



# Mail on Monday

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2010

Dear Parents,

Class 3 had a very exciting visit to Wroxeter last week. The rain held off and we had the opportunity to become Roman soldiers and slaves; tour the city; investigate artefacts in the museum and create mosaics. We will be following up the visit with linked activities in the class room.

Also this week:

Class 2 has been following instructions and writing our own instructions. We are also continuing with our Viking topic.

Class 1 has been continuing their work on recycling and finding out what we recycle at home and school.

Last week's PSHE award was 'Changing an unfair situation.'

Awards were given to:

Class 1: Keira Kavanagh

Class 2: Jay Roberts

Class 3: Lewis Speake

Golden leaves were awarded to:

Class 1: Fae Corbett for helping the class to plan their shared lunch

Class 2: Rebecca Hill and Sophie Dyball for great maths and working hard with Mrs Parry

Class 3: Lauren Smith for her excellent classwork and homework, and Bradley Webster for his listening skills and thinking about historical facts.

The winning house this week was Dragons and Cuddles, the Cloakroom Detective was not awarded this week. All classes are going to make a big effort to keep tidy cloakrooms this week.

Well done everyone!

Class 1 shared lunch

As part of a recycling theme, Class 1 is having a shared lunch on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October. This is an exciting project as the children will be buying, preparing and sharing a lunch. They will not require a school lunch that day.

Class 1 would also be grateful if everyone could check they have taken home the correct cardigan as one may have been taken home by mistake. The name is inside. Thank you.

Walk to school month

October is the month where we encourage everyone to promote the benefits of walking to school. This year the focus is on the routes children take to school and the landmarks they see on the way. For example looking at road signs to find out their meaning; describing landmarks on the route; drawing maps or making models of their routes. Our focus week will be Monday 18<sup>th</sup> October and we would welcome any contributions from children which we can then display.

Year 3 and 4 Fun Run and Year 6 Safety Scene

If you haven't returned the permission forms for the run on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October at Whixall Primary School, and Safety Scene on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>, could you please do so as soon as possible. Thank you.

Year 5 and 6 visit to The Old Vicarage Adventure Centre at Stottesdon

We have to make a decision about the residential visit this week so would be grateful if you could you please return your slips by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to discuss the visit, please come into school and speak to either myself or Mrs Brittleton.

School Choir

Mrs Vaughan would like to begin a school choir on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October from 3.15pm to 4.00pm. This is open to the whole school and will be dependent on numbers. Could you please return the slip by Friday 8<sup>th</sup> if your child is interested.

SWAG (School Nutrition Action Group) - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October at 3.15 pm

There will be a follow up meeting to discuss the progress we have made towards applying for our Food for Life Bronze award. We welcomed the parents, governors and children to contribute and learn more about the Food for Life partnership.

Ragtex Collection will be this Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October. Please leave textiles in the veranda.

Visit to Cinderella

We have decided to cancel the visit to the pantomime due to insufficient numbers.

Yours sincerely,

Lynne Potts

**School Choir with Mrs Vaughan after school on Thursday 3.15 to 4pm**

I would like my child/children to take part in the school choir

Name of child/children.....

Class/es.....

Signed.....