

# Beech Grove Primary School



## Reading for pleasure Newsletter

### Visiting Authors

This term we took a group of children to Green Lane Primary where we met the author AF Steadman. We helped Annabel create a new character for her new book and listened to an extract from her latest novel. The children had the opportunity to speak to Annabel at the end and have their books signed.



### Upcoming Events

The National Literacy trust have teamed up with Middlesbrough libraries to offer many exciting events over the summer for families to enjoy. Visit the website below to see what's on offer.

<https://literacytrust.org.uk/communities/middlesbrough/families/>

### Home Reading Stars

Reading at home is so important as it gives the children the confidence and fluency they need to access our full curriculum.

Well done everyone and keep reading **at least three times a week** to be in with a chance to win a prize in our celebration assembly.

Thank you to all our parents and carers for your continued support with this.

### Team Beech Grove

We have had another special delivery of 60 brand-new books from the National Literacy Trust.

The book is called, We Are Wolves by Katrina Nannestad.

The book tells the story of World War Two from the perspective of a child which links to our Year 6 topic, Child's War which we complete in the Summer term.



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### BIG BORO BOOK BASH

Our Year 5 children recently attended the Big Boro Book Bash at the town hall. The children had the chance to meet three authors: Tom Percival, AF Steadman and Ben Miller and every one received a free book. The authors celebrated their stories with over 1000 children from across Middlesbrough and every one had the BEST time.

Tom Percival later came to our school and spoke to Year 4 about his new book, The Wrong Shoes.

