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Dear Parents,

We were all pleased to celebrate with Mrs. Elaine Organ this afternoon 10 years of service to the school as the Crossing Patrol person. In all weathers, twice a day Mrs. Organ comes into school, collects her fluorescent coat, hat and lolly pop and stands on the Berrow Road helping all our children to cross that very busy road safely. She is always cheerful and watches out for all our school families. Thank you Elaine for your dedication and commitment to the safety of our children.

Wear a Hat for Haiti: We raised £208 today with some fun hats.

Open Afternoon: Tuesday 2nd February: All parents are invited to visit their child's classroom from 2.00 pm on Tuesday afternoon to work alongside their child and see what is going on in the classroom.

Africa Day: Next Wednesday the whole school is taking part in an Africa Day. Mrs. Knife has arranged for every child to take part in a range of different activities with an African theme. There will be drumming, dancing, mask making and storytelling. Thank you to the BSA who have supported this day by subsidising the cost to the school.

Sedgemoor Life Saving Club: We are running the RLSS UK Rookie Lifeguard scheme to teach children, aged 8-13, water safety, life saving and life support skills. This is a great opportunity to learn how you could help save someone's life. We are based at Pontins in Brean on a Thursday night from 6:30pm - 8:30pm. For more information contact Tom/Glynn Kettleborough on 01934 621083.

Buddies: We have appointed two buddies from each class to help look after other children and to be a friend at playtimes. These children had to complete an application form and attend an interview with Mrs. Hardwidge. They are Georgina, Jacob, James, Lauren, Kaitlin, Jessie, Alex, Ben, Sophie and Tom.

Literacy Newsletter and Help your child with Writing: Please ensure that you have received these two letters as they will keep you in touch with what is happening in literacy lessons.

Y6 Great Wood Trip: reminder that deposits have to be paid by the end of February.

Holiday Clubs: We had a good response to our initial request for interest. We will contact parents with more details as soon as we have them. In the meantime if you know of any other families who would like to use a child care holiday club, please let Mrs. Milburn know.

BSA: Whole School Film Club Night: Friday 5th March 3.15 - 5.30 details to follow.
Family Quiz details soon

Berrow Junior Football Club: Are currently looking for new members especially girls and boys in years 3 and 5. For more details please contact Andrea Lupton 01278 795303.

Avenue Tennis Club: are running a Holiday Junior Tennis Camp from 15th - 19th February, for more details visit their web site www.avenuetennis.com or telephone Vinny on 01278 782758.

If you would like to receive these newsletters by e mail, please send your e mail address to the office, this will save paper and ensure that it doesn't get lost on the way home!! If you have any questions or concerns at any time please make an appointment to talk to your class teacher or me; we are all here to work in partnership with you to provide the best possible education for your children.

Heather Hector (Mrs.)
Headteacher