



## *Newsletter - 7<sup>th</sup> November 2008*

### **PTA Ladies Night**

The PTA Ladies Evening is next Thursday - 13<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm. A number of stalls have been booked including:

Jewellery & Handbags	Body Shop
Virgin vie	Massage
Avon	Nutritionist
Botox	Phoenix Cards & Stationery
Pottery	Hairdressing
Chocolates	Handmade Toys

Tickets cost £2.50 including a glass of wine and nibbles. This looks like a perfect opportunity to start your Christmas shopping. The PTA need your support to make this evening a success, so please come along and bring a friend! Tickets can be purchased from the school office or Mrs T's on Winsford Avenue.

### **Christmas Celebrations**

The children in Reception, Yrs 1, 2, 3 & 4 will be working hard to prepare their Christmas Production this year. Our Year 5 & 6 classes will be supporting this by preparing the tickets and programmes, but they will be performing in an end of year show in July. There will be an afternoon and an evening performance of the Christmas play (see dates attached) and in addition we have arranged a Christmas Family Assembly at St. Christopher's Church on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 10am. During this assembly some of the Year 5 & 6 children will perform readings and prayers. Please put these dates in your diary and come along and celebrate Christmas with us.

### **Sickness Bug**

We have had a number of children absent with sickness and tummy bugs. Could you please talk to the children about the importance of hand washing. If children are absent with these viruses please keep them off school for at least 48 hours after the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea. If children are returned to school too soon, we will ask you to collect them.

### **Book Fair**

Our annual Book Fair will be in operation from 3.30-4.00pm Monday to Friday next week. Look forward to seeing you there. Don't forget 'Jump out of a Book' dressing up day on Monday.

### **Charity Shoe Boxes**

The shoe boxes will be collected from school on Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> November in the morning. The shoe boxes can be brought into school any time next week. Please wrap the boxes and lids separately as the items have to be checked before they are sent on. No liquids or chocolate should be included in the boxes, and could you please label with girl/boy and the age range. Thank you for your support.

### **Pantomime**

Could we please have the balance of the pantomime trip by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November. If you have paid a deposit of £2.00 per child, then the amount remaining is £7.00. Thank you.

### **Rising Five Admissions – September 2009**

The closing date for application forms to be received is 28<sup>th</sup> November. Please return the forms if you have not already done so. If you know of anyone who hasn't registered their child for school, could you please remind them to do so as soon as possible.

### **PGCE Students**

We have two students from Warwick University in school for the next four weeks. They are Mrs Eller in Year 6 and Miss Wood in Year 3.

### **Morrisons Vouchers**

If you have any vouchers hiding in cupboards or handbags, could you send them into school as soon as possible please. Thank you.

### **Dates for your Diary**

Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Open Day for Prospective Parents 2.15-3pm
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Book Fair
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Book Week - Dressing up day as a favourite book character
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	KS1 Gymnastics Club after school
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Maths Workshop for parents 6.30-7.30pm
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	KS2 Multi sports Club after school
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	Football Match AHPS v St Anne's, 3.45 kick off
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 Class Assembly - 9.15am parents welcome
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 2 SATs meeting for parents 2.30pm
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Shoe box collection
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> November	Year 4 Class Assembly - 9.15am parents welcome
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	Reception Parents Consultations
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Visit and Christmas performance at Allesley Hall
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	School Outing to the Pantomime
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA Christmas Disco Reception & KS1 4.15-5.15 KS1 5.30-6.30
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	2pm Christmas Performance Reception, Yrs 1, 2, 3 & 4
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	6.30pm Christmas Performance - Reception, Yrs 1, 2, 3 & 4.
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	10am Christmas Assembly at St Christopher's Church
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	3.30pm End of Term

