



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to school after the half-term break! It has been lovely to see the children return refreshed, settled and ready to learn, and the school has quickly returned to its usual busy and positive atmosphere. Although it has been a slightly quieter week in terms of whole-school events, classrooms have been full of enthusiasm, focus and fantastic learning. The children have worked incredibly hard in their lessons, showing great resilience and maturity as they settled back into routines. Staff have been very proud of the positive attitudes displayed across the school, and it has been wonderful to see pupils supporting one another and continuing to demonstrate our school values in everything they do.

We would also really appreciate your support with an exciting opportunity currently being shared on the Ryder and Dutton Facebook page. They are running a £500 book giveaway, which would be an amazing boost for our school library and reading resources. Engagement from our school community can really help increase our chances, so if you are able to visit their Facebook page, interact with the post and show your support, it would mean a great deal to us. Reading remains a huge priority at Beal Vale, and opportunities like this help us to continue developing a love of books and storytelling for all of our children. Thank you in advance for taking a few moments to support us — every like, comment and share truly makes a difference.

Next Thursday, Beal Vale will be celebrating World Book Day, and we are very much looking forward to a day filled with creativity, imagination and a shared love of reading. This year, we would like the children to come to school dressed as a word. We are encouraging pupils to be as creative as possible, thinking carefully about how they can represent a word through their costume. To help everyone understand each other's ideas, it is important that children clearly label themselves with the word they have chosen so that others can read and enjoy their creativity. Our aim is to fill the school with walking, talking words and to spark conversations about vocabulary, storytelling and language throughout the day. We cannot wait to see the imaginative ideas the children come up with and to celebrate the power of words together as a whole school community.

On Tuesday, a group of girls from Year 5 and Year 6 proudly represented Beal Vale at a football tournament held at Crompton House, where they competed against several other local primary schools. The team showed fantastic determination, teamwork and sportsmanship throughout the event, demonstrating great resilience and encouragement towards one another both on and off the pitch. Taking part in events like this provides valuable opportunities for pupils to develop teamwork skills, build confidence and enjoy healthy competition, and we are extremely proud of how well they conducted themselves. Well done to all the girls involved for being such fantastic ambassadors for our school.

We are delighted to celebrate the achievements of our pupils this week. A big congratulations to our *Pupil of the Week* and our *Class Superstars* who have shown fantastic effort, kindness, and commitment to our school values

Pupil of week:

Rec-Roman	Year 1- Alyzah	Year 2- Anaiah	Year 3- Forrest
Year 4 – Hasnain	Year 5- Harry	Year 6- Cole	

Class Superstar:

Rec-Phoebe	Year 1-Harvie	Year 2- Avayah	Year 3- Daisy
Year 4 –Ethan	Year 5-Olivia-Rae	Year 6- Eguasa	

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to a fantastic term ahead.

Warm regards
Mr Rashid