

16th November 2009

Dear Parents

ADVANCED WARNING – next Monday the letter detailing arrangements for tickets for our Christmas performances will be coming home. We have made some changes to try to make the system better. Please look out for it in your child’s book bag and be aware of the deadlines! Thank you.

Mrs. Harrison would appreciate the ‘Panto’ money and refreshment order in as soon as possible, by 27th November, if not sooner please.

Our headlice detection rate remains low – only 8 cases. Thank you for your continued vigilance.

I have been asked by a very worried granny to put something in the newsletter about children riding their bikes around Mere. There was an incident involving a child from this school cycling out between 2 parked cars into the path of her car on their way to school. This child was also not wearing a helmet. The school has a rule that children coming to school on their bikes must wear a helmet. Please could parents ensure that their children are safe if they are riding their bikes to and from school.

We are looking forward to seeing parents during our open morning on Wednesday. There has been a good response to our new ‘Question and Answer’ session at 2.15 pm on this day also. If you have not yet made an appointment for a parent interview after school this day please contact Mrs Rawlings to do so.

I am sorry to nag, but we still have parents parking in the school car park. This is not allowed! I would be grateful if you could make relatives picking up aware of this as well. If you park in the Parish Council car park please cross the road carefully at the narrowest point – not through the parked cars. Thank you.

Dates for the next fortnight:

Wednesday 18th November, 9 am – 12 noon - open morning,
2.15 pm - question time with Mrs Porter and
Mrs Williamson,
3.30 pm - parent interviews,
Thursday 19th November - non-school uniform day in
exchange for a bingo prize,
Friday 27th November - Friend's Christmas bingo details
to follow.

With thanks

Yours sincerely

Catriona Williamson