

Purwell Primary School
8th October 2013

Quote for the day: 'Employ your time in improving yourself by learning from others, so that you shall come easily by what others have labored hard for.'
Socrates

Harvest Assembly

The harvest assembly will take place on **Wednesday 9th October at 9.30am** in the school hall. Everyone is most welcome to attend this service.

A BIG thank you for all the harvest shoebox donations that have come in.

Grassy Knees

The arrival of Ryan Jones, our Sports Apprentice, has brought with it opportunities for more organised games and sports on both playgrounds. At the junior end of the school, Mr Jones is keen to have children playing sports like football and Rugby, at lunchtimes, on the field. This will be possible on days that the grass is not too wet.

If your child is keen to join in with grassy games at lunchtime then please ensure that they bring with them some clothes from home that you will not mind getting muddy and grassy. I am sure you can understand that we do not wish them to use their school uniform or PE uniform for these activities. These clothes must be left for best.

Parent/Teacher Consultations

Parent/Teacher consultations will be taking place on Wednesday 23rd and Thursday 24th October. Booking sheets will be available in the entrance lobby from 3pm on Friday. On both consultation dates, parking will be available on the infant playground only. *Please note that after-school clubs run by teachers will not be taking place on those days.*

Book Fair

There will be a Book Fair at school from Monday 21st - Wednesday 23rd October. It will be in the library after school, and will be open during the parent consultations. Why not come along and start your Christmas shopping early?

Circle of Friends Playground Rules Competition

The Circle of Friends has set a competition for everyone to design a sign for either KS1 or KS2 to explain the rules on the playground. We all looked at some examples in assembly and looked at how rules can be put in a positive way, for example: 'We share equipment'. The winner will have their signs designed for the playground. The buddies are looking forward to collecting all the entries for their class by Friday 18th October. We hope you have fun creating your designs.

Contact Details

If you have not yet returned the copy of the contact details form, please could you check this form, amend as appropriate, sign and return to school as soon as possible. It is essential that the school has up to date contact information.

Kingswood Meeting

A reminder that there is a meeting at 6.00pm on Tuesday 15th October for pupils in Years 5 and 6 who will be going on the Kingswood journey, and their parents.

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Netball

Well done to members of the Netball Team, who won the match against Our Lady School 4 - 1 last week, and good luck for the match tomorrow against Mary Exton School.

Next Thursday, 17th October, there will not be a netball club session, because another netball match will be taking place.

PSA Halloween Disco - Tuesday 22nd October

Fancy some spooky entertainment for your children before half term? Then come along to the PSA Halloween disco - if you dare! Tickets for the event are available now, at just £5! The ticket price includes a creepy hot dog, freaky cake, a chilling drink and spooky arts and crafts. The first disco will run from 3.30 - 5.00pm and will be for Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils, who must be accompanied by an adult. The later disco will run from 5.15 - 6.45pm and will be for the Year 3 to 6 pupils. Pupils will need to be collected by an adult.

Display of the Week

