

NEWSLETTER 21– 25th February 2010

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Farm Visit - As part of Food for Life project Mr Simms and Miss Mason visited Rushwick Organic Farm near Worcester this week. We are aiming to visit the farm with small groups of pupils later in the year. The next 'Go Gardening' meeting will be on Tuesday 9th March at 9am in the school hall. A letter with a response form will be sent out next week.

Baking – Children in Mrs Mills' class baked rock cakes this week. They chose the recipe from the cookbooks that were won in the Budgens 'British Food' art competition. The rock cakes were delicious!

Pupil Attendance – Attendance is a key factor in ensuring children make good progress during their time at school. Our Governors have agreed that when attendance levels fall below 90% parents will be informed and where appropriate be provided with support to help improve their child's attendance. Letters relating to this academic year will be sent to parents next week and attendance will continue to be monitored.

World Book Day - On Thursday we will be dressing as a character from our favourite book. (not Year 5 who will be on an ICT trip). Usbourne books will on sale in the hall after school.

Sing Up Day – We will be celebrating "Sing Up" day next Tuesday with a special singing assembly. The children are voting for their favorite songs, and singing songs to other classes.

Nestle Box Top Tokens – Please send in tokens by Wednesday 3 March so that we can order some more new books for our school library.

Headlice – We have had instances of headlice in school this week. Please check your child's hair regularly and treat as necessary.

Parents Evening - You will have received your time slot today for parents evening next Wednesday or Thursday.

Cheerleading – There will be no cheerleading club until 18 March.

Sports Relief – Please return the reply slip on the Sports Relief letter by **Wednesday 3rd March** to allow us to order the socks and have them in time for the 19 March.

Mr A Simms