



Emersons Green Primary School

NEWSLETTER NO. 38 – 9th July 2010

KS2 Performance-Y4, 5, 6 PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF TIME!

The dates for the performance of Cinderella and Rockerfella have now been confirmed:

Wednesday 14th July – 1.30pm

Thursday 15th July – 6.30pm

The children need to be in school for the performances. If, for any reason, they will not be in school, please let their teacher know as soon as possible.

Siblings

Have you registered your child for September 2011? Children born between 01-09-06 and 31.08.07 need to be registered with school for information that will be sent out in September 2010. Please get a form from the office.

Sponsored Wheelsathon

Thank you to all those families who have returned sponsor money from the Wheelsathon. We have banked a total of £921.00! Please could you let us know if you are still collecting money as we would like to send our donation to the NSPCC before the end of term.

Fruit and Milk in school

There will be no fruit delivered to school after the 20th July for KS1 pupils. Please remember to send some fruit in with your child during the last week of term.

New forms for ordering school milk for September are available in the entrance foyer – payments are made direct to the suppliers and not through school.

New menus for September are available in the entrance foyer.

Dinner Money

Vicky and Marie are unfortunately still on sick leave and will be for the remainder of this term. Dinner money is collected by the School Kitchen Department and not the office. We apologise that there have been some muddles over non-payment notes etc, and we feel sure that things will be sorted shortly.

Please remember that school meals are increasing in price to £1.65 from 1st September 2010.

Holiday Dates

Attached are the school holiday dates for September 2010 – July 2011 and September 2011 – July 2012. Also listed are the planned In-Service Days for the next school year.

Harmonica Lessons

Harmonica lessons will be provided again in September. If you would like to find out more please contact Harpscool.co.uk by emailing Ben@HarmonicaWorld.net. Or check out www.HarmonicaWorld.net

Extra Copies of your child's School Report

If you would like an additional copy of your child's report please let us know as soon as possible. Thanks.

Community News

Don't forget to take a giant leap into libraries this summer!

Sign up for Space Hop in any South Gloucestershire Library between 17th July and 18th September. Were you one of 4,200 young people who took part last year? One young person aged 9 said "It's really cool and fun to do and you also get great prizes afterwards! I've done it 3 years running now and it keeps getting better and better!"

Take up the challenge and help the young crew of the Ex-Libris set up the first library on the moon. There are hazards to overcome on the way, stickers and mini prizes to collect; read 6 books to complete the mission and get a medal. Check out www.spacehop.org.uk for more ideas and activities. Libraries are also holding action packed Space Chase and Lunar Landing activities throughout August to help you complete your challenge, plus space sculptures animations and creative writing workshops and competition. So don't forget to Hop along and Blast Off into space this summer!

PTFA NEWS

Wild West Evening

TONIGHT!! 5.30 – 8.30pm. Dust off your cowboy boots and come and have some fun at 'The Emersons Green Corral'!

C'mon down to the saloon in your best Wild West fancy dress and try your hand at gold panning or give us your best shot at Tin Can Alley. Line Dancing, adults Bottle Tombola, BBQ, Bar, Hair Braiding, Tattoos and Face Painting all available too. Saloon doors open at 5.30pm - let us know if you can spare an hour to help out on a stall, the bar or even the line dancing! The evening is free entry and most activities & games are being held either free or at a reduced fee just to cover costs. This is so we can say a big **thank you** to everyone who has supported PTFA events throughout the year!

Summer Draw

The Summer Draw will be held at the Wild West event – if you haven't returned your tickets, stubs or money yet then there will be time on Friday evening to do this as well as opportunity to buy more tickets.

KS2 Performances - Cafe

PTFA will be selling tea, coffee & cold drinks at both KS2 performances.

10 Year Anniversary Celebrations!

The next school year is the 10th anniversary of school being opened. To celebrate this occasion an event is being planned for October 15th. A working party is going to be set up to first of all discuss what the celebrations should entail and then to co-ordinate the event. The first working party meeting is planned for **Monday 12th July at 6pm** in school. If you have any suggestions, ideas, offers of help or would like to be a part of the working party please either come along to the meeting or add your name to the list on the PTFA notice board in the foyer. Although the PTFA committee members are likely to be involved on some level with this event it is important to note that this is not a PTFA event (we are just helping with some of the organisation).