

Big News from your PTA!



Beaver Road's Big Bollywood Boogie

Friday 11 November 4.00 to 5.30 in KS1 Hall at School

There will be music, dance, henna tattoos, delicious Indian-style snacks, tasty treats and much more. There will be a prize for best Maharaja and Maharani (best dressed boy and girl respectively). So get out your best party clothes and come and have some Bollywood fun.

Tickets will be on sale outside the School Office door on Monday and Tuesday 7 and 8 November 8.45 to 9.30 am.

Family Pass (up to 4 people including adults) £5.00

Individual tickets (including adults) £2.00

Tickets are limited so don't delay!

We cannot run this event without your support. Please get in touch if you can contribute towards our Bollywood Boogie evening.

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All monies raised will be added to our fund for playground improvements.

Remembrance Day



On Friday 11 November Beaver Road Primary School will observe a two minute silence.

Poppies will be on sale at School from Monday 7 November (20p minimum donation please).

There will be a community Remembrance Service at the War Memorial outside Didsbury Library from 10 30am on 13 November.

Eid Mubarak to all our Muslim children and their families

Eid ul Adha is on Sunday/Monday 6/7 November.

This is a four-day public holiday in Muslim countries. For Muslims the festival remembers the prophet Ibrahim's willingness to sacrifice his son when God ordered him to.

Ibrahim's sacrifice

Muslims believe God appeared in a dream to Ibrahim and told him to sacrifice his son Isma'il. Ibrahim and Isma'il set off to Mina for the sacrifice.

As they went, the devil attempted to persuade Ibrahim to disobey God and not to sacrifice his beloved son. But Ibrahim stayed true to God, and drove the devil away.

As Ibrahim prepared to kill his son God stopped him and gave him a sheep to sacrifice instead.

Celebrations

Ibrahim's complete obedience to the will of God is celebrated by Muslims each year.

Each Muslim, as they celebrate, reminds themselves of their own submission to God, and their own willingness to sacrifice anything to God's wishes.

During the festival Muslims who can afford to, sacrifice domestic animals, usually sheep, as a symbol of Ibrahim's sacrifice. (British law insists that the animals must be killed in a proper slaughterhouse.)

The meat is distributed among family, friends and the poor, who each get a third share.

As with all festivals there are prayers, and also presents.

Remember, Remember the 5th of November. Gunpowder, Treacle and Plot!

We hope you enjoy Bonfire Night but please make sure you know and use the Firework Code and keep yourselves and all your family safe and well.

