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Mark Your Ca	alendar!
June 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 4 <sup>th</sup> June 10 <sup>th</sup>	Move Up Day 9:15am Kindergarten Orientation, 9:15am Kindergarten Picnic Kindergarten Field Day
June 10 <sup>th</sup> June 11 <sup>th</sup>	Kindergarten Father's Day Pizza Party Field Day, gr. 1-4 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Immigration Day
June 11 <sup>th</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade June 14 <sup>th</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade June 15 <sup>th</sup> June 17 <sup>th</sup> June 18 <sup>th</sup> Last Day	Lunch Promotion 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade PA Show Kindergarteners Last Day of School! of School!
	Half Day

#### HSA Meeting - June 9th @ 9:15

\*all meetings are held in the large group room \*HSA meeting minutes will be available, for you to view, in the HSA file folder in the main office, on the HSA website, and on the HSA bulletin board in the lobby. \*For those of you who have volunteered or are considering it, the district "Guidelines for Volunteers" will be in the HSA file folder in the main office. office for you to look at! \*The district "Guidelines for Volunteers" will be in the HSA file folder in the main office for you to review

District Hotline: 610-240-1970 District Website: www.tesd.net

Hello Beaumont Families,

My Goodness! How time flies when you are having fun! I cannot believe that this is our last newsletter of the school year, or that summer vacation is almost upon us! The month of May was another busy one here at Beaumont. Thank you the Plant Sale committee, for helping us to jump start our spring planting and gardening! The teachers were thanked during teacher appreciation week for all of the hard work they do. Thanks to that committee for making it happen! We soared into space for a fun week, put together by our theme week committee. The school looked awesome from all the great decorations our parents created.

We ended the week last week with a great Play Day! Perfect weather and truly wonderful volunteers made a extremely successful event. As we look to June there is Field Day, Yearbooks, the 4th Grade Lunch and 4th Grade Graduation to look forward to....not to mention the onset of summer vacation!

As we wind down another wonderful year, I would like to take the opportunity to thank each and every one of our wonderful parent volunteers. Our HSA and our school are the finest around because of our parents' dedication, hard work, and interest in the children. Thank you for being an important part of our Beaumont community.

Enjoy the summer months, and we look forward to seeing you in the fall.

Warmest Wishes, Sherri Gartner HSA President On behalf of our HSA Board

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# Theme Week Take Down!

Many hands make light work and we would love to see yours!

The Theme Week Committee could use your help on Friday afternoon to take down all the decorations. We are starting as soon as the buses are loaded, so please join us. All help is appreciated, whether it is 10 minutes, or two hours. Please consider stopping up!

If you helped decorate and have items you would like to save, please take them down prior to Friday afternoon.

Thank you!

## **Teacher Appreciation Luncheon**

#### The Beaumont Hospitality Committee needs your help!

We will be hosting our annual Teacher Appreciation event on **Tuesday, June 8th from 11am-1:30pm**.

This year we will be hosting a luncheon with a salad theme. If you are able to contribute a salad, any of the other items, or volunteer your time, please email Nikki Blagden at <a href="mailto:nblagden@gmail.com">nblagden@gmail.com</a>. Thank you!

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Set up & luncheon: Tuesday, June 8th from 10:00am -12:00pm 2 volunteers needed

**Clean up: 1:00- 2:30** 2 volunteers needed

Lunch items:

gallons lemonade (3 people)
gallons iced tea (3 people)
gallons water (4 people)
dozen cookies or brownies (7 people)
green tossed salads (4 people)
pasta - based salads (3 people)
fruit salads (4 people)
rice or grain based salads (2 people)
bean based salads (2 people)
chicken or tuna based salads (4 people)

#### Beaumont Monthly Report <u>May 2010</u>

Beaumont enjoyed Theme Week during May 17-21 "A Space Odyssey." The week was filled with daily assemblies, speakers, and activities. Many parent volunteers decorated the main hallways, lobby, and large group room at Beaumont to support the space theme. The week ended with a fabulous culminating project in which the students participated in a scavenger hunt to find several written facts and visual pieces of information around the hallways and lobby.

The Beaumont Spring Concert was held on Wednesday, May 12. The fourth grade orchestra, third grade orchestra, third and fourth grade combined orchestra, and the fourth grade chorus all performed many magnificent musical pieces. Two Beaumont students wrote their own songs for the orchestra to perform while one student actually conducted the orchestra as the students played her song. It is a pleasure to see so many Beaumont families supporting their children as members of the audience during the concert as well as bringing them to school for early morning rehearsals each week.

On May 5 Beaumont students participated in several activities for the Keystone Healthy Zone Event Day and All Children Exercising Simultaneously (ACES) Day. The theme this year was "Eat Your Colors" with emphasis on eating 5-7 servings of fresh fruits and vegetables daily. Our physical education teacher facilitated whole school warm-up exercise activities during morning announcements. The students participated in a taste-testing of fruits and vegetables activity during lunch times. Parent volunteers and staff members helped students select from extensive displays of fresh fruits and vegetables. Third and fourth grade students created and displayed posters of healthy eating messages around the school. Students at each grade level wore different colored shirts to symbolize the different colors of fruits and vegetables. At the end of the day, the whole school met on the large field to exercise together by engaging in a variety of physical exercises and dances learned in PE classes.

One other Beaumont activity to highlight is the ever-popular Play Day scheduled on Friday, May 21. Play Day is the Beaumont Home and School Association's spring fair where many families and staff members attend to enjoy games and activities.



#### Kindergarten News

The birds were singing, the bees were buzzing, the daffodils were blooming – sounds like spring was in the air and Beaumont's kindergartners investigated it all! May was kindergarten's month for creepy crawling creatures of all kinds because we officially launched our hands-on study unit on insects.



This was an especially exciting study unit for the children because they were engaged in many hands-on science activities including hatching live ladybugs and butterflies. Before, during, and after these discovery-based science projects our "future scientists" were able to predict, observe, record, and reflect on the life cycles of these specific insects. Throughout the duration of these experiments the kids also kept a ladybug and butterfly journal. This provided a cross-curricular opportunity for our students to integrate and apply their creative writing skills into the area of science. Our insect study unit culminated on Wednesday May 26<sup>th</sup> with a field trip to the Philadelphia Insectarium.











#### First Grade News:

First grade is eagerly looking forward to sharing the stories that they wrote and illustrated for the Publishing Center at our annual

*Authors' Breakfast* on Wednesday, June 9<sup>th</sup> from 8:45 to 9:15 in your child's classroom. The children worked hard on developing the components of what makes a story:

- Setting
- Characters
- Sequence
- Plot
- Ending (resolution)

We continue to apply these components to the stories we read in our reading groups. We look forward to seeing you on June 9<sup>th</sup>!

#### Second Grade News:

What a busy month it has been in second grade! We began the month with our Immigration Unit. In the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade hallways you will find a display that honors our Earliest Known Ancestors. Speaking of Immigrants, did you know that the Ringling Brothers came to America in the early 1900's from Germany? Well, if you ask any second grader at Beaumont they will tell you all about it. As a culminating activity to our science unit on Balancing and Weighing, the circus came to Beaumont on May 14<sup>th</sup>. The day was filled with a variety of activities that tested our knowledge of balancing. We learned how to juggle in small group workshops, did a science experiment called Don't Sink the Ship and had several balance relays outdoors. The Grand Finale was a Circus Show from very talented performers called The Give and Take Jugglers. As the month comes to an end we are looking forward to yet another culminating activity, Immigration Day, which will take place on June 11<sup>th</sup>.

#### Third Grade News:

In social studies, the third grade is in the midst of our "City Planning" unit. Wait until you see the final products created by the third graders!!! Please save the date for our third grade Pennsylvania show "Living William Penn's Dream" and our City Walk on the afternoon of Tuesday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:00.

The third grade has begun our last unit of study in science – Chemical Tests. We will be experimenting on 5 unknown substances to see their reactions to different agents, such as vinegar, iodine, water, and heat to name a few. Through these experiments we will discover what these unknowns are.

Our Philadelphia field trip was a success! We had a beautiful day and made many wonderful memories. Thank you to all the chaperones that accompanied us to Philadelphia.



Lastly, the biography projects were outstanding! Great information, great visual aides, and great presentations by all of our third graders!!!!

#### Fourth Grade News:

Fourth Grade has been extremely busy over the last month. We have finished presenting our P.A.L. projects and have started working on Westward Movement in social studies.

Our trip to Hagley Museum in Delaware was a great success! We had beautiful weather to go along with a great program. Thanks to all of our parent volunteers for helping out. We traveled to T/E Middle School for move up day and were treated to a tour of the school by many former Beaumont students. Needless to say our students are very excited about the prospects of moving on to TEMS.

The Bell Avenue Picnic will take place at Ridley Creek Park on Thursday, May 27<sup>th</sup>. We get to meet our pen pals and have a great day packed with arts, crafts and games. Mrs. McGillis will be coordinating for her final time, "Thanks for all of your hard work Doreen".

This is the thirteenth year that we have gotten together with Bell Avenue School!

The first drafts of our final project for the year, All About Me, are in and we are looking forward to the final products which will be in on June first. We are quickly closing in on the final days of the school year. The fourth grade picnic will be held on June 11<sup>th</sup> and promotion ceremonies will take place on Thursday June 17<sup>th</sup>.

## Beaumont Bear Summer Camp! With \*Miss Hunt, \*Miss. Senior & \*Mr. Bradley

Sponsored by the Beaumont H.S.A.

## <u>When</u>: Weekly from June 28<sup>th</sup> to July 15th <u>Time</u>: (1:00-4:00pm) <u>Ages</u>: Any BES Child in (Kindergarten - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade)\*

(Includes students completing kindergarten this year 4 entering 1<sup>st</sup> Grade in fall '10 through students entering 5<sup>th</sup> Grade in Fall '10).

Session #1 Monday, June 28<sup>th</sup> – Thursday, July 1<sup>st</sup> (1pm-4pm) \*This week will include exciting P.E. games, outdoor activities, contests, and water games! With Miss Hunt and Miss. Senior\*



Session #2 Monday, July 5<sup>th</sup>- Thursday, July 8<sup>th</sup> (1pm-4pm) \*This week will include exciting P.E. games, outdoor activities, contests, and water games! With Miss Hunt and Mr. Bradley\*



Session #3 Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> – Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup> (1pm-4pm) \*This week will be a combination of P.E. games, outdoor activities, Arts and Crafts and more with Miss Hunt and Miss Senior\*

## Space is limited, so don't miss out! What's better than...

- Summer fun with Miss Hunt, Miss. Senior and Mr. Bradley?
- A Chance to play your favorite PE games?
- Cooling off with "wet and wild" water activities?
- Expanding your Creativity with arts and Crafts?
- Playing games in a non-competitive environment?
- An Affordable alternative for summer fun?

Questions may be directed to Miss Hunt at 610-240-2511 or <u>HuntM@tesd.net</u>



Children who enroll should bring a snack, hat, sunscreen, water bottle, bathing suit and towel. We will provide water breaks and a small snack each day.



#### How Do I Sign Up For the Fun?

#### Return:

- Registration Form
- Payment in Full (please make Checks payable to BES HSA) in an envelope marked Beaumont Bear Camp
- Deliver to the Bear Camp Drop-Off Box in the Main Office

#### All forms must be received by June 14th, 2010

#### Beaumont Bear Camp Registration Form and Permission Slip (A confirmation/receipt will be sent to you via email)

Cost: Please make checks payable to "BES HSA".

- Each Child/per day = \$30
- Each Child /per Full Sessions 1, 2, 3 = \$110 per session

Check the session you plan to attend. If you can not attend the entire session then <u>CIRCLE</u> the days you wish to attend.

2	Grade (09/10 year)
Student Name(s) (Please Print): 1	Grade (09/10 year)
Total Amount Enclosed: \$	Checks payable to "BES HSA"
Total Full Sessions Cost = \$ (cost per student for full week sessions)	Total Days @ <b>\$30 per Day</b> = \$ (cost per student if <b>not</b> attending the full week session)
Session 3: July 12 <sup>th</sup> -July 15 <sup>th</sup> <b>§110</b>	Session 3: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Session 2: July 5 <sup>th</sup> - July 8 <sup>th</sup> <b><u>\$110</u></b>	Session 2: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Session 1: June 28 <sup>th</sup> - July 1 <sup>st</sup> \$ <u>110</u>	Session 1: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Any pertinent health information (asthma, allergies, etc):

# SUMMER ART CAMP

Mrs. Walsh Mrs Bourque Beaumont Art Room

## Wanted serious artists only!

2 1/2 hours of art!



Monday, June 28 through Thursday, July 1st a morning session <u>or</u> an afternoon session Artists <u>presently</u> in Grades K-4

check one

Morning	9:00 am-11:30 am	20 students per session	\$110
Afternoon	12:30pm 3:00pm	20 students per session	\$110

Projects will be the same in the morning session and the afternoon session, so please sign up for **<u>one</u>** only.

AM session - please pick up your child <u>promptly</u>, so teachers can eat lunch and prepare for the afternoon session. Thank you!

\$110.00 per session for instruction & materials
Please make checks payable to: Beaumont HSA
Please complete this form and return it to <b>BES office.</b>
Put it in the box labeled Summer Art Camp.

Name:	parents names	
Phone# (Home)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
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cell phone #2		
Address:		
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### T/E School District Calendar Goes Green!

Beginning in the 2010-2011 school year, the School District Calendar/Handbook will no longer be printed and mailed to parents. The 2010-2011 District calendar and individual school calendars will be available in a new format on the TESD web site at <u>www.tesd.net</u> by July 30, 2010. This new format will allow parents to print the calendar in a variety of arrangements, sort the calendar on-line and export calendar dates and events into various email programs and personal electronic devices. Paper copies of the web site calendar will be available at the school buildings for those who would like to pick up a paper copy. In addition, a monthly calendar will be included in school newsletters when possible.

We are currently in the process of updating our parent email list. So that we can send you a link to the school calendar electronically next year, it is important that we have your email address on file. If we do not already have your email address on file, please send your email address to Lisa Toland at <u>tolandl@tesd.net</u>. You will have an opportunity to verify or change your email address on the student information verification sheet that is sent home at the beginning of the school year. In addition, you may contact the school main office staff at any time to update your email address.

This initiative will help to save paper, copier resources, postage and keep our school "green." Thanks for your understanding of this environmentally friendly project.

#### New T/E School Web Site Coming in July 2010

The T/E School District web site is in the process of being overhauled and will be replaced with a new site that includes a user-friendly design and expanded features. The new web site will become live in July 2010. The web site will include a number of new features including:

- An interactive, on-line calendar that will be updated throughout the school year as needed,
- Drop down menus for easy navigation throughout the web site,
- Expanded school web sites,
- Teacher web pages at all levels, and
- New web 2.0 technology tools for students.



The existing web site address of <u>www.tesd.net</u> will remain the same after the transition to the new web site. Please visit the current T/E School District web site at <u>www.tesd.net</u> to watch a short video preview of the new site. Check it out live in July 2010!



# FREE hockey night at Ice Line!!

## All 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade boys and girls living in T/E school district are invited to attend. When: June 6, 2010 at 5:30pm Where: Ice Line, West Chester, PA

This is a fun hockey clinic open to all new and returning players. Conestoga High School varsity boys and girls players and coaches will be on hand to help the kids with skating, stick-handling, and shooting.

## Beginners to experienced players are welcome!

Helmet, gloves, skates and stick mandatory. Limited extra equipment is available.

**RSVP** to reserve a spot & equipment:

Scott Carpenter <a href="scottcarpenter2@verizon.net">scottcarpenter2@verizon.net</a>





JUNE 2010





MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1	2	3	4
	9:15 Move Up Day	9:15 Kindergarten Orientation	10:00 & 12:30 Kindergarten Picnic	Kindergarten Field Day
	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4
7	8	9	10	11
		8:45 - 9:15 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	1 <sup>st</sup> - 4 <sup>th</sup> Field Day	9:30 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Immigration
		Author's Breakfast	10:30 & 12:45 Kindergarten	Day
		9:15 HSA Meeting	Father's Day Pizza Party	12:00 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Luncheon
Day 5	Day 6	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
14	15	16	17	18
	9:15 & 2:00 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Awards	2:00 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Day Last Day of School
	Pennsylvania Show	Assembly		
Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 1	Day 2
21	22	23	24	25
	Sum	mer Vacat	ion	
28	29	30	July 1	
9:00 - 11:00 Art Camp	9:00 – 11:00 Art Camp	9:00 – 11:00 Art Camp	9:00 – 11:00 Art Camp	
12:30 – 3:00 Art Camp	12:30 – 3:00 Art Camp	12:30 – 3:00 Art Camp	12:30 – 3:00 Art Camp	
1:00 - 4:00 Beaumont Bear	1:00 - 4:00 Beaumont Bear	1:00 - 4:00 Beaumont Bear	1:00 - 4:00 Beaumont Bear	
Camp	Camp	Camp	Camp	

All lunches include a choice of	Tredyffrin Easttown School District Elementary Lunch Menu			Please include your child's full name with all pre-payments.
skim, 2% white or low-fat				
chocolate milk.		·		Paid Lunch \$2.35
		June 2010		Reduced lunch \$ .40
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31		Day 2 2		
	A. Pizza Dippers w/Marinara Sauce ▼	A. Hot Ham & Cheese on a Small Kaiser Roll	A. Roasted Turkey w/Gravy & Dinner Roll	A. 5" Individual Pizza ▼
		B.Cheeseburger on a Bun ▼	B.Cheeseburger on a Bun ▼	B.Cheeseburger on a Bun ▼
MEMORIAL DAY		C. Yogurt Bites	C. Yogurt Bites	C. Yogurt Bites
	D. Peanut Butter and Jelly Uncrustable		D. Peanut Butter and Jelly Uncrustable	
S.S.S.	on White or Whole Wheat ▼	Uncrustable on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼
		E. Salad Platter or Salad Bar ▼	E. Salad Platter or Salad Bar ▼	E. Salad Platter ▼
	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Green Beans ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼
		Corn ▼	Whipped Potatoes ▼	
		Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼
Day 5 7	Day 6 8		Day 2 10	
A. Toasted Cheese Sandwich ▼	A. Chicken Fingers w/Dipping Sauce	A. Cheesesteak on a Sub	A. Baked Potato Bar w/Broccoli &Cheese ▼	A. Stuffed Crust Pizza ▼
		B. Hot Ham & Cheese on a Bun	B. Hot Ham & Cheese on a Bun	B. Hot Ham & Cheese on a Bun
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		C. Turkey Breast Sandwich*	C. Turkey Breast Sandwich*	C. Turkey Breast Sandwich*
	D. Peanut Butter and Jelly Uncrustable		D. Peanut Butter and Jelly Uncrustable	
Uncrustable on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼	Uncrustable on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼
E. Salad Platter or Salad Bar ▼	E. Salad Platter or Salad Bar ▼	E. Salad Platter or Salad Bar ▼	E. Salad Platter or Salad Bar ▼	E. Salad Platter ▼
Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼
Tomato Soup ▼		Baked Potato Rounds ▼		Baby Carrots w/Dip ▼
Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼
Day 4 14			,	Day 2 1
A. Fresh Fruit, Yogurt, & Small Apple Cinnamon Muffin ▼	A. Turkey Hot Dog on a Bun	A. Chicken Nugget w/ Whole Wheat Dinner Roll	A. Chefs Choice	
B.Cheeseburger on a Bun ▼		B.Cheeseburger on a Bun ▼	B.Cheeseburger on a Bun ▼	
C. Ham & Cheese Hoagie	C. Ham & Cheese Hoagie	C. Ham & Cheese Hoagie	C. Ham & Cheese Hoagie	Last Day for Students
	D. Peanut Butter and Jelly Uncrustable		D. Peanut Butter and Jelly Uncrustable	1/2 Day
Uncrustable on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼	Uncrustable on White or Whole Wheat ▼	on White or Whole Wheat ▼	
Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	Tossed Garden Salad ▼	
Orange Juice and Carrot Sticks ▼	Baked Potato Rounds ▼	Green Beans ▼	Broccoli Crowns w/Dip ▼	
Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit V	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	Chilled Fresh and Canned Fruit ▼	

▼ Identifies Vegetarian Items



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S CAFETERIA ACCOUNT

## HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!



<u>Cafeteria Account Balances</u> All students cafeteria balances will transfer to next school year. This includes students who will be attending Middle School next year. Also, your child's pin number will remain the same, regardless of whether they are going to another school within the District. Negative balances must be paid by June 17, 2010. Checks should be made out to "TESD Cafeteria Fund".