NEWSLETTER 16 - 13th January 2012

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

<u>'Wear' in the World Day</u> – On Tuesday, Year 1 and 2 children travelled the world without even leaving the building! As part of our topic on materials we spent the day looking at traditional clothing and customs from around the world - we used maps, tasted special food and learnt some languages from Germany, Australia and China. The children looked wonderful and were enthusiastic throughout the day.

<u>Science Activities</u> - Look out for "School Science Sharing Book" which started in The Autumn Term, with Wendel the Wise Owl. Mrs Greygoose will be randomly picking names from class lists across the school to bring home the book with a science activity to try at home and then share with their class. The purpose of the book is to inspire children to try new things and develop scientific thinking skills. We hope you enjoy it!

<u>Curriculum Overviews</u> - Termly overviews have been sent home with this newsletter. Please let us know if you have not received one for each of your children.

<u>Stargazing Event</u> - Remember our Stargazing evening is on Friday 20th Jan 6.30-7.30pm - all children must be accompanied by an adult.

<u>Starting School</u> - If you have a child born between 1st September 2007 and 31st August 2008 you need to apply online for a school place at <u>www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions</u> by <u>16th January 2011</u>.

Y3 Swimming - Please remember that swimming money is now £2.65 per week

<u>Celebration Collective Worship</u> - There will be no Celebration Collective Worship on Friday 20th Jan.

Clubs Update -

- Vital Statistics Dance and Drama and Arsenal Football club are unfortunately no longer running due to lack of numbers.
- AGS Science club will now start on Wednesday 1st Feb.
- There will be no Yr 5/6 Boys Football on Thursday 19th Jan.
- Yoga Bugs starts on Tuesday 17th Jan (a few spaces still available (Years 1 & 2 only) collect a letter from the office)

<u>Book of the Week</u> - Reception children have been enjoying 'We are Going on a Bear Hunt' by Michael Rosen and Helen Oxenbury. Follow the family's excitement as they wade through the grass, splash through the river and squelch through the mud in search of the bear. What surprise awaits us in the cave on the other side of the dark forest?

Mr A Simms

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BSA Meeting 10th January

Thanks so much to everyone who attended the meeting, we have planned in a few events and are very much looking forward to those taking place.

BBC Stargazing Evening - Friday 20th January 2012

So the letters went out for this last week, hoping you are able to attend the BSA as mentioned last week be running a "Tuck Shop" style table with Tea, Coffee Squash and some nibbles so don't forget your purse! Also please pass the invitation on to your friends and neighbours to attend this event, it is open to the public to anyone can come along.

Clothing Collection 25th & 26th January

Once again we are going to be collecting your unwanted clothes, towels, curtains and linen. Please bring all of this to school hall in whichever bags you have (trying to be eco friendly again!) on Wednesday 25th January AFTERNOON and Thursday 26th January MORNING.

The next BSA meeting is 28th February 2012 at 7.30pm in the ICT suite at school please come along for a glass of wine and some nibbles!

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