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NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents

Snow again! We really are having a winter this year. Eventually I managed to dig my way out of deep drifts on my drive to get my car out and get to school this morning. I hope it melts very quickly during the day.

Last week's group at Pixies Holt enjoyed good weather. I hope that the weather is good for the second group who will be going next week. My thanks to Mr Dike and Mrs Hopkinson for their care of the children last week and to Mr Dike and Ms McFarlane who will be looking after the group next week.

Tomorrow we are celebrating World Book Day and I am looking forward to seeing the children and staff wearing their fancy dress and being a character from a book.

RED NOSE DAY – Friday 13th March 2009

This year's theme is 'Do Something Funny for Money' so we are asking the children to come to school in non-school uniform, but they have to wear their clothes inside out and back to front! For this we will collect a donation of 50p. The staff will be baking cakes for the children to buy for 20p at playtime. Any left over cakes will be for sale at the end of the day outside the main entrance. Thank you for your support.

Miss Booker

GYMNASTICS FESTIVAL

Last Thursday I took a group of Year 3 children to Colyton Grammar School to take part in a celebration of gymnastics. The children had been practising a variety of gymnastic skills with Miss Oyo and they put together a fantastic routine to show at the festival. We watched other schools demonstrate their work and at the end we were treated to a demonstration of cartwheels, handstands and somersaults by Pete Mills. I was very proud of the children who had worked really hard. I would like to thank Miss Oyo for her work and Mr and Mrs Weber for providing the transport. I have put details of the gymnastics clubs that run at Colyton and Axminster on the noticeboard.

Miss Sealy

VOUCHERS

Tesco have now started issuing their vouchers which enable us to obtain computer and sports

equipment. Please send us your vouchers – there is a collection box in the office. We are also collecting the Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers and Nestle Box Top tokens. Box Top tokens can be found on Nestle cereal packets. We appreciate your support.

MOONWALK, LONDON

This moonlit walking marathon takes place on 16th May and one of our teachers, Miss Richmond, is taking part along with five parents, Cat Gaukroger, Becki Davey, Denise Hunt, Gill Day and Helen Polley. This is a sponsored event so they would appreciate your support. There is a sponsor form in the school office or you can sponsor on line at <http://www.justgiving.com/catandherkittens>. The ladies are provided with a cap and bra each which they will decorate. If your child has an idea for a design for the cap, please could he/she draw it and hand it to Miss Richmond or the office by Friday 27th March. Miss Richmond will choose the winning design.

BIG FISH CAFÉ

All children in Year 6 are invited to the Big Fish Café, a youth event at Seaton Methodist Church on Saturday, 7th March 2009, at 7.30pm – 9.30pm. There will be music, games and fair-trade refreshments to buy. Entry is £1.00. For more information, please phone Pete Brazier on 01297 624112.

PTA NEWS from Claire Ross

Grizzly Run: May I remind people that we are looking for volunteers to help on the drinks table on Sunday on the finish line of the Grizzly Run. If you are able to help for an hour between 11.30am and 2.30pm, please contact me on 21669, claire.ross@dsl.pipex.com or via the school office. Thanks.

Claire Ross

Yours sincerely

Alan Simpson
Headteacher

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