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Dear Parents and Carers,

On Monday, we celebrated another week of our Attendance HERO – Here Every day, Ready and On-time awards. A huge congratulations to Year 2 and Year 4, who are this week's winning classes! They will be joined by the Beal Vale Attendance Lion and enjoy 15 minutes of extra break time. Our individual Attendance HEROes were Madison in Reception and Daniel in Year 6, who proudly wore our special HERO cape and mask for the day.

This Week's Class Attendance

Class	Attendance
Reception	94.8%
Year 1	94.1%
Year 2	95.7%
Year 3	86.2%
Year 4	99.0%
Year 5	95.0%
Year 6	97.0%

Winning Classes: Year 2 and Year 4

Attendance HEROes: Madison (Reception) and Daniel (Year 6)

Thank you to all our families for supporting good attendance and punctuality. Every school day matters. Please continue to help your child be Here Every day, Ready and On-time.

This week, children in Year 5 and Year 6 took part in a 5 Ways to Wellbeing workshop delivered by Naomi Unsworth from our Mental Health in Schools Team. The workshop encouraged children to think about the simple, positive things they can do to look after their mental health and wellbeing. Thank you to Naomi for supporting our pupils.

We were delighted with the success of our Reception Open Evening. It was wonderful to welcome prospective families into school and share what makes Beal Vale such a special place to learn. If you know a family whose child is due to start Reception in September 2027, please encourage them to apply through the Oldham Council website and consider putting Beal Vale Primary School as their first choice.

A huge thank you to everyone who donated so generously to our Harvest collection. Your kindness and generosity have been overwhelming. Alan, from the Salvation Army Foodbank in Shaw, attended our Harvest assembly on Friday and was blown away by the donations from our school community. Every contribution will help make a difference to local families, and we are incredibly grateful for your support.

During Friday's Harvest assembly, we also took the opportunity to say a very special thank you to Chris Richards, who has served as a governor at Beal Vale for an incredible

40 years, including his time as Chair of Governors. Throughout those years, Chris has given his time voluntarily and worked tirelessly for the benefit of our children, staff, families and the wider community. His commitment and dedication have made a lasting difference to our school. Although Chris stepped down as Chair and Governor following our September governing board meeting, we are delighted that he will continue to lead our PTA and join us on school trips. Chris joked that he now wants to do "the nice things" – although we did have to laugh at his suggestion that accompanying children on school trips is one of them! On behalf of everyone at Beal Vale, thank you, Chris, for everything you have done and continue to do.

At the September governing board meeting, governors elected Zahid Latif (known to many of you as Zad) as our new Chair of Governors for the next three years. Many of you will already know Zad as a parent at Beal Vale and a previously elected Parent Governor. Zad is enthusiastic about taking on this important role and has already begun working behind the scenes to support improvements and opportunities for our children. We look forward to working closely with him as we continue to make Beal Vale the very best it can be.

We look forward to celebrating our pupils' achievements this week. Congratulations to our Pupil of the Week and Class Superstars for their hard work, kindness and commitment to our school values.

Pupil of the Week

Reception: Aiza Year 1: Vlad Year 2: Eva Year 3: Amber
Year 4: Rishma Year 5: Poppy Year 6: Ember

Class Superstar

Reception: Arlo Year 1: Clarice Year 2: Georgia Year 3: Kaeson
Year 4: Esme Year 5: Jaqueline Year 6: Olivia

Warm regards,

Mr Rashid
Headteacher