



30th November 2009

Newsletter

Christmas Fair - Friday 4th December

The Fair will take place this year in the school hall beginning at 2.45pm. Children may come into the Fair with their parents from 3.15pm. Friday 4th December will be a non-uniform day in exchange for bringing good quality items to sell at the fair or for the raffle. Please do not bring items to sell before Friday morning because we have very little storage space. The Fair is usually very busy, so please do not bring pushchairs into the hall. Please park pushchairs by the photocopier machine to the right when you enter school. Teas and coffees will be sold outside the Cedars. Please do not bring drinks into the main school. If you are able to help run a stall at the Christmas Fair, please could you fill in the slip overleaf and return to Mrs. Powell in the office. Thank you.

School Discos

Many thanks to all the parents who helped at our school discos. The children very much enjoyed the events and we raised a total of £787.48, less expenses £348.90, profit £438.58.

Children in Need

Thank you to everyone who supported our Children in Need non-uniform day and competitions. We raised a total of £415.54 for this worthy cause.

Foundation Stage (Nursery and Reception) classes Nativity

The Nativity performances will take place on Wednesday 2nd December at 10.15am and at 2pm. Please only come to one performance- we have very little space available in the school hall. Please park pushchairs outside the hall. Thank you.

Barn Owl Trust-KS1 (Year 1 & 2)

The Barn Owl Trust will be visiting Warberry for children in KS1 On Wednesday 2nd December. We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £1 per child to pay for the visit. Thank you



Warberry and Ilsham Schools Illustrated Poem Competition - Christmas 2009

Children from Years 3 & 4 recently completed homework for Literacy entitled 'What Christmas means to me'. The poems were entered into a competition run by St Matthias' Church.

First Prize: Anna Millington

Runner-up: Alice Rigg

Highly Commended: Lucy Newell, Hannah Rigg, Peter Pearce

Special Commendation: Finley Rawlinson

'There was an excellent response from both schools to the competition and the standard of all the entries was high making judging an extremely difficult task. Well done to all the children who took part and congratulations to the prize and certificate winners. A special thanks to the Head teachers and staff of both schools in making the event such a success. The two winning entries are printed in the centre pages of the Magazine of St Matthias' Church, Wellswood, Torquay.'

Hygiene

A lot of children have been off school with various illnesses. Please ring daily and send a note when your child returns to school.

Please encourage children to wash their hands and to bring tissues if they have a cold.

Christmas Post Box

The Post box will be available tomorrow for all children to post Christmas cards to their friends. Please could your child write their friends first & second name and class on the envelope.

Late arrivals

Please ensure you bring your child to the school office if your child is late. Parents need to ensure their child is in school safely and that they have signed in at Reception. Reception staff will then take your child to their class.

Christmas Fair Adult Help (Please return this slip to the school office ASAP)

Name ----- I am able to stay and help to run a stall at the Christmas Fair on Friday 4th December 2009.

Signed ----- date-----

Mrs Alker

Mrs Alker will leave Warberry School at Christmas. She has a teaching post in Shropshire where her family live. Mrs Alker has worked at Warberry School since September 2000. As well as teaching the children here, we would like to thank her for her additional work with the 2/3 choir, talent competitions and the performing arts club. We will miss her enthusiasm and great sense of fun and thank her for all her hard work over the years. We would like to wish her well with her teaching appointment in the New Year.

