

## VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

11<sup>th</sup> March 2011

Dear parents,

### Road Safety Questionnaires

Thank you to all 142 families who responded to the questionnaires.

Many parents are concerned about other parents' illegal parking at the front of the school. We have contacted the Vale and Welsh Assembly Government about the use of Green Cones which would prevent illegal parking at designated times of the day and they have promised to assess the situation and get back to us as soon as possible.

Other areas of concern including the back lane, lack of pedestrian crossings, speed limits etc., will have to be presented as a Travel Plan to the Vale Council Highways Department. This will then be discussed at various levels within the Vale and WAG so could be a lengthy process but something we will pursue.

***Meanwhile would all car users park well away from the school and walk their children in.***

### Fund Raising -Congratulations to the School Council and children!

Our 'Lesotho' day in February raised £650. The previous Headteacher Mr Samuel is currently visiting Lesotho and has taken the fund to present to Godfrey Kakonde, the principal of Ty Academy. They will be putting the money towards a new building project.

As we have done a significant amount of fund raising for children at home (NSPCC) and abroad (Lesotho) this year, we will NOT be actively participating in 'Comic Relief' day, it will be a normal school day. Thank you for your generosity in supporting school events and wider community fund raising schemes.

### March 21<sup>st</sup>

'Open Day' for Prospective Parents.

9.30 – 11.30 and 1.30 – 3.00

### Tesco Vouchers / Sainsburys

We will make good use of any vouchers collected from Tesco or Sainsburys. Please send them in to the class teacher.

T Taylor