



Weekly Newsletter

12 June, 2009

Dear Parents,

I start with a final reminder that it is our **Walking Quiz tonight**. You can pick up a quiz sheet from the school anytime from 6pm to 6:45pm. Hopefully, the weather will allow us to sit outside at the New Inn to enjoy some well deserved refreshments.

Also, a reminder that there is no **Cookery Club** this coming Tuesday, 16 June.

Our Rounders Team played very well last Tuesday and only lost the first match by a single rounder. They won the second comfortably and only lost the third due to some excellent fielding by the opposition. They will be playing again this coming Tuesday, 16 June but please note the **finishing time is 5:15pm**. (I think I put 5:30pm on the last letter home).

On Wednesday, 17 June, the whole of **Coly Class** will be taking part in the **Top Link Sports Festival** at the **Axe Valley College**. I have arranged a bus to take the children there at 9:30am and they will be returned to school at 2:30pm. Therefore, the children will need a **packed lunch on this day, together with their school sports kits, a full water bottle and a couple of high energy snacks** to keep them going through the different activities. This year there are a lot of new activities for the children but there will still be a competitive side to the day and hopefully our school will do well. The activities are outside, so a coat may be advisable if the weather is dodgy but there is a reserved date of Tuesday, 23 June should the weather be really bad. Mrs Quick and a TA will be accompanying the children.

On Thursday, 18 June Year 6 will be canoeing on the River Axe with the Axmouth Canoe Club. This is an annual event for Year 6 and there is an accompanying letter with all the details.

Please don't forget it is this term's **Celebratory Assembly** on Friday, 19 June at 2:45pm in the Village Hall. Years 4 and 5 from **Coly Class** will be taking the lead and presenting the first part of the assembly. Don't forget to put any certificates and awards in the wallet in the main entrance that your children have gained from clubs etc outside of school so these can be recognised as well during the afternoon.

For your information there is a suspected case of measles within a family of our school. The current guidance I am working to, is that the minimum period to keep children infected away from school is 5 days from the onset of the rash. Siblings who show no signs of the disease should not be kept away from school. If this guidance changes I will let you know.

Finally, the **Area Sports** for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 is coming up on Monday, 22 June. This will be at **Seaton Primary School** starting at 1pm. Next week we will be running trials and heats and we will let you know, via the Newsletter next Friday, which children will be representing our school as I know many of you like to attend to support and encourage your children.

Malcolm Bettison