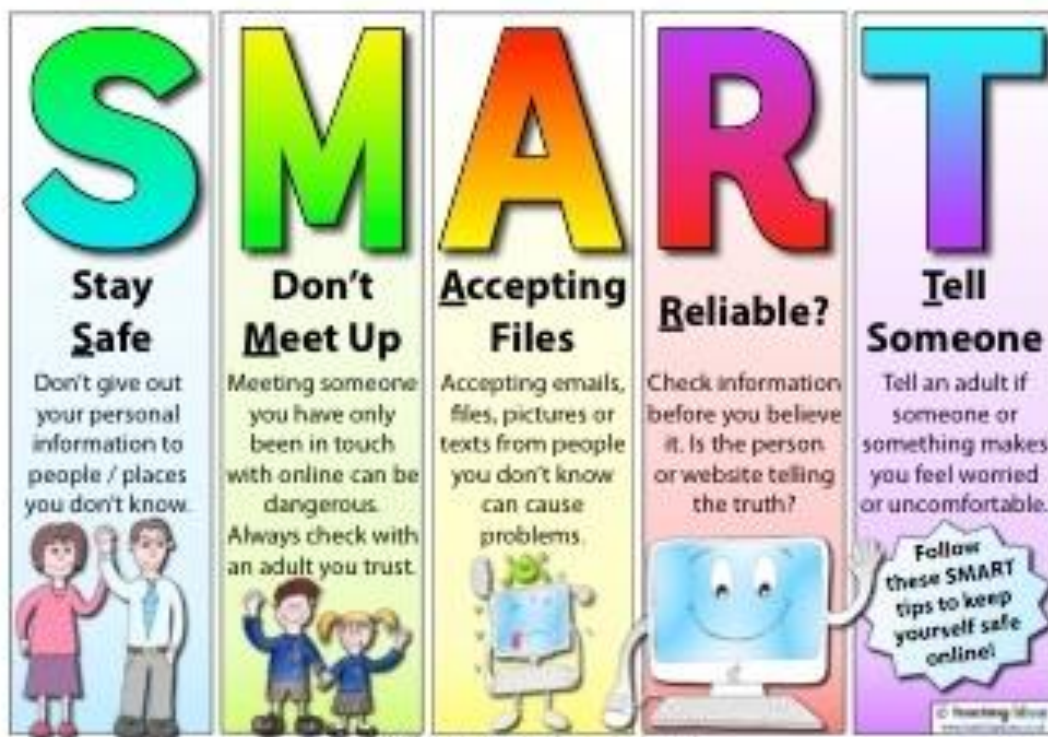
M Meet: Meeting someone you have only been in touch with online can be dangerous. Only do this with your parents/carers permission and then only with them present. Remember online friends are still strangers, even if you have been talking to them for a long time.

A Accepting: Accepting emails, messages, opening files, Images or texts from people you don't know or trust can lead to problems..... they may contain viruses or nasty messages.

R Reliable: Someone online might lie about who they are and information they give may not be true. Always check information.

T Tell: Tell a parent/carer or a trusted adult if someone, something makes you feel uncomfortable or worried.

Let's all enjoy the online world safely!!



School PFA

Interested in helping school fundraise?

Then we need you to join our school PFA to help organise school fairs and other fundraising events.

We are holding a **coffee morning at 9am Thursday 29th September** for parents/ carers who wish to help.



Halloween Discos



Wednesday 2nd November

**Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
disco 3-4pm**

**Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6
disco 4:15-5:15pm**

**School will provide
pop/crisps/
cupcakes**



**Rec-Year 2 can bring
with them a change of
clothes for the disco, in
a named bag**

**Tickets will be £2.50 - cash
only; please send via class in
a named sealed envelope**

Halloween Skating Party

YMCA Spooktacular Halloween themed skating party is back.
Fancy dress optional, but prizes awarded for best costume.
Skate hire included, although own skates can be worn. Price includes a slice of Pizza or hot dog, a spooky bun and a drink.

Please note this is a ticket only event with no entry on the day without a ticket.

Follow the link to book: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/halifaxymca>



**Halifax and District
YMCA**
The Marlborough Hall
13 Crossley Street
Halifax. HX1 1UG

**ROLLER SKATE
HALLOWEEN
PARTY**

FRI 28TH OCT, SAT 29TH OCT, SUN 30TH OCT

£7 ENTRY | **TICKET ONLY EVENT** | **6PM-8PM**
PRICE INCLUDES PIZZA OR HOTDOG
SPOOKY BUN AND A DRINK

BOOK ONLINE
WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/HALIFAXYMCA
OR AT THE YMCA OFFICE, SEE
WWW.HALIFAXYMCA.ORG.UK
FOR OPENING TIMES.

Costume competition
For best fancy dress

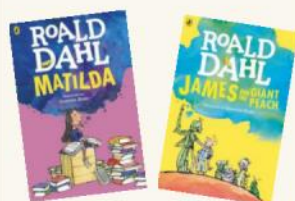




On Friday 30th September, we are celebrating Roald Dahl Day! It is a non-uniform day and we are inviting pupils to come to school dressed as a character from a Roald Dahl book! See page two for some ideas!

We are going to celebrate by reading extracts from Roald Dahl's books and taking part in various Roald Dahl linked activities.

Each class will perform a class poem from Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhymes book!



Roald Dahl Characters/Books

Miss Trunchbull - Matilda
 Mr Fox - Fantastic Mr Fox
 Matilda Wormwood - Matilda
 Mr/Mrs Wormwood - Matilda
 James - James and the Giant Peach
 Willy Wonka - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
 Charlie Bucket - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
 Grandpa Joe - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
 Augustus Gloop - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
 Veruca Salt - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
 Bruce Bogtrotter - Matilda
 Oompa Loompas - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory
 Mr/ Mrs Twit - The Twits
 Mrs Ladybug - James and the Giant Peach
 Miss Spider - James and the Giant Peach
 The BFG - The BFG
 Sophie - The BFG
 George - George's Marvellous Medicine
 Witch - The Witches
 Crocodile - The Enormous Crocodile
 Trunky - The Enormous Crocodile
 Roly-Poly Bird - The Enormous Crocodile
 'The Girl' - The Magic Finger





Dean Field
Community Primary School

Calling All Wizards

SUPPORT OUR LOTTERY & YOU COULD WIN:



**Harry Potter
& The Cursed Child
Family Theatre Voucher**

&

**Harry Potter
Warner Brothers Studio
Family Tour Ticket**

- Please help boost our school fundraising
- Cash prize every week
- Win up to £25,000!
- Tickets cost just £1 a week

BUY TICKETS



Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. Offer ends 29th Oct 2022. Terms and conditions apply (see website)

Family of Learning Trust Sports Day - Year 3 and Year 4

This week, year 3 and 4 classes had a cross trust sports day with Beech Hill School. We shared the special event with adults who came and watched their child. Both year groups showed fantastic sportsmanship and teamwork. All the children completed a variety of track and field sporting activities.

Year 3 winners: Perry Shaw (Yellow)

Year 4 winners: Anne Lister (Red)



Harvest Festival 2022

At Dean Field, we are celebrating **Harvest Festival** by collecting non-perishable food items for the local charity SmartMove Calderdale. If you would like to donate, please send your donations into school on or before **Friday 7th October**.



Visit <https://www.calderdalesmartmove.org.uk/> for more information about the charity and all the amazing work they do.

Reception Teddy Bear's Picnic

Mexico class had a fantastic teddy bear's picnic on Thursday morning. We listened to "the teddy bear's picnic" story and then tiptoed quietly with our teddies to the hall. We enjoyed sharing our snacks, which had been kindly donated by our families, with our friends and teddies who were very hungry indeed! It was a great opportunity to bond with new peers and develop our social and communication skills of turn taking, using our manners and listening to our friends.





Dean Field's Great British Bake Off Home Competition

It is time to put down your pencils, put on your aprons
and bake!

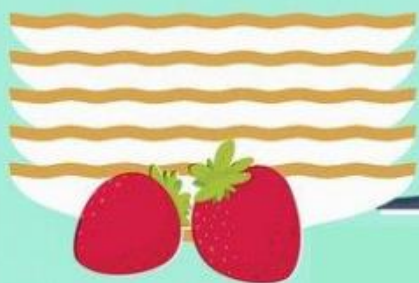
You can decide any food dish to make but we would love
to see the process on Seesaw. From choosing the
ingredients, following the instructions, prepping, baking
and of course eating. Yum!

However, when you have taken lots of photos and shared
them on seesaw, the real judges (school councillors) will
look on Seesaw to inspect the decoration and the
process. There will be a prize for the winner in each
class.

Closing date: Monday 10th October 2022

Let the baking commence!

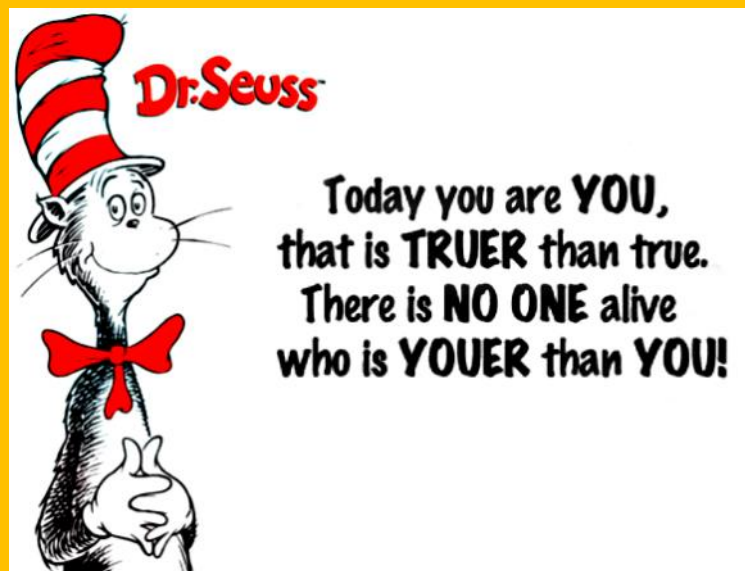
Remember to post on Seesaw



DIARY DATES

DATE	EVENT
Tuesday 27th September	Year 1 Trip to Manor Heath Park
Wednesday 28th September	Year 3 Trip to Piece Hall
Thursday 29th September	PFA Coffee morning
Thursday 29th September	Year 2 local area walk
Friday 30th September	Roald Dahl Day—non-uniform

Reminder: We are a nut free school and we would appreciate that any lunchboxes do not include nut products to protect the children in school with nut allergies.



Accelerated Reader – Reading Achievements this Year



Poland	92.2%
Brazil	85%
Kenya	91.7%
Australia	76.5%
Ireland	83%

You could help increase your class percentage by doing some extra reading on myON! There are thousands of books for you to choose from! If you need a reminder of your login details, please speak to your teacher. Visit <https://www.myon.co.uk/login/> to start reading!

This Weeks Attendance

Group	% Attendance
Mexico	88.1%
China	90.2%
Australia	92.5%
Poland	97.7%
Kenya	97.5%
Brazil	96.7%
Ireland	96.6%
Total	94.3%

Congratulations to Poland class who had the highest attendance in the school this week. Well done to Kenya class for coming second. I am seriously concerned of classes who are below 96%. Meetings with parents of children who are of concern will occur.

If your child is absent from school please contact the school office on 01422 258258 before 9.00am.

It is important we are aware of the reason for your child/children's absence. It becomes a safeguarding concern if parents do not inform school when their child/children are absent. Please contact the school office on the first day of absence before 9am stating reasons for any absence. This will avoid absences being recorded as unauthorised.

If you have any concerns or questions surrounding your child/children's attendance please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many Thanks.
Lorraine Stansfield, Pastoral Manager

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

MEXICO RECEPTION	All of Mexico Class	For completing your first week in school as a whole class and trying really hard to adapt to all our new routines!
CHINA YEAR 1	Freddie W	For trying really hard in all your lessons even though you have an injury.
	Amelia F-O	For coming into school with a big smile on your face every day this week.
AUSTRALIA YEAR 2	Freya W	For amazing effort and presentation in writing.
	Poppy B	For fantastic art and science work this week.
POLAND YEAR 3	Summer-Rae B	For always being kind, helpful and trying your best.
	Blakley R	For a fantastic attitude to your learning.
KENYA YEAR 4	Darcie D	For persevering with your maths work.
	Leo H-B	For engaging in all lessons.
BRAZIL Y5	Amelia B	For always being a role model pupil.
	Layla M	For excellent presentation at all times.
IRELAND Y6	Gracie B	For achieving full marks in your maths test.
	Darcie R	For superb synonyms to describe the sea.