

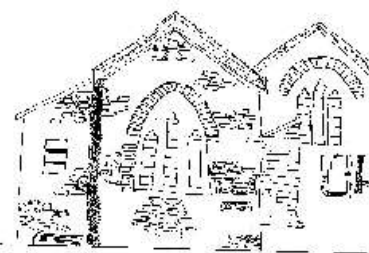
**BRANSCOMBE C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**NEWSLETTER 10 / 11 06**  
**Friday 15th October 2010**



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Children's Aims  
We will try to:



The Branscombe Waves



Dear Parents

Thank you to all those who attended our Parents' Evening on Wednesday night. We always find it such a privilege to be able to share your child's successes with you. We do hope that you found the evening helpful.

Only a few days now until the half term break. The children finish school at 3.15 on Thursday 21st October and will return on Monday 1st November.

We are looking forward to welcoming one of our past pupils, Anerie Jones, to school next week. She is now attending Colyton Grammar School and will be here for a work experience placement.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Branscombe School.

### **Wassailing Event**

We told you last week about the Wassailing event that the National Trust are organising on Saturday 15th January. The school will be involved in this so please put the date in your diaries. The actual event will be from 6-8pm but in the afternoon the children will be invited to take part in lantern making.

### **Shoebox Appeal**

Please continue to fill your shoeboxes. If you need the information about this again please see Nicola in the office. We have been asked to get the boxes ready for mid November, a more exact collection date will be given to us shortly.

### **Welly Walk**

We hope you all have your wellies at the ready in preparation for the Welly Walk on Wednesday. The pictures of decorated wellies look great in the entrance hall. If you have an old boot you could decorate to add to our display that would be brilliant and of course you can decorate the pair of wellies that will be worn for the walk itself! Please have one last go at getting some sponsorship for the walk.

On Wednesday the children can come to school in non uniform - but sensible walking clothes please. They should bring a pair of shoes for the morning in school. Please ensure they have a warm jumper and a waterproof coat. The children may wish to bring a bottle of water, if this is the case please could they bring a small back pack to carry it in so that their hands are free. And of course they should bring the all important 'wellies'!

Parents and friends of the school are welcome to come with us. We will be leaving school at approximately 1.15pm.

### **Remembrance Day**

Advance notice that the children will be attending the Remembrance Day ceremony at the Branscombe War Memorial (outside church) on Thursday 11th November. We will leave school at approximately 10.30. Parents are welcome to join us.

### **Harvest Lunch**

A reminder that on Friday 12th November we will be hosting a Harvest Lunch in the village hall. If you would like to come to the lunch, where soup and apple crumble will be served, please let Nicola in the office know. Any friends of the school may attend. There will be no charge for the lunch but a collection will be made for the school community fund. Please reply by 21st October.

### **Netball Tournament**

Thank you to those of you who have returned the slip to say that your child would be interested in taking part in the tournament on Monday 18th October. We do have enough children to enter a team, which is great news. The tournament will take place at Sidmouth College and the children will be taken from school to the tournament by parents. You will need to collect your child(ren) from Sidmouth College at 5.30pm. The children must have a white t-shirt and blue or black shorts. Please ensure that you complete the attached form and return it to school on Monday.