



"The Splash!"

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SCHOOL NEWS

We hope that you all had an enjoyable Christmas and we wish you and your families a Happy New Year.

We are holding an **Open Morning** on Tuesday next week from 9.00 to 12.00, with the Head's talk at 11.00, for parents of children who are about to start Reception in September, or for any other family who are not currently at our school, but who are considering an application. Please pass this information on to neighbours and friends if you know that they are in this position. The final date for applications to be received at County for new Reception children is 15th January 2011, (Saturday).

There is no **swimming** on Wednesday mornings at present as there is a small problem with the boiler which heats the water. We will let children know when it resumes.

We would really like to encourage children to be more independent when **coming into school** in the mornings, so would ask that parents of both Infant and Junior children do not accompany their children into the building. If they need assistance removing their coats we will be on hand and parents needing to speak to the teacher should come to the Office through the front lobby.

Year 5/6 residential trip to France. We have only had 21 out of 41 replies from parents to say they will support this trip. We do need to pay a deposit to secure places this week. Could parents please send in the slip by Thursday 13th January. If there is insufficient support we will be unable to go ahead with this trip.

Class assemblies have been changed slightly and are now as detailed on the calendar below.

Parent/Teacher consultation evenings are next month – a letter will be sent home shortly.

The **School uniform shop** is open on Mondays in the Junior kitchen area from 9.00 to 9.15, or uniform can be ordered at the Office.

Lost property is once again building up. We will put all lost property in the foyer from Monday 24th to Wednesday 26th January, and after that any remaining will be disposed of.

Found last term – a bunch of keys with door and possibly a car key.

CLUBS

You should have received an after school club schedule this week. Please return request slips to the box in the foyer by Monday and remember to use a different request slip for each club as these go to the club leader. Further copies of these are also in the foyer.

MUSIC NEWS

Guitar lessons with Ms Racher will not resume until 20th January

Updated Calendar

2011		
January		
Monday	10th	Violin lessons restart
Tuesday	11th	Open morning 9.00 - 12.00 for new pupils
Wednesday	12th	Drama workshops for Years 4 - 6
Saturday	15th	Closing date for applications new reception children Sept 2011
Thursday	20th	Guitar lessons restart
Friday	21st	Willow class assembly 9.15am
Monday	24th	Lost Property in Lobby for 3 days
Friday	28th	Ash and Oak Classes assembly 9.15am
Monday	31st	Elm and Birch visit Herstmonceux

February		
Monday	7th	KS2 visit Hawth Theatre
Thursday	10th	Full Governors meeting 7pm
Friday	11th	Birch class assembly 9.15am
Tuesday	15th	Parent/Teacher consultation evening 4 - 6pm
Thursday	17th	Parent/Teacher consultation evening 6 - 8pm
Friday	18th	End of Term 3
Monday	21st	Holiday all week
Monday	28th	School re-opens for pupils - start of Term 4