



Friday 11 May 2018

Year 1 Assembly

On Friday morning, Year 1 led the assembly. They showed how, through our Power of Reading curriculum, they developed their understanding of the book, 'Halibut Jackson'. They thought about his character and developed thinking skills by giving him advice.

In their Design & Technology lessons they designed new outfits for him to wear. They learned that sometimes

if you take a chance, good things can happen.



Year 11 Social

On Thursday our Year 11 celebrated their GCSE years at the High Rocks. After the Headmaster spoke and thanks were given to staff the group sat down to a lovely meal before hitting the dance floor. There were certainly some serious moves going down under the disco lights from both pupils and staff. A good night was had by all. Good luck to all of Year 11.



Prep Soiree

On Wednesday we were treated to an evening of beautiful music performed by children in the Prep School. Two choirs performed brilliantly, as well as solo pianists, trumpeters, guitarists, and a harpist, oboist, flautist and violinist, ranging from Year 1 up to Year 6. All the pupils played and sung with confidence, it was truly an outstanding musical evening.



Chapel Cross!



Our Chapel welcomes the new addition of a gold leaf cross over the Altar for the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus next month.

PARENTMAIL

- Prep School
- 'Slime'
- Year 7 & 8
- Payment for French Trip
- Pre-Prep
- Spare uniform & wipes
- Prep School
- Rescheduled Tag Rugby Tournament
- Whole School
- Beechwood Day Events
- Whole School
- School Photograph
- Year 5
- Speech & Drama Club
- Prep School
- Curriculum Summary
- Year 5
- 'All that I am'

News

Sports News

Cricket

On Wednesday our U13's travelled to Skippers Hill for their first cricket game of the season. We lost the toss and were put into bat, Captain Luke Beaumont had an outstanding innings scoring 76 runs before retiring after 8 overs, an excellent supporting performance from Stephen Baxter and Ed Glasspool meant we set a tough score to chase. We took to the field and began the task of curtailing the Skippers attack, Beechwood let some 4's slip by and could not prevent Skippers chasing their score, more concentration in the field is required. Well done to all involved better luck next time.

On Thursday our U'9s travelled to Vinehall for their first game of the season, winning the toss and chose to bat. A fantastic opening and an excellent innings from Ribhav, Ashton and Noah meant that we began to set a good score for the home team to chase. In the field we did well to stop some excellent attacking shots and some wonderful bowling from Oliver and Raj meant that Vinehall found it difficult to chase out total, however in the last over two 6's crept over the boundary and unfortunately meant an eleven run defeat. Well done to all involved an excellent afternoon.

Our Year 3 & 4 girls, with the able assistance of Oliver, played their first Kwik cricket match. With a starting total of 100 runs, Oliver and Rubani went into bat first and successfully added 10 runs off the first 2 overs. We had mixed fortunes during our remaining overs facing some challenging bowling. Sadly a number of wickets fell meaning we lost 5 runs. The outcome was a win for our opponents.

Rounders

U13's played a thrilling match against Radnor House on Wednesday. We elected to field first and quickly seized the advantage, stumping five players out, giving Radnor a first innings score of 4½. Our opponents fielded well restricting us to 5 rounders. There was everything to play for in the second innings. Despite some resolute deep fielding our opponents took risks and added 8 rounders to their total. We stayed calm and ended our second innings with 7½ meaning the match ended in a draw.

FRIENDS OF BEECHWOOD

The Friends of Beechwood are planning on setting up a few stalls and events on Beechwood Day this year. We will be having a raffle, bottle tombola and toy/teddy tombola, these are just some of the events. If you have any items you can donate please let Mrs Smith know.

School Photograph

The Whole School photograph is now displayed in the Front Hall.

NSPCC Online Safety Workshop in the Prep Hall at 2pm on Tuesday 15 May. Please let Mrs Couldwell know if you would like to attend. secretary@beechwood.org.uk

NEXT WEEK

SUN 13	
MON 14	GCSE Examinations Begin 9.30 HPV Second Vaccination for Year 8 girls
TUES 15	2.00 NSPCC Online Safety Workshop for Prep Parents
WED 16	9.00 Year 3 to Lullingstone Roman Villa 9.00 Year 10 Examinations Begin 2.30 U11 & U10 Rounders v SH Wadhurst (H) 2.30 U11 Cricket v Skippers Hill (A)
THUR 17	1.20 Lunchtime Recital in Chapel 3.00 Prep Art Exhibition in Prep Hall 2.30 U15 Cricket v Skinners (A) 3.45 U14/U15 Rounders v Radnor House (H)
FRI 18	3.00 Prep Art Exhibition in Prep Hall
SAT 19	