



Oxenhope

Church of England Primary School



24th February 2009

Dear Parents/carers,

An update of events happening in school this term.

World Book Day – Thursday March 5th 2009

We would like to celebrate the 12th year of World Book Day by inviting the children to come to school dressed as a book character of their choice on Thursday 5th March. We will be holding a special assembly to give children a chance to parade in their costumes and there will be a prize of a book token for the best dressed costume in Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2.

In addition, we will be marking the day with a special story writing event. Reception class will create the beginning of a story and each class will then add to the story throughout the day. The finished story will be shared in the assembly.

Each child will also receive a World Book Day £1 Book Token (This can be used against any purchase from March edition of Scholastics Books if you wish.) We hope the day will promote books and encourage the children to explore the pleasure of reading.

Red Nose Day – Friday 13th March 2009

Our School Council have organised this day. To raise money for Comic Relief the children are asked to pay £1 for a non uniform day. During the day all children can pay 50p to enter a 'guess the baby' competition.

Red noses will be on sale in school from Wednesday 25th February. The cost of an official red nose is £1. Please send money in an envelope clearly marked with your child's name and class.

Life Caravan

All children will be visiting the Life Caravan this week to learn about some aspects of staying healthy and safe. A session for any interested parents will be held on Thursday morning 9am to 9:30am. This will take place in the caravan which is parked in the school car park.

School uniform and Clothing.

Please ensure all items of clothing worn in school are clearly labelled with your child's name. We have an ever increasing amount of un-named lost property and having items named would make it much easier to return the clothing to the correct owner. Lost property will be available to sort through at this week's parent consultation sessions. Any unclaimed items will be sent to a charity.

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Dinner Money

The cost of school dinners for this half term is £42

Dates for this half term

Tuesday 24th February 3:30 – 6pm Parent consultation

Wednesday 25th February 5 – 8pm – parent consultation

Thursday 26th February 3:30 – 4pm Parents meeting for children going to Winmarleigh Hall

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day

Wednesday 11th March – Friday 13th March – year 5 and 6 residential visit to Winmarleigh Hall

Friday 13th March – Red nose Day

Wednesday 18th March – Maths drop in 3:30 – 6pm

Monday March 30th Rehearsal for children singing at Bradford prom (more details to follow)

Wednesday 1st April Bradford Prom 7pm St Georges Hall

Friday 3rd April Easter Service ST Mary's Church 9:30am

Yours faithfully,

Lynda Florence

Acting Head