Bidford on Avon Church of England Primary School



NEWSLETTER 30 – 10th May 2013

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

<u>Tag Rugby</u> - Miss Mason took our Tag Rugby team to a tournament at Stratford Rugby Club last week. Everyone played really well and the team reached the semi finals. Thank you to parents for transport and support.

<u>Gurdwara Visit</u> – Pupils from year 1 and 2 visited the Sikh Gurdwara Temple in Leamington Spa on Thursday. Our guide, Mr Braich, showed us around the wonderful building and told us stories about the Gurus. We found out all about sharing and looked at the different rooms in the building, used for prayer, celebration and eating (which we all enjoyed!). We found out that the word Sikh means 'To learn' and the word 'Guru' means to teach. We were also lucky enough to see a ceremony for ladies' day with beautiful music and singing.

<u>Boys Football</u> – Due to work commitments Mr Hall is unable to continue coaching the Year 5 and 6 Boys Football club. We would like to thank him for all of his hard work. Mr Gallagher will be continuing coaching the club.

Instrument and Vocal Tuition

- There will be no drum, guitar and vocal lessons <u>next week</u> due to Year 6 SATs, these lessons will be made up later in the term.
- Parents of children in Year 2- 5 have been sent information about music lessons from <u>September 2013</u>. We will be booking the lessons with County Music next week – please ensure requests are sent into school by <u>MONDAY 13th MAY.</u>

Diary Dates

- Year 5 PGL Meeting Weds 22nd May 7pm
- Teacher Training Days Fri 24th May & Mon 3rd June (school closed)
- Sports Day Tues 2nd July KS1 am, KS2 pm.
- Parents Evening (following school report) Tues 9th July & Thurs 11th July.

<u>Book of the Week</u> – Miss Dix's class have been reading "The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe" by C. S. Lewis. Lucy steps through the wardrobe and finds herself in the magical world of Narnia, a land of snow, unicorns, centaurs, fauns......and the wicked white witch!

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Sponsored Bounce

There is no closing date for sending in your sponsor money, just pop it in an envelope into school and we will happily add it to the total!

Quiz 17th May

Entries are now closed for teams. Are you able to donate a dessert for us to sell on the evening? If so please bring it to school on Friday 17th May, Thank you in advance for your kind donations.

Snail Racing – 7th June 6pm start

This is a fun evening for all of the family, based on the race night concept only we will be racing snails....not real ones! We will be selling snails in advance on Monday 20^{th} May. Snails are £2.50 and you can sponsor an entire race for £20 and have it named as you want (within reason!). So do you know anyone who would want to sponsor a race? Perhaps your business would like to? Snails are on a first come first served basis and entry to the event is £1 per person and will be sold on the same day.

Still to come in 2013 Summer Term Silly Hats Tombola Donation Day 21st June 2013 Summer Fayre 12th July 2013

End of year Disco 17th July 2013

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 25th June 7.30pm in the Staff Room at school, come along and why not bring a friend – we have wine!

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