



Newsletter 35

Summer Term 2011

Events Diary

Full Governors Meeting- Tuesday 28th June at 7pm
KS2 Interhouse Netball- Tuesday 5th July pm
Parents' Open Evening- Thursday 7th July from 4-6pm
Interhouse Football- Friday 8th July pm
Family Service at St. Peter's Church- Sunday 10th July at 9.30am
Year 6 Leavers' Barbecue- Thursday 21st July
Leavers' Service- Thursday 21st July at 10.30am
End of Term- Friday 22nd July

Dear Parents/ Carers

I was delighted to be able to speak with so many of you at last week's sports day and Summer Fete. Both occasions went very well considering the showery weather and the atmosphere at both events was quite special and relaxed.

I should like to thank Fiona Burnell and the SPSA committee and helpers for all their hard work in the organization of the Fete and congratulate them in taking over £1500 on the day. I should also like to thank Miss Kilburn and Mrs Gebbie for all their hard work training up the gymnastic team who performed splendidly on both occasions and I hope they were pleased with the children's performance. There were many early morning practices and everyone had to make a special effort.

I should also like to thank Mr Perkins for organizing sports day so efficiently and for the support and work from all staff. I also thank the many parents who helped to clear the field after the event your effort was very much appreciated.

Finally, the healthy and active week organized by Mrs Moore was very successful in continuing developing the awareness of healthy life styles. The children engaged well with the planned activities showing a lot of interest.

Staff news

I am pleased to report that the Governors interviewed four candidates for the vacant Key Stage 2 teaching post last Friday. The successful candidate was Mr Phillip Sidaway-Lee B.A.(Hons) who will join the staff in September. He is currently a Year 6 teacher leading PE in a Junior school in North Yorkshire and is relocating to the area with his wife who too has a new appointment at the University of Exeter. Mr Lee will be PE subject leader at St. Peter's.

I also report that Mrs Jorgensen will be leaving us at the end of term to accompany her husband to a new job in Canada. We shall be sorry to see Mrs Jorgensen leave after teaching at the school for the last 7 years. I should like to thank her for her valuable contribution to the education of many children at St

Peter's and to wish her well in her new life. The Governors are in the process of recruiting a replacement teacher for September.

I hope to be able to announce in the next newsletter how the classes will be organized including the allocation of teaching staff.

Leavers Service

The Leavers Service date has been changed, it will be on Thursday 21st July at 10.30am

Industrial Action

The school will not be affected in any way by industrial actions by teaching unions on 30th June and the school will be open as normal.



STAR OF THE WEEK

Week Beginning 13th June 2011

Class	Reason
R - Molly G	Molly did an impressive recipe for our Healthy and Active week, she showed good knowledge of healthy food. Molly always has such a happy smile.
R/Y1 - Nicole C	This week our star is somebody who is always full of enthusiasm, they are excited and motivated to learn and Miss Baldwin has seen this person shining like a star, joining in with all the activities and even during sports day- was always in the right place at the right time. Our Star is Nicole.
Year 1/2 - Leo G	Leo's behaviour has improved. Leo is managing to keep on task and he is better in his friendships. Well done Leo.
Year 2 - Esme KT	Esme is a helpful and willing member of the class. Esme thinks ahead for her own learning. Esme was the youngest member of the gymnastic display team.
Year 3 - Bechan WD	Bechan joined our class this term and has settled really well. Bechan did a fantastic presentation this week. Bechan is a great person to have in our class, her behaviour is outstanding she is a real example to others.
Year 4 - Holly B	Holly amazed me this week with her running. Holly over came her fears and really enjoyed our recent overnight Wildside camp.
Year 5 - Matt G	Matt did a good design for salad, it looked very healthy and tasted great.
Year 6 - Louis E	Louis is thoughtful, helpful to everyone around the school. Louis is a real credit to St Peter's. During sports day when it rained Louis read to the younger children in class.

Mr Malcolm Elliott

Acting Headteacher

