

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 7

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Dear Parents,

Thank you to all the parents who supported our Harvest Celebrations, it was so good to see the children presenting some of their work after only 7 weeks of the new school year. Thanks to Mr. Ayers who spoke at both celebrations. We have collected a large box of pencils and crayons that we will be sending out to Kenya, thank you for supporting this initiative.

Pre-School Official Opening: Everyone is very welcomed to join us for the Official Opening of the Berrow Pre-School tomorrow Saturday 17th October at 12 noon, please just come along.

Open Afternoon: Parents are welcome to join their children in class on Tuesday afternoon from 2 pm. Please come along and join in with the activities that the children are doing.

Year 6 Residential Visit to Great Wood: All the Year 6 children and staff returned safely from their trip. Despite one wet day, and that was spent dam building, they enjoyed good weather and really good food. They all took part in a huge range of activities which culminated in the final Camp Fire and Great Wood's Got Talent Show. All the children really enjoyed it and a huge vote of thanks must go to Mrs. Knife, Mrs. Oakley and Mrs. Jones for giving up their time to organise and staff the trip, without their good will this trip could not happen. Despite it being a big responsibility for Mrs. Knife she said that this was the best behaved group of children that she had ever taken. So well done everyone!

Tag Rugby: A new session of after school Tag Rugby club will start with a free taster session for everyone interested on Tuesday 10th November after that there will be 5 weeks and the cost will be £15. Letters are being sent home today for years 3, 4, 5 and 6. Towards the end of the term we will ask you and the children what type of club you would be willing to support in the new year.

Football at the Muga: Our PCSO Tracey is trying really hard to organise football coaching for our young people. She has booked the MUGA on Wednesday's and a Professional Coach from Arsenal, all she needs now is young people between 9 and 14 to join up. If you are interested please telephone Tracey on 07824519243. Please pass this information on to young people in your area.

Bags for Schools: Each child will be bringing home a bag. For parents new to our school these bags are to be filled with things you want to get rid of. It's a really good time for clearing things out before Christmas. The bags need to be brought into school on the morning of Wednesday 11th November and the school will be paid on the total weight of the bags collected. We have got lots more bags in school if you need them, please spread the word to family and friends as this is a painless way of making funds for the school.

Avenue Tennis Club: Are holding a Junior Tennis Camp from 26th-30th October, 9.00 am - 3 pm for more details please telephone 01278 782758.

Head Lice: Please check for these unwelcome visitors, the official advice is condition and comb.

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

Dates for your diary:

Saturday 17th October: Grand Opening of the Berrow Pre-School 12 - 3 pm

Tuesday 20th October: Open Afternoon 2pm in your child's classroom

Friday 23rd October: School breaks up for half term

Wednesday 4th November: School reopens

Friday 20th November: Children in Need Disco details to follow