

# Swanmore Primary School

# Newsletter

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## WELL DONE FOSPS!

We are delighted to tell you that the FOSPS Summer Fair raised the fantastic amount of £3,100. This is an incredible achievement and our thanks go to everyone on the FOSPS Committee for their hard work.

Thank you to everyone who has supported FOSPS events during the year.



## FRENCH DAY - FRIDAY, 3rd JULY

We are all looking forward to our French Day this Friday. Please remember that children need to come dressed in a "French Way" which could be simply wearing red, white and blue. Thank you to FOSPS who have contributed £250 to cover the cost of food for children to try and for additional resources needed for activities. We cannot guarantee that food products will not have traces of nuts so children with nut allergies may want to bring in a few "French" bits to eat at the café.



## PROFESSIONAL DAY CLOSURES FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2009/10

We have now decided our Day Closures for the school year 2009/10, as follows:-

- Friday, 9th October
- Friday, 13th November
- Monday, 16th November
- Monday, 4th January 2010
- Monday, 14th June 2010

## CLASS/TEAM PHOTOS

The order envelope for the photographs will be sent home soon. On the back of the envelope will be the date when we will be sending off the orders.



Could you please ensure the envelope is returned to us by this date as, unfortunately, we will not be able to accept any orders after this time. Thank you for your help.

## LAST DAY FOR CLUBS

Clubs will finish on Friday, 3rd July. The children and staff have all enjoyed the clubs this term and my thanks go to the staff for giving up their time to provide the wide variety of clubs that have been on offer this year.

In order to practise for forthcoming events, the Morris Dancing Club will take place on Thursday, 16th July.

## COULD YOU HELP WITH YEAR 6 PROPS FOR THEIR FORTHCOMING PRODUCTION

Year 6 have asked if any parents could lend them some props for their forthcoming production. If you have any of the following that you can lend us please label them clearly with your name and child's class and bring them into school.

- Cowboy hats
- Toy cowboy pistols
- Toy tomahawks
- Native American headdresses
- Top hats (small size)
- Black suits (to fit age 11/12 years old)



Thank you for your help.

## RETURN OF SCHOOL LIBRARY BOOKS

As in previous years all library books will need to be returned to the school before the summer holidays. All children should return their library books by Friday, 10th July at the latest. I am particularly concerned that a significant number of books have been borrowed without being correctly entered on the computer, so I would ask that extra care is taken in tracking down books which may have inadvertently found themselves onto shelves, under beds, into toy boxes, etc. All our books are stamped with the school's name and address. Thank you

### Summer Holiday Reading

Of course, we encourage all the children to continue to read for pleasure during the holidays. Please encourage your children to visit the public libraries and to use travel brochures, books and leaflets to find out about the places they visit, to enjoy re-reading personal favourites, and to relax with magazines, comics and newspapers. All of these reading activities are extremely valuable.



### Library Service - Reading Challenge

In Monday's assembly Hampshire Library Service will be telling the children about this summer's reading challenge. More information will be sent home next week.

Wishing you and the children Happy Holiday Reading.

## "FIT IT RIGHT!" FREE CHILD CAR SEAT CHECKS

Free child car seat checks will be held at Eastleigh Fire Station, Steele Close, SO53 3AA on Wednesday, 15th July between 10.00am and 4.00pm. Other dates are available from [www.hants.gov.uk/roadsafety](http://www.hants.gov.uk/roadsafety)



## Y6 MOVING ON

In July we need to send the records for Year 6 on to their next school. If your child will not be attending Swanmore College of Technology could you please let us know their new school by Friday, 10th July.

## RECENT LETTERS

The following letters have recently been sent home. Extra copies are always available from the school office.

- ◇ Healthy Snacks for Y2-Y5
- ◇ Year 3 Woods Visit
- ◇ Y2 Visit to Portsea Island
- ◇ YR-Y5 Classes for Next Year
- ◇ Y2 SATs Results
- ◇ YR Transition to Y1
- ◇ Y1 Transition to Y2
- ◇ Cancel Choir, Morris Dancing, Cricket and Fun Sports on Thursday, 2nd July.
- ◇ Help your child enjoy maths!
- ◇ Year 6 Production Tickets
- ◇ Year 4 Music Concert

## NESTLE BOX TOPS FOR BOOKS

Thank you to everyone who kindly brought in Nestle Box Tops for Books tokens. We have now received our order of 74 new books. This worthwhile scheme is continuing for another year - please keep sending in the tokens!

## SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE AND DISPLAY OF LOST PROPERTY MONDAY, 6th JULY

Once again we have a huge amount of lost property, including a small jointed bear, hats, water bottles, sandwich boxes and clothing. This will be displayed in the front of the school at 3.15pm on Monday, 6th July.

We will also be selling second hand uniform, priced at 50p each item.

## GETTING RID OF HEADLICE

Could I please ask for your support in regularly checking your child/ren's hair for headlice. If you do find any then it's important to treat the hair of all the members of your family as it spreads so easily. Thank you for your help in this matter.



## ADVERTS:

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### **CIRCUIT TRAINING - LADIES ONLY AND MIXED SESSIONS**

Fitness  
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- \* Jubilee Hall, Bishop's Waltham (**Ladies only**)  
Monday 1.30-2.30pm and Friday 10-11am
- \* Wickham Community Centre (**Ladies only**)  
Tuesday 10-11am
- \* Swanmore College: (**mixed sessions**)  
Monday 7-8pm and Thursday 7.30-8.30pm

**£4 per session**



For info please contact John or Eiko 07724300965 or 01329 835274



### **OPEN DAY - QUOB STABLES EQUESTRIAN CENTRE - SUNDAY, 19th JULY**



Open Day at Quob Stables Equestrian Centre,  
Durley Brook Road, Durley, Southampton, SO32 2AR  
Tel: 02380 694657 [www.quobstables.com](http://www.quobstables.com)



2.00-5.00pm Family Fun; 5.00-7.00pm Hog Roast; 7.00-9.00pm Evening Entertainment  
Inflatables, Hog Roast, Live Music, Refreshments, Pony Rides, Dog Display Team, Face Painting  
and much much more.

Brought to you by Quob Stables and local churches.

### **SUMMER HOLIDAY SWIMMING CRASH COURSE**

#### **AT BISHOPS WALTHAM JUNIOR SCHOOL POOL, OAK ROAD, BISHOPS WALTHAM**



Week 1: Monday, 27th July to Friday, 31st July

Week 2: Monday, 3rd August to Friday, 7th August

Daily half hour classes from 9.00am to 10.00am



£50.00 per child for the 2-week course or £25.00 for 1 week only

Booking forms are available at the pool and Bishops Waltham Junior School  
or can be requested by calling Lynne on 01489 896102

### **FOR SALE**

Pine Single Bed with pine spindle headboard £40 (ono)

Pine Child's Wardrobe £100 (ono)

Pine Single Bed with Solid Headboard £50 (ono)

All in very good condition. Contact Kim on 07949 325826



### **FOR SALE**

Quality Mountain Bike—Ridgeback MX24

Aluminium Frame, Front Suspension, 24 inch wheels, matt black colour

Excellent condition and well maintained. Only £40 (was approx £200 new)

Call Tessa or Darren on 01489 894291



Please complete the box below with any comments you have about any aspect of school life.

If you would like us to get back to you about any issues please include your name and daytime telephone number.

Name .....