NEWSLETTER 34 - 15th June 2012

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

<u>Primary Science Quality Mark</u> - We are pleased to announce that we have been awarded Gold Status for the Primary Science Quality Mark. We are really proud of our achievement and would like to thank all those who contributed via the website and pupil/parent questionnaires. The award process has helped to raise the profile of science in our school, acknowledged good practice in our science teaching and learning and celebrated our commitment to excellence in science in our school.

<u>Diversity Workshop</u> – The year 6 children took part in a Diversity workshop where they learnt about equality, diversity and people's differences - the children were able to develop their knowledge and understanding whilst enjoying the lively session.

<u>Tennis</u> – Our Year 3&4 and 5&6 tennis teams took part in the finals following their success at an earlier competition. They all played very well and the year 3&4 team are through to the next round at Warwick University in July – well done and congratulations!

<u>Staffing News</u> – Mrs Clark is retiring at the end of this term after teaching at our school for 12 years. If you would like to send a donation please send it into the office in a named envelope – thank you.

PE Kit – Please ensure your child has a PE kit with blue shorts, a white T shirt and pumps.

<u>Sports Week</u> - To celebrate London 2012 and coinciding with School Sports Week, a number of different sporting activities have been arranged for each class to experience. During week beginning 25th June, from Monday to Friday children should wear their PE kit to school. On Monday morning (25th), the BSA are collecting donations for the tombola. Sports Day is on Thursday 28th June, KS2 at 9.15 am and KS1 at 1.15 pm - parents are welcome to attend.

The Olympic Torch Relay is passing through our area on Sunday 1st July. Further details can be found on www.london2012.com/torch-relay

Clubs Update -

- There is **no** Forest School club on Wednesday 20th June.
- Aston Villa Football for Year 3 & 4 will begin on Tuesday 19th June

Book of the Week - Mrs Furlow's class have been reading 'Groovy Greeks' by Terry Deary. The Ancient Greeks were a rather groovy bunch but things were not always quite as jolly and some of the more disturbing facts unearthed in this funny and clever alternative to the history book are actually quite horrible!

Mr A Simms

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Right Royal Bounce

As always the children had great fun at this event please keep your sponsorship money coming in so that we can give a final amount raised.

Clothing Collection - 18th & 19th June 2012

This will be both AM and PM on the 18th & 19th please pass this on to any groups you want to and if necessary we can collect from home – you just need to let us know as soon as possible.

Olympus Disco – 29th June 2012

Disco Tickets will go on sale Wednesday 20th and Thursday 21st of June both before and after school – £2.50 per ticket. Feel free to call or text me on the numbers below to arrange your ticket If you aren't collecting or dropping of at school.

Coming Soon....

Tombola Donation Day - 29th June 2012 Summer Fayre – Friday 13th July 2012

Next BSA Meeting

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 19th June at 7.30pm in the Staff Room at School, please come along for a glass of wine and help us to arrange the rest of the years events.

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