

# **Upper Beeding Primary School**

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Summer 8 – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

### **Transition and School Report**

The children have had a lovely morning meeting their new class teacher and classes. They will all be coming home tonight with their school report and a number of other pieces of information. On the letter accompanying the report is an online questionnaire link: <u>https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/CJGNKGV</u>. Please visit this link and complete the questionnaire. All feedback is gratefully received.

# Shakespeare Rocks

The children and adults in Year 5/6 have yet again produced another fantastic show! Tonight is their last performance! Well done to all the children both on and off stage. This has been a real team effort.





# Sports Day – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July

We will do the same as we had planned before the weather postponed us: Reception and KS1 will start at 10:45am and KS2 at 1:15pm. You are again welcome to bring a picnic to have with your children and friends between 12:00pm – 1:00pm.

If you are bringing a picnic, children in Reception and KS1 will go back to their classes after the sports have finished, where you can collect them at the outside door. FUBS will also be selling ice lollies over the lunch-time break. Fingers crossed we have perfect weather conditions on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July.



**Welcome Meetings Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July 5:30pm – 7:30pm** This year the school will be open from 5:30pm – 7:30pm for you to come and see the work your children have done over this year, speak to their current class teacher, and also meet their new class teacher. Each year group will be giving a short presentation outlining the new topics, themes and expectations for next year and hopefully answering any questions you have about the change in year group. More detail about

the times of presentations is included in your child's school report. We hope to see as many parents as possible.

# Year 6 Leavers Activities!

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July 1:30pm – Year 6 Leavers, swim – please make sure they have their swim kits!
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 10:00am: Year 6 Leavers' Assembly. Bring your tissues!
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 4:00pm – 5:30pm: Party and hot dogs to celebrate the end of their final year at Upper Beeding.





**Key Stage 2 Disco (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 only) – Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July (5:30pm – 7:00pm)** Staff have organised an end of term disco for our older children. Tickets are on sale at the Office costing £2.50.















#### SQUID

On Monday we had a representative from sQuid in school to answer any queries parents had. It was great to see how few problems there were and we look forward to going "cashless" in September.

#### Staff News

We are very pleased to welcome Mrs Sara Johnson who will be joining the Y5/6 TA team and Miss Tanya Cheal who will be joining the Y3/4 TA team. They have both been in today to meet the children they will be working with.



#### **Building Works**

Our roof work is under way and we have had a number of visitors to our school to assess where we are putting 2 new classrooms. These come as a Modular Unit and the plans for them will be up to view on Open Evening. Please come and have a look. The work on this will start at the very end of term and should not impact on the children. All building work is aiming to be completed before the children return to school, obviously this is subject to the weather.

#### Lost Property

We are collecting a lot of lost property in school. If you have lost something, please come and have a look! We have a variety of items not just clothing. It is all kept outside the medical room and will be displayed on Sports Day. Anything not claimed at the end of term will be 'recycled' accordingly. Please make sure all items are clearly named so they can be easily returned to owners if lost again.

Best wishes **Becky Linford Head Teacher** 



# Dates for Summer Term 2016

Tue 12 <sup>th</sup> Jul	6:00pm KS2 Show
Tue 12 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Reports to Parents
Thu 14 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Yr 5/6 Connect to the Countryside
Thu 14 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Spain Class Farm to Fork Trip
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Y6 Leavers Swim
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Jul	9:15am Reception Class Assembly
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Welcome Meetings and Open Afternoon
Tue 19 <sup>th</sup> Jul	10:00am Leavers Assembly
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Italy and USA Class Farm to Fork Trip
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul	4:00-5:30pm Y6 Leavers Party
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul	5:30-7:00pm KS2 Disco
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> Jul	Last Day of Term normal finish time











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Dates for Autumn Term 2016 Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Sep **SCHOOL CLOSED - INSET DAY 1** Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Sep **SCHOOL CLOSED - INSET DAY 2** Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Sep First Day Back – AUTUMN TERM Thu 8<sup>th</sup> Sept 1:15pm Bikeability pre talk to Yr 6 Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Sep Autumn Born Children start 8:55 - 12:00 Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Sep Spring Born children start 8:55 - 12:00 Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Sep Summer Born children start 8:55 - 12:00 Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Sep All children in Full Time Mon 26<sup>th</sup> Sep Start of Bikeability Week Yr 6 Tue 4<sup>th</sup> Oct **FUBS Bags2School** Tue 4<sup>th</sup> Oct Yr 3/4 Trip to Butser Farm Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Oct Yr 5/6 Start Residential Trip Fri 14<sup>th</sup> Oct Yr 5/6 Finish Residential Trip Wed 19<sup>th</sup> Oct **Parent Evening** Thu 20<sup>th</sup> Oct **Parent Evening** Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Oct **First Day of Half Term** Fri 28<sup>th</sup> Oct Last Day of Half Term Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Nov Children in Need run by Yr 5/6 Thu 1<sup>st</sup> Dec **Reception Nativity to parents** Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 2:00 KS1 Performance Tue 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 2:00 KS1 Performance Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Dec **FUBS Christmas Gift Sale** Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 6:00pm KS2 Performance Tue 13<sup>th</sup> Dec 1:30 KS2 Performance to the Community Tue 13<sup>th</sup> Dec 6:00pm KS2 Performance Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Dec **KS2** Christmas Disco Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Dec LAST DAT OF AUTUMN TERM

Dates are provisional from November onwards and will be confirmed in the first newsletter back in September.

# Academic Year 2015 to 2016

Term	Dates
Spring term 2016:	Monday 4 January 2016 to Thursday 24 March 2016
Half term break:	Monday 15 February 2016 to Friday 19 February 2016
Easter break☆:	Friday 25 March 2016 to Friday 8 April 2016
Summer term 2016:	Monday 11 April 2016 to Friday 22 July 2016
Half term break:	Monday 30 May 2016 to Friday 3 June 2016















# Academic Year 2016 to 2017

Term	Dates
Autumn Term	Starts: Monday 5 September
	Half term: Monday 24 October to Friday 28 October
	Ends: Friday 16 December
	<b>INSET Days</b> : Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 September
Christmas Break	Friday 19 December to Friday 30 December
	Starts: Tuesday 3 January
Spring Term☆	Half term: Monday 20 February to Friday 24 February
	Ends: Friday 7 April
	Bank Holiday: Monday 2 January, Friday 14 April, and Monday 17 April INSET Days: Tuesday 3 January
	Monday 10 to Friday 21 April
Easter Break	
	Starts: Monday 24 April
Summer Term☆	Half term: Tuesday 30 May to Friday 2 June
	Ends: Tuesday 25 July
	Bank Holiday: Monday 1 May and Monday 29 May
	INSET Days: Monday 5 June, Friday 7 July

☆Includes bank holidays













