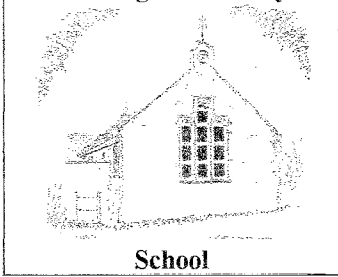


Kilmington Primary



School

Weekly Newsletter

15 January, 2010

Dear Parents,

As I write this news letter it looks as though we have escaped the worst of the wintry weather this week and so have been able to operate as normal. Let's hope the weather stays kind to us especially for the Year 3 and 4 residential visit in just over a week's time.

Apologies to those parents who were at the meeting for this visit earlier on this week for the fact I didn't say when the balance of the money is due to be paid. Mrs Harding would like this paid please by Monday, 1 February as we will have to pay the invoice by then to Hooke Court and the coach company. For those who have just paid the deposit, the balance due is £85.

For parents of Year 2 and those not going on the visit in Year 3 there is a separate letter going out tonight about the day visit they will be making to join the rest of their class mates at Hooke Court on Tuesday, 26 January.

Attached to this letter is a diary for the coming term to help you plan the coming months and as usual more details will follow about many of the events. On the club front, if you haven't sent in your forms can you please do so as soon as possible. Please note Cookery Club will now not start until the first Monday back after half-term (22nd February) due to unavoidable commitments for Mrs Grant. Also Multi-Skills Club will not be starting until the first Friday after half-term (26th February) as TeamTheme are unable to supply a coach until then.

Also going out today are the Spring Term Information Sheets for Coly and Yarty Classes. Ms Doyle has sent the Axe Class Information Pamphlet out earlier in the week. Please let us know if you haven't received one.

The Indoor Football League starts next Tuesday, 19 January. I have already asked children in Year 5 and 6 if they would like to play. The ones wishing to play are Jamie Jobson, Jack Knowles, Daniel Lathom, Logan Black, James Overton, James Dodge, Ella Burdett and Michael Hodgkins. Can parents please make sure children are taken straight to the Axe Valley Sports Centre for 3:50pm and they can be collected from there at 5pm. (Please note, not the car park as it will be dark at this time of the year) I will be supervising the children during this time and so can take a few children to the Sports Centre if any parent has difficulty. I have just received the fixture list and our team is only playing on these dates: **Tuesday 19 Jan, Tuesday 2 February, Tuesday 2 March**. I know this event clashes with the Science Club so on the dates we are not playing children who wish to, can attend this club.

I have been asked to advertise the Axminster Drama Club Pantomime 'Robin Hood'. A number of our children are performing in the show and I know they would appreciate our support.

The show is on next Thursday, Friday and Saturday (matinee on this day as well) Tickets are available from the Archway Bookshop.

As mentioned in last week's letter the school have purchased a mobile phone which will be used to text parents in case the school has to close and also if any of the clubs have to be cancelled at short notice. Please note that it will be switched off at all other times, so do not use the number to try and contact us. The number is: 07773 875 022 for you to add to your contacts.

Finally, please don't forget there is a PTFA Committee Meeting next Thursday, 21 January at 6:30pm in Coly Class.

Malcolm Bettison