

Kilmington Primary



School

Weekly News Letter

26 September 2008

Dear Parents,

Good news, the erecting of the timber frame of the new building is well advanced and the plan next week is to finish the wooden panelling and start to create the roof. I have fortnightly meetings with the contractors and project manager and we are on schedule. The oak panels should soon start to be fitted on the exterior.

This coming Monday is the Swimming Gala at the Flamingo Pool. After asking which children were able to swim the required distances and who wanted to take part a number of Year 6, 5 and 4 pupils have been entered for the events. Your children have been told and they will need their swimming kits for Monday. A coach will take them to the pool at 12.30pm and return them to school around 3pm. Mrs Millman will be accompanying the children. I'm sure parents can go and watch but there is limited viewing.

Please don't forget to come to our Harvest Assembly at the Baptist Church next Thursday, 2 October at 2:45pm. All the children will be walked up to the church and please collect from there at home time. A collection will be held at the service and a suggestion has been made that money given should be split between the good causes supported by the church and the local campaign highlighted in the Midweek Herald to send a 16 year old girl suffering from cancer to Australia. I hope you all agree with this decision.

We have been asked by the police to inform parents of an incident in Devon of a man trying to lure children into his car on their way home from school. I know you will all be vigilant and we will remind the children of not accepting lifts from any strangers.

Coming home with your children is an envelope containing a letter from the PTFA about this year's Community Raffle together with the draw books and attached is another letter about the forthcoming Quiz Night on Saturday, 18 October. This evening is to replace the Rounder's Evening cancelled due to bad weather and I hope as many of you can attend as possible. Our last two quizzes have been a great success and a lot of fun. The questions are not too difficult and many families get together as teams and enjoy the social event.

*Malcolm Bettison*