

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
FEBRUARY 10TH 2011

Lesotho Fund Raising day tomorrow organised by the school council and supported by teaching staff.

Infant pupils may wear party clothes and will have a disco and games during the afternoon.

Years 3/4 may bring in clothes to change into and will have their disco between 3.30 and 4.30.

Years 5/6 will come back for their disco between 4.45 and 6.00

£1 party/disco fee plus spending money for other activities organised by the children themselves.

Three Year 6 pupils have published a magazine that they will be selling to parents on the yard price 50p.

Wednesday February 16th 3.30 – 4.30 Open Hour.

Please pop into class and celebrate your child's efforts and achievements during this half term.

Thursday February 17th Year 5/6 trip to Big Pit

Friday February 18th – school finishes at 3.30 for the Half Term Holiday and restarts on **Monday February 28th**

Tuesday March 1st

We will be celebrating St David's Day with our annual Eisteddfod. Children may dress in national costume, rugby shirts etc in recognition of the day.

Thursday March 3rd

School closure due to use of school as a polling station. This will be taken as an INSET day and staff will be working on site.

Friday March 4th

World Book day is the 3rd of March but we will be celebrating on the 4th. Pupils may come dressed as their favourite book character. The children will enjoy a day of storytelling and drama.

Pupils may bring in toys and will share with friends in the afternoon. This is instead of the missed 'Toy Day' in December that became a 'Snow Day.'

Lunchtime waste

We ask all children to take home any uneaten food in their lunch boxes so that parents know exactly what they have eaten. We also ask pupils to take home any packaging that can be recycled encouraging them to take responsibility for their own lunchbox. Perhaps parents could discuss this with their children.

Parking

Parents are still parking in restricted areas around the school. Several people have been booked in past weeks. Please make every effort to park away from the school or walk with your children. The governors have formed a working party to look at ways of reducing parking problems and associated risk to children. We will be sending out a road safety questionnaire next week that we will ask all families to complete.

School Garden

We hope to try and finish the school garden on Saturday morning so that the children can start spring planting next week. If there are any adults who can help we would greatly appreciate your support. Please come anytime between after 9.00 and we intend finishing at 12.30.

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