



NEWSLETTER - 25th June 2010

Strawberry Tea

Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising this week for Breast Cancer care. The Year 6 children worked hard to shop, prepare and serve strawberry teas to family and community members and the Year 5 children were busy all day selling raffle tickets and distributing cup cakes to the rest of the school. The current total raised is £215.00 for this worthy cause. Thank you for your continued support and to the staff and children for their hard work. If you were unable to attend the strawberry tea, but would like to make a donation to this charity we still have lots of the breast cancer metal pins for sale in the school office.

Teddy Bears Picnic

Our current Reception children welcomed the new Reception children into school on Wednesday morning for a Teddy Bears Picnic in the woodland area at the bottom of the playground. The children were good role models for our new children and once again the Year 6 children worked hard to serve the food and support groups of children in a range of fun activities. Thank you to the Reception children, Year 6 and Reception staff for their hard work in organising this event.

Sports Day

Sports Day is rapidly approaching and the children are practising a number of different events during their P.E sessions, so all we need now is for the good weather to continue until at least next Wednesday! All Reception parents are welcome to attend their sports morning at 9.30am and the Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 team event will start at 1.30pm so all parents are welcome at this time. We would like the children in Year 1 - Year 6 to wear a t-shirt supporting their team colours - red, blue, yellow or green, so if your child could bring a coloured top to school on Wednesday we would be most grateful. If however you don't have a top in their team colour, please notify the office as soon as possible so we can organise a coloured bib for them to wear over their PE t-shirt. We hope you will be able to attend on Wednesday and that it will be an enjoyable event for everyone.

End of year reports

These will be sent home on Friday 9th July for all children. Please take time to complete the parents reply slip at the bottom of the report and come along to our Open day on Tuesday 13th July (8.15- 9.15am or 3pm-4pm) which will provide you with the opportunity to share your child's work and to walk around the school to look at the displays, talk to the staff and meet your child's new teacher.

My Activities

Mr Styles will be running a holiday club at school starting on Monday 26th July. If you would like to find out more information about this or his early morning or after school club which will be starting in September, please pop into the school office or contact him through his website:

www.myactivities.co.uk

School Visits and Visitors

Thank you to all parents who have supported the school trips and visits that the children have enjoyed this year. The children have enjoyed many enrichment activities including visits to: Doly Moch, Warwick Arts Centre, Belgrade theatre, Hatton Country World, Avoncroft Museum, Warwick Castle, The National Space Centre, Cadbury's World, Lunt Fort, Ryton Gardens, Ryton Pools, Plantasia, the beach at Meriden, as well as the ongoing visits to a range of Coventry Partnership Centres. We have also been fortunate to welcome visitors to school to support the children's learning including visits from the fire service, the Year 4 Egyptian day and the Year 5 rainforest experience. We are delighted that these activities can take place and that they are supported by parents.

Sun Safety

We teach the children how to be safe in the sun and with this in mind would appreciate it if you could apply sun cream in the morning before they come to school. If you want the children to re-apply this later in the day then please make sure their name is on their bottle of cream! In addition please name all sun hats. Replacement school water bottles are available to purchase from the school office for £1.

PTA Fashion Show

Thank you to the PTA, Mrs Dodd and the willing models that helped put on a lovely fashion show. The evening was enjoyed by everyone and the PTA made £132. Thank you for your continued support and well done to the children!

PTA Children's Disco

The summer discos will be held on Monday 19th July after school. More information about the times and cost will follow in future newsletters.

Diary dates:

Wednesday 30 th June	Sports Afternoon Reception Sports event will be held in the morning
Thursday 1 st July	School Nurse consultations with parents
Friday 2 nd July	Reception class assembly
Wednesday 7 th July	Year 4 visit to Ryton Pools
Thursday 9 th July	Year 1 visit to Heart of England Beach
Friday 9 th July	Annual Reports will be sent out to parents
9 th -10 th July	PTA Family Camp
Tuesday 13 th July	Open day 8.15am - 9.15am & 3pm - 4pm
Wednesday 14 th July	Year 6 secondary school transfer day
Monday 19 th July	Reception trip to Plantasia PTA Children's Disco
Wednesday 21 st July	Year 6 leaver's assembly 9.30am
Thursday 22 nd July	Last day of term for children
Friday 23 rd July	Teacher Training day
Thursday 2 nd September	Children return to school after Summer Holidays

