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**Friday 22nd May 2026**

Dear Parents and Carers,

So here we are at the end of another happy half term at Belmont. I would like to thank everyone connected to school for their continued hardwork, support and commitment to ensuring that all of our children get such a good deal coming to this wonderful school. It is so good to be on the playground every morning greeting so many smiley, happy faces – the children coming in and the parents going out!

Last night the netball team played two matches at Darwen Vale High School, winning one and losing one. All of the girls played well and developed in confidence as the games wore on. Thank you to staff for giving up their time and to parents for transporting them to Darwen.

Back High Street – Please can I politely remind you that there is an unofficial one way system in place before and after school to ensure the safety of our children. It also helps keep the traffic flow continuous. Thankyou.

#### **Message from Mr. Johnson**

**I would like to say thank you for all of your support over the past few months. My chemotherapy has now finished, and I am recuperating and building my fitness back up in readiness to return to Belmont. I am looking forward to seeing all of our families in the near future.**

At Belmont we work very closely with Liverpool John Moores University and School's Direct at Turton to help develop teachers of the future. This academic year, we have hosted Mrs Varachhia who has been based with Miss Lofthouse and the team in Year 1-2. I am pleased to say that Mrs Varachhia has been successful in acquiring her first teaching position at a primary school in Blackburn. Many congratulations go out to her.

Have a lovely half term break and see you all on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June.



This year we will be continuing to use TTRockstars to develop our times table knowledge. Having automatic recall of tables facts is essential in maths. The best place for all children unless they know their tables is garage as this is where I have set the tables, I want them to prioritise.

Support Act: less than 5 seconds per question.  
Headliner: Less than 4 seconds per question – Matilda and Henry  
Rock Star: Less than 3 seconds per question – Isabelle  
Rock Legend: Less than 2 seconds per question –  
Rock Hero: less than 1 second per question –  
Gone Green – Knowing all multiplication Tables Monty and Jack B





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This year we have started to recognise the children's effort on Numbots. This week the following certificates were awarded:

Silver- **Eva** Copper - **Rupert**

### Star of the Week

Every week we award a child from each class an achievement award. This week's winners are:

Reception: **Sophia** – for beautiful handwriting and letter formation.

Year One/Two: **Maya** – for being such an amazing role model who always demonstrates our school values.

Year Three/Four: **Adam** – for working hard all week in all areas of the curriculum.

Year Five/Six: **Isobel** – for showing fantastic grit and resilience throughout her first week at Belmont.

### Dates for the Diary

(New dates are highlighted)

#### Summer Term 2

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – School reopens

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June – PTA Summer Fair Planning Meeting at 6pm at The Black Dog, everyone welcome

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June – KS1 Phonics screening takes place

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June – Sport Day 1:15pm start on The Moss**

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June KS1 SATs Week

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June – PTA Father's Day Sale. Chocolate Bars as for Mother's Day

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June – Year 3/4 Stone Age Day (Letter been sent to parents)

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Life Education to visit school (More information to follow)

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July – 1:30pm Year 5 & 6 Production of The Keymaster (Letter to follow regarding tickets)**

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July – 6:00pm Year 5 & 6 Production of The Keymaster (Letter to follow regarding tickets)**

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July – PTA Summer Fair 12:pm – 2:00pm

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July – Term Ends at 2:00pm





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