

NEWSLETTER 26 – 16th April 2010

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Welcome back for the Summer Term and we hope you all had a peaceful Easter.

Trim Trail and Climbing Wall – You may have heard that we have had some new additions to the outdoor activity equipment. The new Trim Trail and the Climbing Wall are fabulous and the children are already enjoying them. A BIG thank you to the BSA for raising the funds.

Intrepid Explorer Day – On Monday morning we noticed that an unexpected visitor had been camping in the school grounds and had left the children a message. The visitor turned out to be an explorer asking for their help to plan his expedition to the River Amazon. The children in Mrs Mills' and Mr Thackway's classes are now busy working on lots of exciting activities relation to the Amazon.

Food For Life Day – All our children enjoyed our Food For Life Day this week. With support from Garden Organic and our gardening volunteers, the children made their own plant pots, planted potatoes, sunflower seeds and beans, made butter and soup which they ate after school with bread made by Mrs Fisher, our school cook. Thanks to everyone who helped us make this day so rewarding.

Shoe Boxes – Year 1 and 2 children will be making Seaside Mini Worlds as part of this terms DT project. If you have any spare shoe boxes please could you bring them into school.

Disabled Parking – Please do not park in the disabled bays unless you have a blue badge. We have several parents who need to use these spaces. Do not park behind these spaces as this obstructs access.

Gosling Toddler Group – Goslings meet at the Crawford hall on a Thursday morning 10-11.30am. They are currently looking for new committee members, if you are interested please contact Erica Wilson on 773808.

Clubs - Boys football club is cancelled Thursday 22nd April.

Teacher Training Days – School will be closed for pupils on Friday 28 May and Monday 7 June.

Book of the Week – Following our gardening theme, Mrs Walsh's class have been reading 'Fran's Flower' by Lisa Bruce and Rosalind Beardshaw. Fran plants her flower and then feeds it with some very interesting food. When it does not grow she throws it into the garden and is surprised to see that all it needed was sunshine and rain!

Mr A Simms