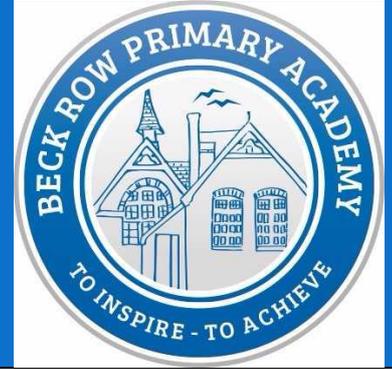


# Beck Row Primary Academy Newsletter



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## Recent Events

**Class Assemblies - Owls and Otters have shared their work with parents and the rest of the school.**

**Early Years visit from a Guide Dog**

**Roald Dahl Dress Up Day**

## Still to come this term

- **Class Assemblies for Squirrels, Foxes and Rabbits (diary dates on reverse)**
- **Book Fair**
- **Parent's Evenings**
- **Halloween Discos (organised by the Beck Row Buddies)**
- **Anti-bullying week**
- **Christmas Events**

**New Academic Year** - The new academic year has started, as ever, with a busy few weeks. We've already had a dress-up day, photographs, two class assemblies, European Day of Languages, School Council elections, not to mention new topics and lots of new learning in the classrooms. It has been particularly lovely to see all our new pupils, throughout the school, settling into their classes, looking smart and ready in their new uniforms. As the half term holiday hurtles ever closer, and the diary becomes increasingly full, we have included some key diary dates on the back of this newsletter to help with forward planning.

**Roald Dahl Dress Up Day (14th September)** - Many of the pupils at Beck Row enjoyed the Roald Dahl Dress Up day, celebrating the author's birthday. In addition to dressing up for the day, classes heard stories and rhymes written by Roald Dahl and found out more about him and the inspiration behind his work. A marvellous time was had by all! Thank you to parents, carers and friends for supporting this day. Donations of £111.20 were received and will be forwarded to the Roald Dahl charity which supports sick children and their carers.



**A few of the children in their amazing Roald Dahl inspired outfits.**

**Wonderful Writers and Marvelous Mathematicians** We have continued to celebrate our Wonderful Writers and Marvelous Mathematicians. These are the Writers and Mathematicians who have received certificates in our assemblies over the last few weeks.

Our Wonderful Writers from the 12th September were: Andrei (Owls), Leah (Otters), Patryk (Squirrels), Summa (Foxes), Archie (Rabbits), Georgia (Hedgehogs), Claire (Kingfishers) and from the 26th September were: Summer (Owls), Aleister (Otters), River (Squirrels), Soraya (Foxes), Molly L (Rabbits), Ashleigh (Hedgehogs), Lucas (Kingfishers)

Our Marvelous Mathematicians from the 19th September were: Riley-Jay (Owls), Chloe (Otters), Bella (Squirrels), Dylan (Foxes), Jasmine (Rabbits), Juniper (Hedgehogs), Shane (Kingfishers) and from the 3rd October were: Marley (Owls), Madison (Otters), Abigail (Squirrels), Dexter (Foxes), Molly (Rabbits), Christian (Hedgehogs), Abigail (Kingfishers)

### Dates For Your Diary

Please find general dates for the term of events that have already been finalised. **Additional diary dates for later in the year will follow once confirmed.**

Also please check our web site <http://beckrow.attrust.org.uk/> for further information about us and to keep an eye on the online diary should events alter.

Thursday 11th – 15<sup>th</sup> October ~ Book Fair  
Friday 19th October ~ Squirrels Class Assembly  
Friday 19th October ~ Children finish for Half Term  
Monday 29th October ~ PD Day (non pupil day)  
Tuesday 30th October ~ Children return to school  
Tuesday 30th October ~ Halloween Disco (Buddies event)  
Friday 9th November ~ Fox Class Assembly  
12th - 16th November ~ Anti-bullying week  
Tuesday 13th November ~ Parent's Evening  
Wednesday 14th November ~ Parent's Evening  
Friday 23rd November ~ Rabbit Class Assembly  
Friday 14th December ~ Christmas Jumper Day  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December ~ Last day of Term



### Attendance

Our current attendance is: 94.6%

Hedgehog Class	92.3%
Kingfisher Class	92.4%
Rabbit Class	91.6%
Fox Class	96.3%
Squirrel Class	95.9%
Otter Class	96.5%
Owl Class	93.3%

### Absence Reporting

If your child is unwell, please inform the office by 9.15am on the days that they are absent. It is a parent's legal responsibility to provide the school with the reason why a child is absent.

### Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in school. Please arrange an appointment to see Mrs King if you are interested.

### Harvest Donations

We are supporting two very important local charities that we hope you and the children will be familiar with. The St. Nicholas Hospice and the Rainbow Children's Ward parents room at West Suffolk Hospital.

We would appreciate donations of **tea, coffee, sugar or biscuits**. These will be divided between the two charities and delivered by Mrs King.

Please bring your donations to the school office by Friday 19th October.



### Autumn Weather

Could you please ensure that your child brings an appropriate coat to school every day.