



Beswick & Watton CE (VC) School

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Our Christian value for this half term is 'Honesty'

May 2025

Dinner Money

Dinner money this half term (22nd April to 23rd May) is £60.95 (23 days' x £2.65). (KS2 children only).

Please will you ensure any outstanding payments (dinners, breakfast club and music tuition) are made to school asap. Thank you

Half Term Date

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May - Half Term Week

Monday 2nd June - Teacher Training Day

Tuesday 3rd June - School re-opens

Breakfast Club Options:

Arrive before 8.25am (breakfast included) - cost £3.00

Arrive between 8.25am and 8.40am - no breakfast - cost £1.00

8.40am to 8.50am classroom doors open.

8.50am - Registers close and children arriving after this time will receive a late mark.

Sports Day

This year's Sports Day will be held on the afternoon of **Wednesday 18th June** on the school field, with a back-up date (in case of rain) of **Wednesday 2nd July**. For all our new parents, who may be experiencing Sports Day for the first time, all family members, grandparents, younger siblings etc... are welcome to come along and cheer the children along!

Awards Evening

This year's awards evening will be held at 6pm on **Thursday 17th July** at school. This is an opportunity to celebrate the children's achievements throughout the year and will include a showcase of music and songs that the children have learned.

Sponsored Walk - Reminder

We are looking forward to our Sponsored Walk on **Friday 23rd May**. All families are welcome to join the walk to the Pexton family home, as well as well-behaved dogs on a lead. The children will soon be given sponsorship forms, and all proceeds will go to FoBS. We will be starting the walk at 1pm. Thank you for your support.

Letters Home

Letters regarding our school visits will be coming home in the next few weeks for:

KS2 Visit to Hull Museum - 4th June

KS1 Visit to Bridlington - 7th July

Driffeld Show

If you wish your child to attend the Driffeld show, please ensure we have evidence of their tickets by **Friday 11th July** so we can mark their absence as educated off site.

Healthy Teeth

A huge thank you to Bridge Street Dental in Driffeld, who visited last Monday to talk to the children about good oral hygiene routines. The children learned why it is important to make healthy food choices to protect their teeth and how to clean their teeth well. The children also received a goody bag including a new toothbrush, toothpaste, a two-minute timer and lots of fun teeth related items. Thanks again to Mark Nortcliffe and his fantastic team!

A Tree in Madagascar

A *ceriops tagal* tree has been planted at Project Eden Reforestation Projects, Madagascar in the name of Beswick and Watton Primary School. This is an initiative which addresses habitat loss, improves biodiversity and helps to combat climate change. Our tree has been funded by the Schools Advisory Service and will offset 20Kg of CO2. To find out more about the project please visit the website below.

<https://tree-nation.com>

VE Day 80th Anniversary

We are participating in the VE Day 80th anniversary Dress for Victory, Wear Red, White and Blue Day on Thursday 8th May. Children can wear these colours in exchange for £1 which will be donated to the British Legion.

As part of our VE Day celebrations, the children have already participated in a live role play workshop with a soldier from World War Two (someone pretending to be a soldier from WW2). They learned how to march like a soldier, took part in lots of roles play and had the opportunity to ask questions to develop their understanding of the importance of marking VE Day.

FoBS Quiz Night

Once again, our fabulous FoBS are hosting a quiz night in aid of our school. This year the quiz will be held at Middleton-on-the-Wolds School and parking will be available on the school playground. We would love to see you there!

Friday 16th May

Doors open 7pm for a 7.30pm start

Bar/refreshments/snacks available

£10 per table of 4

Please contact Karen to book 07973 924823

If anyone can donate any raffle prizes for the quiz that would be brilliant. All donations are very much appreciated

Templespa - An Evening with Sarah

Do you fancy a little bit of you time? You can enjoy a bespoke wellness experience evening, learn skincare tips and advice and come away feeling relaxed and rejuvenated. Sarah is hosting the event as a fundraiser for the Friends of Beswick School. We hope you can join us and that you will leave feeling relaxed and refreshed.

Date - 9th May 2025 Time 7pm

Location - Watton Church, YO25 9AJ

Please book your space with Sarah on 07428 192113

Outdoor Day

We will be having an outdoor day on Wednesday 7th May. Please send your children to school in suitable clothes for the weather. Mr Lapworth will be joining us in the morning to deliver Forest Schools activity and we will be having our traditional campfire and 's'mores' session in the afternoon. Let's hope for sunshine!

Good! Good! Good!

Congratulations to Middleton-on-the-Wolds School who have recently had a very successful Ofsted inspection. This was an ungraded inspection, however the school has received a letter to state that they have maintained the same high standards as their previous inspection, when they were judged as 'Good'. This now means that all three schools in The Wolds Federation have had a Good judgement from Ofsted within the last 12 months. Well done everybody!

1 st May	VE Day Workshop - AM
5 th May	Bank Holiday
7 th May	Outdoor Classroom Day
8 th May	80 th Anniversary for VE Day
12 th May	SATs Week
16 th May	FOBs Quiz Night at Middleton School
22 nd May	Class Photos
23 rd May	Sponsored Walk
23 rd May	Finish for half term
2 nd June	Staff Training Day
3 rd June	School re-Opens
4 th June	KS2 Visit to Hull & East Riding
18 th June	Sports Day
2 nd July	Back-Up Sports Day
7 th July	Big Little Sing - Bridlington KS1 (Details to follow shortly)
17 th July	Awards Night
18 th July	Last day before summer holidays
1 st & 2 nd Sept	Staff Training Days
3 rd Sept	School re-opens for 2025/2026