

**NEWSLETTER 17/09/10 – 12<sup>th</sup> February 2010**

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Dear Parents,

Events for week commencing Monday, 22nd February 2010

<b>Monday</b>	All day		Y4 Residential visit to York
	Afternoon	2pm	3S Swim - £3
	After School	3.30 – 4.30pm	Ricky's Dance
<b>Tuesday</b>	All day		Y4 residential visit to York
	Lunch time		Computer club – 5M
	Afternoon		3HB Swim - £3
<b>Wednesday</b>	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Rock Solid – Years 4, 5 & 6
	Lunch time		Computer club – 6H
	After School	3.30 – 4.30pm	Imagineering Club Girls Football Ceramics Club
<b>Thursday</b>	Lunch time		Computer Club – 6L
	After School	3.30 – 4.30pm	Play-On Theatre Club Chess Club
			Mad Science Club – Year 5/6
<b>Friday</b>	Morning	8.55-9.15am	Celebration Assembly

**CURRICULUM SUMMARY SHEETS** A summary of the curriculum being covered in each year group has been sent home this week.

**HELLO AND GOODBYE** Mrs Broadway leaves us today for a new school in Leamington. Her replacement will be Mrs Read who is returning to school after her sabbatical. Anthony Allen, our sports coach, also finishes today, along with Mrs Lynda Bentley who has been teaching the children R.E. She will be replaced by Mrs Fisher, who returns from her maternity leave after the holiday.

**YORK VISIT** Year 4 are very much looking forward to their trip to York. Mrs Harrison would like to remind the children going that they should arrive at school at promptly (normal start time) on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February, with their equipment and any medication they may require. The coach is planned to leave at around 9.15am.

**UNWANTED VISITORS** Over the past few weeks we have had several visitors in the night who have caused damage to school property and taken a number of items. We have introduced further measures to prevent this re-occurring but request that anyone who has any information about these incidents should let us know. Also, to be clear that when the school is closed, no-one has permission to use the school premises.

**SUSPICIOUS INCIDENTS** I have been asked to inform parents of two incidents this week. On Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> February 2010, two year 6 boys were invited to get into a light blue Renault car. They refused and the car followed them for a short distance. It is unclear at this time what the driver's motives were. The driver is described as female with grey, bushy, curly hair, in her mid to late 40's. In a separate incident, a year 3 pupil from Northlands School was approached by a man who offered her sweets and asked her to follow him. She refused and went home. We have reminded the children of stranger danger and would be grateful if parents would reiterate the message at home. If there are any changes to your child's normal hometime arrangements please would you inform us.

**DINNER MONEY** The cost of dinner money for the next half term will be £42.50. Cheques should be made payable to 'Warwickshire County Council'.

**SWIMMING LESSONS** The cost of swimming lessons for the next half term will be £15 for both Mrs Simmons' class and Mrs Hayward/Mrs Blezard's. Cheques should be made payable to Warwickshire County Council'.

**PLAS TAN Y BWLCH** The next payment of £25, for children who are participating in the forthcoming visit to Wales, is due on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2010. Cheques should be made payable to Dunchurch Junior School.

**ORCHESTRA** Please note that there will be no orchestra on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2010.

**EDUCATION SUNDAY** Thank you and well done to Mrs Blezard and all the children who represented us at the recent Education Sunday service at St Peter's church, Dunchurch.

**5M – CLASS ASSEMBLY** Well done to the children in Mrs Miller's class for their excellent performances in their class assembly yesterday morning.

**PTA DISCO** Thank you to everyone who supported the PTA disco earlier on this week. As usual it was very successful thanks to the hard work and commitment of the members of the school PTA and Mrs Miller.

**CRAZER** There will be no Crazer this evening. The next Crazer session will be on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2010 in the school hall 6.50 8pm. Filming adverts (real or made up) so bring any props you may need.

#### **EXTENDED SERVICES**

**STAY AND PLAY** Dunchurch Stay and Play session for 0-5 year olds, run by WCC staff, is starting at Dunchurch Junior School on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2010. The session times are from 9.00am-11.00am and run every Monday -except school holidays. The session allows children and their carers to meet with other families and will provide some fantastic activities for children to take part in, like messy play, a home corner, construction toys and even a little area for the younger ones. If you are interested in coming along with your child

and meeting new people, please come to Reception on your first visit and you will be shown where to go.

**NETBALL CLUB - Years 5/6** Netball Club will be re-starting on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2010. The club will run for ten weeks from 3.30 - 4.30pm. If your daughter is interested please complete and return the slip below together with the £2 admin fee.

**GIRLS FOOTBALL CLUB** Girls Football Club has now restarted on Wednesdays, 3.30 - 4.30pm. If your daughter is interested please complete and return the consent slip overleaf together with £2 admin fee.

**PARENTING COURSES** For details of further parenting courses visit [www.warwickshire.gov.uk/parentingtraining](http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/parentingtraining) and click on 'Programmes to be delivered to parents in Warwickshire 2009/10'. For further enquiries contact 01926 743062 or email [familyandparenting@warwickshire.gov.uk](mailto:familyandparenting@warwickshire.gov.uk)

**BRONZE AWARDS** go to Ellie Marsh, Tabatha Luckhurst and Catherine Hammond.

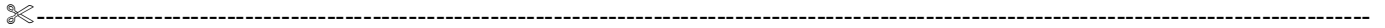
**SILVER AWARDS** go to Lily Banbury, Sophia Bradshaw, Ryan Evans and Latisha De' Amoko.

**GOLD AWARDS** go to William Cox, Alisha Carroll, Matthew Colledge and Alisdair Hutton.

**STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS** go to Dulcie Bennett, Michael Lunn, Harriet Sumpter-Reynolds, Tim Banks, Taylor Dunkley, Abbie Baker, Joseph Thomas, Grace Young and Aidan March.

Yours sincerely

**Mr A Wardle**  
Head Teacher

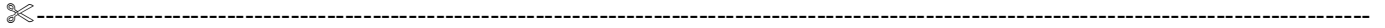


**Netball Club – Years 5/6**  
Tuesday evening 3.30 – 4.30pm

I give permission for my child.....in class.....to take part in Netball Club.

I enclose £2 admin fee (payable half termly). Cheques should be made payable to Dunchurch Junior School.

Signed..... parent / carer Date.....



**Girls Football Club**  
Wednesday evening 3.30 – 4.30pm

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Signed..... parent / carer Date.....